RESOLUTION No. AGN/45/RES/2

SUBJECT:

FRAUDS INVOLVING ARSON

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TEXT OF RESOLUTION

HAVING STUDIED Report No. 10 submitted by the General Secretariat, entitled "Frauds involving arson",

NOTING that the available information sent to the General Secretariat concerning arson with a view to committing fraud was insufficient to allow an exact appreciation of the problems raised by this type of offence,

CONSIDERING HOWEVER that an international exchange of items of information and reports of experiences in this field between police services could be useful,

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Accra from 14th to 20th October 1976, at its 45th session:

RECOMMENDS that the ICPO-INTERPOL National Central Bureaus:

- a) take appropriate steps towards collecting precise items of information (statistics, etc.) on this type of offence, so as to allow a better appreciation of the question;
- b) promote, if necessary, co-operation between insurance companies and police services with a view to improving the prevention and detection of such offences;
- exchange with the other NCBs information on the persons who commit such offences, if they are likely to travel abroad or commit the same type of offence in another country;
- d) send the General Secretariat details of any particularly interesting modus operandi discovered in this field, as well as details of the best adapted investigation methods;

ASKS the Secretary General to circulate to the NCBs, by means of modus operandi sheets, details of particularly interesting modus operandi discovered in this field, sent in by any NCB.