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In accordance with Article 18 of the Law on Associations (NN 74/14) and Article 30 of the Statute of the IPA-International Police Association-Section Croatia, the Assembly of the IPA-Section Croatia held in Sesvete, on June 20, 2015 adopted the:

STATUTE

IPA – INTERNATIONAL POLICE ASSOCIATION SECTION CROATIA

TITLE I

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 1

By the provisions of the Statute of the IPA - International Police Association – Section Croatia (hereinafter called the Section) are regulated: the name and the seat of the Section; affiliation and representation; aims and activities of their implementation; achieving publicity of the Section; membership and membership fee; rights, duties and liability of members; constitution and bodies of the Section, their structure, activity manner, decision making manner, election and revocation terms and manner, duration of the mandate and responsibilities of members, execution of an internal supervision; assets and possible profit disposal; termination of the Section and the procedure concerning Section's property in the event of termination.



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In the Section a joint work, decision-making process and responsibility is assured, as well as equality of members of the bodies of the Section in achieving their rights, duties and responsibilities determined by the Statute and the Croatian legal regulations without distinction as to function, rank, language, race, religion or philosophy of life.

TITLE II

THE NAME AND THE SEAT OF THE SECTION

Article 3

The name of the Section is: "IPA - Međunarodno policijsko udruženje - Sekcija Hrvatska".

The name of the Section in English language is: "IPA - International Police Association - Section Croatia".

The abbreviation of the Section is: "IPA - Sekcija Hrvatska".

The abbreviation of the Section in English language is: "IPA - Section Croatia"

The seat of the Section is the seat of the county in which the elected president resides.

The decision to change the seat determines the Executive Board.

IPA-Section Croatia is a non-profit legal entity which was legally recognized on the date of its registration into the Register of Associations of the Republic of Croatia.

Article 4

The emblem of the Section is the international IPA emblem with the following description: in the middle there is a globe marked with red-coloured continents and blue-coloured sea, surrounded by the blue belt with the yellow inscription INTERNATIONAL POLICE ASSOCIATION. There are meridians and parallels on the globe, the octagonal star in the background of the globe, and the golden ear of wheat on the left and on the right side of the globe which is connected in the lower part by a vignette with the inscription SERVO PER AMIKECO.



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Over the IPA emblem there is a word "HRVATSKA" connecting the golden ear of wheat on the top. At the foot of the emblem there are 9 red squares in 3 rows, in sequence 4-3-2 vertically in alternation with white squares. The first square is red, and the squares symbolize the parts of the coat of arms of the Republic of Croatia.

The IPA emblem is protected by international copyright, © by IPA in 1974.

Article 5

The Section has got the round-shaped seal with a 35 mm diameter. It consists of the international IPA symbol and the parts of the coat of arms of the Republic of Croatia symbols (Article 4, paragraph 2 of the Statute).

Every Regional Club (*Region*) has got a round-shaped seal with a 35 mm diameter. It consists of the international IPA symbol with the addition of features of the Section Croatia and features of Regional Clubs (*Regions*) prescribed by the statutes of Regional Clubs (*Regions*).

Article 6

The work of the Section is public. The Assembly of the Section can decide for meetings or discussions in particular items on the agenda to be held without the presence of the public.

Publicity is ensured and achieved by timely and accurate reporting to the Section by Regional Clubs (*Regions*) through mass media, IPA Newsletter and internal IPA journals.

Regional Clubs (*Regions*) of the Section are informed about the work of the Section by a delivery of written materials from meetings held by the bodies of the Section.

Representatives of mass media can attend the Section's management bodies' meetings and report **the** public about the work of the Section and its bodies, if they receive such an invitation.

To ensure publicity as much as possible, the Section can issue its own journal in accordance with the public relations regulations. The decision of issuing the journal passes the Executive Board of the Section.

Where appropriate, the Section also issues periodicals, bulletins, posters, etc., in accordance with the publishing regulations.



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TITLE III

AFFILIATION AND REPRESENTATION

Article 7

The Section is as a National Section associated to the international organization IPA.

