

<p>RESOLUTION No. AGN/36/RES/5</p> <p><u>SUBJECT</u> :</p> <p>JUVENILE DELINQUENCY</p>	<p>TO BE CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS :</p> <p>1 copy in the CHRONOLOGICAL SERIES : year 1967</p> <p>1 copy in the SUBJECT SERIES</p> <p>Heading : Juvenile Delinquency - The Police and Minors</p> <p>Sub-heading : Study of the pheno- menon; role of the police</p> <p>1 copy in the SUBJECT SERIES</p> <p>Heading : Prevention of Crime - Social Role of the Police</p> <p>Sub-heading : Prevention of Juvenile Delinquency</p> <p>1 copy in the SUBJECT SERIES</p> <p>Heading : Recruitment of Police Officers - Technical co-operation</p>
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TEXT OF RESOLUTION

IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT anti-social behaviour and disturbances by groups of young people are increasing in certain countries; and

IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT accurate information about gangs and their activities is needed to devise suitable preventive measures;

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Kyoto from 27th September to 4th October 1967 at its 36th session:

CONGRATULATES the Secretary General for the fine summary of information collected from NCBs about anti-social behaviour among young people;

REGRETS, nevertheless, that too many countries thought it unnecessary to answer the questionnaire; and,

After long and useful discussions,

AGREES that the phenomenon is the same in all countries, viz: delinquency or violence on the part of young people, either individually or in groups;

BELIEVES that this is a serious international problem which requires up-to-date knowledge both of the current situation and of the measures used by the police in each country to prevent and control such activities;

NOTES with satisfaction that the police of many countries are attaching a growing importance to the question of prevention and are co-operating with welfare bodies working in this field;

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WISHES to urge each country to forward a concise report on the behaviour of adolescents (crimes, offences, sexual excesses, use of drugs and of pep pills, vagrancy, etc.) to the Secretariat at least once a year and at least 3 months before the General Assembly session, the said report to include the means used to acquire information about, to prevent and to control activities of this kind; and

ASKS the Secretary General to study the following questions:

- a) Police force's opinion of juvenile delinquency prevention bodies and of the respective responsibilities of welfare workers, social services and police officers in the field of juvenile delinquency and pre-delinquency;
- b) Definition of the criteria for selecting and training police officers (both men and women) to do specialized work in this field.
