RESOLUTION No. AGN/51/RES/6

SUBJECT:

WEAPONS ON BOARD AIRCRAFT TO BE CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

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Heading: Aviation, Civil - Air police

Sub-heading: Unlawful interference with civil aviation

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Heading: Firearms, ammunition and explosives

Sub-heading: Control of sale, purchase, carrying and possession of firearms, ammunition and explosives and smuggling thereof

TEXT OF RESOLUTION

GIVEN THAT carrying weapons on board an aircraft is liable to lead to incidents endangering the aircraft and persons on board,

The ICPO-Interpol General Assembly, meeting in Torremolinos from 5th to 12th October 1982 at its 51st session:

INVITES the National Central Bureaus to draw the attention of their countries' appropriate authorities to the importance of the following recommendations:

- (1) No person should, while on board an aircraft being operated by an air carrier, carry on or about his person a dangerous weapon, either concealed or unconcealed, without the express permission of the competent authority;
- (2) Any dangerous weapons permitted on board should be stowed in a compartment inaccessible in flight;
- (3) Such weapons should be returned to the persons entitled to carry them only after notification to the local competent authority;
- (4) Nothing in this resolution shall override the national legislation of the countries concerned.