Section's Members are Regional Clubs (*Regions*) which are generally established and registered in counties of the territory of the Republic of Croatia. Section's Members can establish their own branches for particular districts or line of work.

Provisions of this Statute have to be compliance with the provisions of the Statute of the International Police Association, as well as to legal regulations of the Republic of Croatia.

Article 8

For a more effective realization of its interests, the Section may cooperate with other corresponding associations and organizations in the Republic of Croatia and abroad in accordance with the law.

Article 9

In achieving the goals and tasks set in this Statute, the Section operates independent in accordance with the law.

Political activity within the Section is prohibited.

Article 10

The Section is registered in the Register of Associations with the competent government authority. Regional Clubs (*Regions*), as structural forms of the Section, are registered in the Register of Associations with the competent government authority or general administration by the seat of the Regional Club (*Region*).



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Article 11

The Section is a legal entity.

Article 12

The area of activity of the Section is the territory of the Republic of Croatia.

Article 13

The Section is represented by the President, Deputy President and Secretary General of the Section.

TITLE IV

AIMS AND SCOPE OF THE IPA-SECTION CROATIA

Article 14

Internationally and at the level of the Republic of Croatia, the Section implements the rights and obligations of Regional Clubs (*Regions*) and IPA membership in the Republic of Croatia under international organization of the IPA in accordance with the Statute of the international organization of the IPA.

Aims and objectives of the existence of the Section are:

- international collaboration, international friendships and other activities of international cooperation
- accomplishing friendly relations and promoting cooperation among the members nationally and internationally
- acting according to the principles set out in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights adopted by the United Nations in 1948
- developing cultural relations among the members, widening their general knowledge, developing professional experience, and fostering mutual aid
- developing national and international cooperation between IPA sections
- acting in the field of international humanitarian aid and international friendship.



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Article 15

To achieve its goals, the Section performs the following activities:

- produces, prepares and implements projects at national and EU level,
- exchanges experience in the field of police work in the Section and at the international level in the form of counselling, lectures, seminars, conferences, forums, and other professional meetings,
- organizes study tours and other travels for the purpose of professional associating and vocational and professional training of members,
- collaborates with other similar associations and organizations abroad, and other organizations that support the work of the Section,
- enables mutual meetings of Regions of the Section with other IPA sections at international level,
- concerns for the dissemination of expertise through domestic and foreign policing,
- publishes professional brochures and expert journals in accordance with the law,
- organizes social gathering and sport events on national and international level,
- performs other activities contributing to achievement of the aims set in the Statute.

The Section, within the framework of its activity, takes care of spreading the safety culture.

Activity of the Section is based on mutual tolerance and support among members, and overall activity must follow the essence of the motto: SERVO PER AMIKECO – service through friendship.

TITLE V

SECTION'S MEMBERS, THE RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE MEMBERS

Article 16

Section's Members are Regional Clubs (*Regions*) registered with the competent authority, which decide on joining the Section and the acceptance of all the rights and obligations set out in this Statute. Becoming a Section's Member is voluntarily. Each member of a Regional Club (*Region*) that is a Section's Members, gets the Section's membership card. Each member of the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Croatia and a former member of the Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Croatia, who was not dishonourably discharged, as well as a retiree of the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Croatia, regardless of rank, sex, race, colour, language or religion can become a member of the IPA by joining up into one of Regional Clubs (*Regions*) in the Republic of Croatia



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according to one's wish, taking into account the regional organizational principles of the IPA. A Section's Member that receives an application for membership in the IPA has the discretion of making a positive or negative decision on a submitted application.

Article 17

IPA membership can be ordinary, honorary, extraordinary and foreign associate.

Ordinary members are persons with regards to Article 16, paragraph 4 of this Statute.

As an Honorary member can be declared a person with exceptional merits for development and performance of the IPA.

The Assembly of the Section decides about granting the title of an Honorary member on the proposal of the President of Regional Club (Region) or the Executive Board the Section. An Honorary member has the same statutory rights and duties, except voting or being elected to the respective functions in the bodies of the IPA-Section Croatia and in the bodies of its Members. A special membership card will be issued to an Honorary member, whose shape and appearance will be determined by a special decision of the Executive Board of the Section.

