

RESOLUTION No. AGN/65/RES/4 SUBJECT: Proposals for the acquisition of an Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS)	TO BE CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS: 1 copy in the CHRONOLOGICAL SERIES: Year 1996 1 copy in the SUBJECT SERIES: Heading: Identification of persons and dead bodies Sub-heading: Fingerprinting
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TEXT OF RESOLUTION

NOTING the contents of section 4 of Report No. 4 regarding the Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS),

AWARE that the implementation of an AFIS facility at the General Secretariat will increase the effectiveness of member countries in the fight against international crime,

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT the previous unsuccessful attempt to fund the system from within the Interpol budget,

AWARE of the need to identify the future strategy within Interpol's Criminal Information System (ICIS) regarding the method of retention and international circulation of fingerprints and photographs,

NOTING that the proposed policy regarding the AFIS facility has been discussed and agreed by the Executive Committee at its 114th session from 2nd to 4th July 1996,

The ICPO-Interpol General Assembly, meeting in Antalya from 23rd to 29th October 1996 at its 65th Session:

AUTHORIZES the Secretary General to seek appropriate sources of finance for the project, such as special contributions, before putting out a call for tenders with a view to acquiring an Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS) for installation at the General Secretariat.

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