

## **Resolution No. 13**

GA-2017-86-RES-13

**Subject:** Membership of the State of Palestine

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Beijing, China, from 26 to 29 September 2017 at its 86th session:

BEARING IN MIND Article 4 of the Constitution,

TAKING NOTE of the application for membership dated 2 August 2015 submitted by the Prime Minister of the State of Palestine,

CONSIDERING the elements contained in the application with regard to the requirements of membership,

CONSIDERING that in a letter dated 9 July 2017, the State of Palestine indicated that it believes in the aims of INTERPOL as set out in Article 2 of the Constitution, is committed not to use the Organization for any political, military, racial or religious interventions or activities, as stipulated in Article 3 of the Constitution, and is committed to doing all within its power to cooperate by participating diligently in INTERPOL's activities as required by Article 31 of the Constitution,

CONSIDERING that upon membership and in compliance with Article 32 of the Constitution, the State of Palestine shall appoint a body which will serve as the National Central Bureau,

## **DECIDES:**

- The State of Palestine shall be a Member of the Organization with effect from the present session of the General Assembly;
- The State of Palestine shall be part of Asia for the purposes of participation in the regional conferences and membership of the Executive Committee;
- The contribution of the State of Palestine for the year 2018 shall amount to 0.03% of the Organization's budget;

TASKS the Secretary General to implement, in compliance with the existing rules, rights of access to the INTERPOL Information System of the National Central Bureau to be designated by the State of Palestine.

Adopted