Under the same conditions referred to in paragraph 4 of this Article of the Statute, an IPA member as a Foreign Associate member, can become a foreign citizen of a country where there is no IPA National section or section of that country hasn't been accepted in the full membership of the IPA yet, but only until its acceptance.

The decision on the appliance of paragraph 7 of this Article passes the Executive Board of the Section. A Foreign Associate member has the same status as an Honorary member referred to in paragraph 5 of this Article.

A membership IPA card will be issued to a Foreign Associate member of the IPA with indication of being a Foreign Associate Member.

The Section keeps a register of its members in IPA Regional Clubs (*Regions*), its Members, which contains all the information in accordance with Article 12 of the Law on Associations: name, identification number, date of birth, date of accession into membership, membership category and the date of termination of membership, and it also can contain other operational data. IPA members pay an annual membership fee which is determined by the decision of the Executive Board of the



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One part of the membership fee belongs to the Section whose amount is determined by the decision of the Executive Board of the Section.

Widowers and widows of IPA members can become Extraordinary members with equal rights and obligations, but such membership does not entitle them to hold any function of management.

Article 18

Regional Clubs (*Regions*), Section's Members, have under equal conditions the right to use the equipment and the resources of the Section as well as all the benefits determined for members within the Section. Duties of the Regional Clubs (*Regions*) are:

- to achieve the objectives of the Section,
- to respect the rules of the Section and the decisions of the Section's bodies,
- to restrain from actions and activities that could harm the reputation and the goals of the Section,
- to reimburse membership fees within the time limits laid down by the decision of the Executive Board of the Section.
- upon written request, to submit a report with the required documents to the Executive Board of the Section in the case of suspected breach of the Statute of the Section.



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Article 19

Section's Members are entitled:

- to participate and make decisions in the management of the Section
- to propose and choose their representatives in the bodies of the Section
- directly and through their representatives in the Section, to initiate and propose the enactment and the Statute amendments and other general acts, decisions, programs and other acts whose adoption falls within the jurisdiction of the Section
- to give initiatives and proposals relating to the development and implementation of Section's activities
- to make comments and opinions about the work of the Section
- to participate in all activities of the Section according to its own choice and interest
- to receive all the information gathered by the Section and to be informed about the work of the Section and its bodies, and on the material management.

Article 20

The members of the IPA have direct and indirect electoral right. Direct electoral right is exercised in the meetings of the Assembly of the Section. Indirect electoral right is exercised through elected representatives in the management bodies of the Section. Each member has the right to carry and use the symbol of the IPA in accordance with the objectives of the Section.

Article 21

The members of the IPA have the right to participate and decide on the work of the Section, to elect and be elected to the bodies of the Section, to be informed about its activities, to assess and give opinion on the work of the Section, to submit suggestions and encourage its work.

Article 22

Membership in the IPA will be terminated by:

- termination of the Section,
- the member's own written statement of withdrawal from membership,
- exclusion from membership,



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- death of a member.

Article 23

A Section's Member can be excluded from membership if its actions harm the reputation of the Section, if it acts contrary to the provisions of the Statute, or if it does not pay the membership fee more than one year. A proposal for exclusion may be submitted in written to the Court of Honour by any Regional Club (*Region*) of the Section and by the Executive Board of the Section.

A Member has the right to submit a complaint to the decision of the Court of Honour upon which is to be decided by the Assembly of the Section. The membership rights are suspended since the moment of the initiation of proceedings until a decision. A complaint must be submitted within 15 days of receipt of the decision on exclusion. The decision on the complaint, made by the Assembly of the Section, is final.

TITLE VI

SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES AND CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Article 24

If a Section's Member considers that its rights determined by the Statute are violated, or in the case of a dispute between Members which affects the work of the Section, or if a Member considers that the body of the Section breached the provisions of the Statute, as well as in other cases of a dispute or conflict of interest, it can apply the request to resolve the above mentioned to the Supervisory Board of the Section

The Supervisory Board of the Section will consider the circumstances of the case and will propose to the Executive Board of the Section a decision on resolving the dispute. The Executive Board of the Section makes a decision and reports about it to the Assembly of the Section at its next meeting which makes the final decision.



