

Resolution No. 6

GA-2025-93-RFS-06

Subject: Committee on the Processing of Data

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Marrakech, Morocco, from 24 to 27 November 2025 at its 93rd session:

PURSUANT to Article 11 of the Organization's Constitution, Article 35 of its General Regulations, and Articles 53 to 57 of the Rules of Procedure of the General Assembly,

RECALLING Resolution GA-2019-88-RES-03, adopted by the General Assembly at its 88th session (Santiago, Chile, 15-18 October 2019), deciding to make the Working Group on the Processing of Information (GTI) a standing committee of the General Assembly named the Committee on the Processing of Data,

ALSO RECALLING Resolution GA-2023-91-RES-04, adopted by the General Assembly at its 91st session (Vienna, Austria, 28 November – 1 December 2023), requesting the Working Group on Governance (now the "Committee on Governance") to review the mandates of the General Assembly committees, including the Committee on the Processing of Data,

HAVING CONSIDERED Report GA-2025-93-REP-01 submitted by the Committee on Governance on the progress made and containing its proposed reform pertaining to reviewing the mandate of the Committee on the Processing of Data,

REAFFIRMING the importance of ensuring through regular reviews that INTERPOL's rules governing the processing of data are consistently understood and implemented; continue to serve the requirements of INTERPOL's Members; and remain effective, easily implementable, and up to date with the latest developments in international data processing and the Organization's activities,

EMPHASIZES that participation in the Committee on the Processing of Data is open to all member countries;

RENEWS its invitation to INTERPOL's Members to participate in and contribute to the work of the Committee on the Processing of Data by designating experts who have established competence in relevant areas of international criminal data sharing, use of INTERPOL data at the national level, right-to-privacy and data protection regulations, and use of new information and communication technologies in policing as their representatives to the Committee on the Processing of Data;

REITERATES that the Committee on the Processing of Data shall review and make recommendations on INTERPOL's processing of data to ensure and promote international police cooperation and prevent and suppress ordinary law crimes, in application of Article 2 of the Organization's Constitution;

DECIDES that, within this mandate, the Committee on the Processing of Data shall, in particular, review and make recommendations on the legal framework governing the processing of data through the INTERPOL Information System and the supervisory mechanisms in the area of data processing;

ALSO DECIDES that the Committee on the Processing of Data shall consider any other question referred to it by the General Assembly falling within its area of expertise;

REITERATES its request that the Committee on the Processing of Data meet at least once a year and report on its work to the General Assembly at its annual sessions through its Chairperson;

ASKS the Chairperson of the Committee on the Processing of Data to coordinate its work with the other bodies of the Organization, as needed;

EXPRESSES its appreciation of the General Secretariat's continuous support to the Committee on the Processing of Data, as its Secretariat, including in organizing the meetings of the Committee on the Processing of Data and assisting it in discharging its mandate.

Adopted: 125 votes in favour, 1 against, 4 abstentions