RESOLUTION AGN/64/RES/22	TO BE CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS:
SUBJECT: Computer-related crime	1 copy in the CHRONOLOGICAL SERIES: Year 1995
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TEXT OF RESOLUTION

NOTING the growing importance of the use and misuse of computers in all types of crime,

RECOGNIZING the developments in criminal activities related to information technology,

HAVING TAKEN NOTE of the work already accomplished by the European Working Party on Computer Crime including, in particular:

- the establishment of National Central Reference Points in Europe for computer-related crime and the preparation of a Computer Crime Message to encourage the rapid exchange of information in urgent cases,
- the publication of the booklet entitled "COMPUTERS AND CRIME Functionality & Evidence" and the forthcoming publication of a comprehensive Computer Crime Manual,
- the organization of Computer Crime Training Courses for law enforcement officials, judges and public prosecutors in European Member States,

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

RECOMMENDS that:

- (1) the problem of computer-related crime should be approached in a similar manner in the African, American and Asian regions and in each Interpol Member State in those regions, possibly with assistance from the General Secretariat at regional level,
- (2) a Steering Committee, composed of a small number of computer crime experts representing the different regions, should be set up to promote and co-ordinate all regional initiatives and to encourage the adoption of mutually agreed standard methods for international computer investigations;

ASKS the General Secretariat to make proposals, in due course, about means of achieving these objectives as soon as possible.

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