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TITLE VII

BODIES OF THE SECTION

Article 25

The central bodies of the Section are the: Assembly, Executive Board, Supervisory Board, Court of Honour, President of the Section, Deputy President of the Section and Secretary General of the Section.

By the same analogy are the names of the central bodies of Regional Clubs (Regions).

Article 26

Regional Clubs (*Regions*), constituted in accordance with Article 7 and 16 of this Statute, have their own Statutes that must be in compliance with this Statue. Regional Clubs (*Regions*) are represented by the President, Deputy President and Secretary General, and the rights and obligations are executed by Regional Clubs (*Regions*) through their representatives in the bodies of the Section.

THE ASSEMBLY OF THE SECTION

Article 27

The Assembly is the highest body of the IPA-Section Croatia.

The mandate of the Assembly shall be 4 (four) years and may be renewed.

The Assembly convocation is composed of members of the Executive Board of the IPA-Section Croatia (by functions) and representatives of Regional Clubs (*Regions*) – delegates selected by the Assembly of Regional Clubs (*Regions*) in such a way that each club individually choose three (3) representatives – delegates.



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The Assembly decides on all important issues for the activity of the Section and all matters regarding the determination and implementation of the objectives and tasks of the Section.

The Assembly regularly convenes once a year, or when needed, and is convened by the President of the Section by submitting written invitation to the Assembly members at least (30) thirty days prior to the meeting.

Electoral Assembly is held every 4 (four) years.

In the case of the expiration of the mandate of the persons authorized to convene the Assembly, the Assembly may be convened by a 1/3 of Section's Members.

Article 28

Extraordinary Assembly shall be convened by the President of the Section on a proposal of at least a 1/3 of all Regional Clubs (*Regions*) with immediate agenda motion.

The President of the Section shall convene an Extraordinary Assembly within 30 (thirty) days from the date of application, and if this is not done, an Extraordinary Assembly may be convened by proponents.

At the Extraordinary Assembly shall be discussed only in accordance with the proposed agenda.

Article 29

The Assembly can validly decide if at least half of the Assembly members – representatives of Section's Members are present.

The Assembly makes decisions by a majority of all members present, by open ballot.

Decisions regarding the modification of the Statute, the Rules of Procedure of the Assembly, as well as the termination of the Section can only be taken by a 2/3 majority of the Assembly members present.



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Article 30

The invitation for the meeting must contain information on the place and time of the meeting and the agenda motion. With the invitation, materials on issues on the agenda shall also be delivered.

Article 31

The Assembly of the Section:

- adopts and amends the Statute,
- adopts other general act necessary for the activity of the Section,
- elects and dismisses members of the Executive Board, the Supervisory Board, and the Court of Honour,
- considers and adopts the annual report on the work of the Section,
- adopts the financial plan and the annual financial report,
- appoints and revokes the Liquidator,
- decides on the exclusion of Members set in the Statute of the Section,
- decides on the participation of the Section in the work of national and international organizations,
- elects 2 (two) delegates to participate at the IPA World Congress and meetings of the IEC,
- decides on cooperation with other organizations,
- resolves and decides on the proposals and complaints of members of the Section in the second instance,
- decides on the appointments of honorary members of the IPA,
- decides on other issues of relevance to the work of the Section established by this Statute which are not under the jurisdiction of another body,
- decides on the termination of the Section and decides on the Section's assets.

Article 32

The Assembly of the Section may revoke and dismiss members of the Executive Board, Supervisory Board, Court of Honour, the President, Deputy President, Secretary General as well as Treasurer before the expiry of term which they were elected to if they exceed their authority or fail to carry out consciously the obligations assigned to them, as well as if they do not act in accordance with this Statute.

The competent body of a Section's Member may, for reasons specified in paragraph 1 of this Article, withdraw its representative in the Assembly of the Section, and if the representative is a member of the Executive Board by function at the same time, it also stops his mandate as a member of the Board. The mandate of a



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new representative sent by a Section's Member shall last until the end of the revoked member, and if the revoked member is a member of the Executive Board by function, the Assembly elects a new member of the Executive Board whose mandate lasts until the end of the mandate of the convocation of the Board to which he was elected.

