RESOLUTION AGN/64/RES/3

SUBJECT:

Annual report of the Supervisory Board for the Internal Control of Interpol's Archives

TO BE CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

1 copy in the CHRONOLOGICAL SERIES: Year 1995

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Sub-heading: Miscellaneous

TEXT OF RESOLUTION

HAVING STUDIED Report No. 19, entitled "Annual Report of the Supervisory Board for the Internal Control of Interpol's Archives", which reviews the activities and experience of the Board from the time it began functioning in 1986 until the end of the terms of office of its current Chairman, Mr Robert Biever, and two of its members, Mr Jacques Fauvet (appointed by the French Government) and Mr Markus Peter (appointed by the Organization),

NOTING the Board's wish to communicate its Report to the appropriate audience and the favourable opinion expressed by the Executive Committee which has acceded to that wish,

HAVING NOTED the importance of the Report for the development of police co-operation within a context of respect for individual rights, and having found that it contains no police information of a personal nature,

WISHING TO THANK Mr Robert Biever, Mr Jacques Fauvet and Mr Markus Peter, who have worked for nine years to give the Supervisory Board the importance, prominence and independence it deserves and, during those years, have demonstrated their competence in the field of data protection and their concern for individual rights in the context of international police co-operation,

The ICPO-Interpol General Assembly, meeting in Beijing from 4th to 10th October 1995 at its 64th session:

DECIDES to pay tribute to them, and to all those who have been members of the Supervisory Board for the Internal Control of Interpol's Archives, for their role in applying the first data protection system within an international organization, and to thank all of them for their excellent work:

RECOMMENDS that the NCBs take every opportunity to make the public aware of the existence, within the Organization, of a system for protecting personal data and of the right of indirect access which can be exercised through the Board, and asks them to reply as quickly as possible to any questions and requests put to them by the Board;

AUTHORIZES the publication and circulation of the Board's Annual Report to the appropriate audience and to all international institutions responsible for protecting human rights.
