



Resolution No. 4

GA-2019-88-RES-04

Subject: Report of the Working Group to Review Legal Provisions Relating to INTERPOL's Governance Bodies

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Santiago, Chile, from 15 to 18 October 2019 at its 88th session:

RECALLING Resolution GA-2018-87-RES-15 on the establishment of a Working Group to Review Legal Provisions Relating to INTERPOL's Governance Bodies ("Working Group on Governance"),

HAVING CONSIDERED Report GA-2019-88-REP-12 submitted by the Working Group on Governance on the progress made during its first session ("progress report"),

REAFFIRMING the importance for the proper functioning of the Organization of a solid governance structure that meets the increasing demands on the Organization, and that is well-suited to the international environment in which it operates,

EMPHASIZING the importance and continued need to review legal provisions relating to INTERPOL's governance,

EXPRESSES ITS APPRECIATION to the Working Group on Governance for the work accomplished at its first meeting held on 4 and 5 July 2019 in Paris, France, and notes, in particular, its:

- (a) recommendations, and
- (b) 2019-2021 programme of work;

INVITES the Working Group on Governance to continue its work on the topics contained in its programme of work and requests the Working Group to submit a progress report to the General Assembly at its 89th session, including a summary of the discussions and, if appropriate, draft amendments to the legal framework;

ENCOURAGES member countries to consider their representation and to include high-level experts in governance matters and public international law during sessions of the Working Group on Governance;

DRAWS THE ATTENTION of delegates to the importance of receiving their comments and observations on the themes under review and urges them to liaise with their respective administrations to secure support from relevant and competent decision-makers, including government ministries responsible for police cooperation via INTERPOL and/or Ministries of Foreign Affairs;

TASKS the General Secretariat to make the necessary arrangements to facilitate the work of the Working Group on Governance and assist it in discharging its mandate.

Adopted