Each member of the Executive Board, Supervisory Board and the Court of Honour, the President and Deputy President may request his own dismissal before the expiration of the mandate for which he was elected, providing that he is obliged to perform his duties until the decision on dismissal. The Assembly shall make a decision on the request for dismissal on a new session.

If the Assembly dismisses individual members of the bodies of the Section, the Assembly shall elect new members of the bodies of the Section for a period until the end of the mandate of the bodies in which convocation they were elected.

If the Assembly dismisses the entire Executive Board, the Assembly shall elect a new one for a period until the end of the mandate.

If all the bodies of the Section are dismissed, new bodies with a new mandate shall be elected.

THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

Article 33

The Executive Board is operational and executive body of the Section and it consists of members elected and delegated from among the members of Regional Clubs (*Regions*).

Article 34

The Executive Board consists of 11 (eleven) members elected to the following functions: the President of the Section, the Deputy President of the Section, 4 (four) Vice-Presidents of the Section, Secretary General, Assistant Secretary General, IEC delegate, Treasurer and a permanent Recording Secretary, as well as of delegated members — a president of each Regional Club (*Region*), but if he has already been a member of the Executive Board by function, then it is a member of the Regional Club (*Region*) who substitutes him.



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When resolving individual cases in its work, the Executive Board also invites other representatives of Regional Clubs (*Regions*).

Article 35

Members of the Executive Board shall be elected by the selection of the list for all functions submitted to the Assembly by the holder of the list with an explanation of references for each of the proposed members and a activities plan of for the upcoming The mandate of the Executive Board by functions is 4 (four) years with the possibility of re-election. For its work, the Executive **Board** is responsible to the Assembly Section. The Executive Board, Supervisory Board, or a 1/3 of Section's Members can also prior to the expiry of the mandate of the members of the Executive Board propose their revocation.

Article 36

The Executive Board of the Section:

- manages the work of the Section between the two Assemblies,
- defines the proposal and amendments to the Statute,
- submits a report on its work to the Assembly,
- decides on the membership fee,
- takes care on informing the members and the public,
- establishes committees, commissions and other bodies to help achieving the objectives of the Section on the implementation of this Statute,
- represents the Section on national and international level in the case of absence of the President or the Secretary General,
- prepares the work program and takes care of its realization, and proposes its implementation,
- previously discusses on certain issues within the competence of the Assembly of the Section,
- coordinates the work of Regional Clubs (*Regions*) in carrying out tasks assigned to them, performs all other activities put under its authority by the Assembly,
- decides on other issues relevant for the work of the Section established by this Statute which are not under the jurisdiction of other bodies.

Article 37



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The Executive Board Meetings are held as appropriate. The meeting may be held if the majority of the Executive Board members are present, and valid decisions are made by a majority of votes of the present members of the Executive Board.

The Executive Board Meetings are led by the President, Deputy President or Secretary General.

THE PRESIDENT, DEPUTY PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY GENERAL

Article 38

The President, Deputy President and Secretary General represent the Section at home and abroad, and they manage the work of the Executive Board.

The President of the Section is also a member and a chairman of the Executive Board of the Section,

- is responsible for the legality of the Section,
- convenes and presides over meetings of the Assembly of the Section,
- manages the work of the Section in accordance with decisions of the Executive Board and the Assembly,
- is responsible for submitting the annual financial report to the Assembly,
- submits the minute of the regular meeting of the Assembly of the Section to the competent office, which keeps the Register of Associations,
- concludes contracts and undertakes other legal actions on behalf of the Section,
- call elections for all bodies of the Section at least 30 days prior to the expiry of the mandate,
- performs other tasks in accordance with the law and Section's regulations.

The Deputy President of the Section:

- represents the Section in the event of absence or temporary inability of the President,
- replaces the President in all affairs,
- coordinates the work of all members of the Executive Board on the implementation of the activity plan of the Section and Section's Members.

Secretary General of the Section:



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- represents the Section in the event of absence or temporary inability of the President and Deputy President in all affairs,
- executes all operational activities on behalf of the Section,
- keeps records of membership of the Section, according to the Law on Associations of the Republic of Croatia,
- takes care of informing the membership.

