RESOLUTION

Subject: Co-operation Agreement between the European Central Bank (ECB) and Interpol

The ICPO-Interpol General Assembly, meeting in Benidorm from 29 September to 2 October 2003, at its 72nd session:

BEARING IN MIND Article 41 of the Organization's Constitution which states that the general provisions concerning the relations with international, intergovernmental or non-governmental organizations will only be valid after their approval by the General Assembly,

REAFFIRMING its recognition of the advantages of formalizing relations between the ICPO-Interpol and the European Central Bank,

RECALLING Resolution No. AG-2001-RES-03 which instructed the General Secretariat to negotiate a co-operation agreement with the European Central Bank covering the exchange of information on counterfeit euro banknotes,

HAVING TAKEN NOTE OF Report AG-2003-RAP-14 entitled "Co-operation Agreement between the European Central Bank and the ICPO-Interpol",

DEEMING that the Co-operation Agreement thus negotiated meets the requirements of the co-operation system established by Interpol, in particular with regard to the sharing of information,

APPROVES the Co-operation Agreement contained in Appendix 1 to Report AG-2003-RAP-14;

AUTHORIZES the Secretary General to sign it.

Adopted.