RESOLUTION No. AGN/56/RES/10

SUBJECT

Modernization of the ICPO-Interpol's telecommunications systems

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Heading: Telecommunications - ICPO-Interpol radio network

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TEXT OF RESOLUTION

HAVING EXAMINED Report No. 6 entitled "Telecommunications" and its appended recommendations concerning the development and modernization of the ICPO-Interpol's telecommunications systems,

AWARE of the strategic importance of such development and modernization for the Organization's future,

DESIROUS of providing the ICPO-Interpol with a telecommunications network which meets the requirements of the Organization and its Member States,

CONSIDERING that special emphasis should be given to the security and inviolability of the Interpol telecommunications network,

ACKNOWLEDGING that, in accordance with Resolution No. 54/AGN/RES/10 adopted by the General Assembly at its 54th session in Washington, the General Secretariat's equipment has been adapted for encryption on the ARQ radioteletype network,

The ICPO-Interpol General Assembly, meeting in Nice from 23rd to 27th November 1987 at its 56th session:

APPROVES of the telecommunications policy options contained in Report No. 6 referred to above:

INVITES the General Secretariat to adapt the AMSS at the Central Station to the CCITT X 25 / X 400 standards in 1988;

RECOMMENDS that the NCBs adapt their equipment to these standards;

RECOMMENDS most particularly that NCBs which are still using Morse, or which have no means of communication other than the telephone, rapidly acquire means of communication which are better suited to current requirements and technologies;

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RECOMMENDS that automation of the Interpol network be continued by equipping the Regional Stations with automatic message switching systems meeting the X 400 standard mentioned above, and that, in the meanwhile, if possible before 1989, the Regional Stations be equipped with modern electronic communications terminals for their communications with the Central Station;

STRESSES the vital importance to the Organization of building up a worldwide, automatic, rapid and reliable telecommunications network as soon as possible, and in any case within the next five years;

RECOMMENDS that NCBs which do not yet possess the Thrane & Thrane 1585B modem with the 007 Crypto option should acquire that equipment;

ASKS the Standing Committee on Information Technology, in co-operation with the General Secretariat, to continue the studies underway and to make recommendations in respect of the security and inviolability of all the Organization's telecommunications resources.

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