RESOLUTION No. AGN/65/RES/6

SUBJECT:

Introduction of Electronic Message Formats

TO BE CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

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Sub-heading: Use of EDP by the ICPO-Interpol (General Secretariat and NCBs)

TEXT OF RESOLUTION

NOTING the contents of section 6 of Report No. 4 regarding the introduction of electronic message formats on the ICPO-Interpol network,

CONFIRMING the need to send criminal information in an accurate, complete and cost-effective manner,

NOTING the considerable advantages of using the electronic message formats system "InterForm" developed and owned by Interpol,

AWARE that the current development and standardization on the ICPOInterpol network will support advanced technology of this nature,

CONSCIOUS of the time that will be saved when processing messages at NCBs and at the General Secretariat, if the electronic message formats are taken into operational use,

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

URGES all member countries to adopt the policy of using electronic message formats on the ICPO-Interpol network and, subject to the operational testing of the "InterForm" system, to make the use of electronic message formats by NCBs mandatory in the future.

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