Written reports on the Section management shall be signed by the President and Secretary General, while the financial sheets shall be signed by the President and Treasurer.

The President, Deputy President and Secretary General are responsible for their work to the Assembly and Executive Board of the Section.

SUPERVISORY BOARD

Article 39

The Supervisory Board of the Section is composed of a chairman and 2 (two) members elected among the representatives of Regional Clubs (*Regions*) by the Assembly of the Section for a period of 4 years.

During the mandate, the members of the Supervisory Board are not allowed to have any other functions in the Section.

The Supervisory Board is responsible for supervising the management of the Section and the financial status of the Section.

The Supervisory Board shall have insight to all business and financial records of the Section. A record on the performed insight shall be made to which at least 2 (two) members of the Supervisory Board will attend.

The Executive Board and the Assembly of the Section shall be informed on performed insight.

In cases of urgency, the Supervisory Board may call a meeting of the Executive Board which must be convened within one month of a submitted request.



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The Executive Board, or a 1/3 of the Section's Members, can also prior to the expiry of the mandate of the members of the Supervisory Board propose their revocation to the Assembly.

The Supervisory Board is accountable for its work to the Assembly of the Section.

COURT OF HONOUR

Article 40

The Court of Honour consists of the chairman and 2 (two) members.

The mandate of the members of the Court of Honour shall be 4 (four) years, with the possibility of re-election.

During the mandate, the members of the Court of Honour are not allowed to have other functions in the Section.

The Executive Board, Supervisory Board, or a 1/3 of Section's Members can also prior to the expiry of the mandate of the members of the Court of Honour propose their revocation to the Assembly.

The Court of Honour is accountable for its work to the Assembly.

Article 41

The Court of Honour is competent to resolve disputes related to breaches of the Statute and other regulations of the Section, disputes between Section's Members, and dealing with appeals against judgements of the Courts of Honour of Regional Clubs (*Regions*) adjudicating in the first instance.

The Section passes Regulations on disciplinary liability.

Article 42

The Court of Honour may impose the following measures:



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- warning,
- a public warning,
- exclusion from the Section,
- to confirm or reverse the decision of the courts of the first instance, or to return it for a retrial,
- to adopt a resolution on the enforcement of obligations of Section's Members towards the Section and the ones of a Regional Club (*Region*) towards the other Regional Club (*Region*).

The written decision on the imposed measure shall be made. A Section's Member or a member of the Section to which the decision relates may submit a complaint upon which the Assembly decides.

The decision made in the second instance is final.

IEC DELEGATE

Article 43

IEC delegate participates in the sessions of the IEC and IPA Congresses in accordance with the Statute of the international organisation.

TITLE VII

Material and financial management of the Section

Article 44

The assets of the Section consist of revenues realized by membership fees, voluntary contributions, donations, grants, and other income.



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The Section has its own material, basic and working capital.

Article 46

The Section manages the assets in accordance with the regulations on material and financial management of non-profit organizations.

The Section keeps records about its assets.

Treasurer of the Section is accountable for the legality of financial management.

Article 47

The Section does business through a giro account of the Section at an authorized organization for payment transactions.

Article 48

Financial and material sheets are signed by the President and Treasurer, or persons authorized by the Executive Board.

The execution of the financial plan of the Section determines the President of the Section, or Secretary General in the case of absence of the President, or 1 (one) authorized member in the case of absence of the President or Secretary General.

Article 49

Cash assets may be used in accordance with the accepted financial plan and program of work of the Section.

The use of cash assets controls the Supervisory Board once a year.

The report on completed fiscal year, final account, as well as plan and program of the budget for the next period adopts the Executive Board of the Section.



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TITLE VIII

ELECTION AND REVOCATION OF THE LIQUIDATOR OF THE SECTION

Article 50

The Liquidator of the Section is elected and revoked by the Assembly on the proposal of the Executive Board.

The Liquidator is a natural or legal entity and is registered in the register of associations as a liquidator. The Liquidator does not have to be a member of the Section.

The Liquidator represents the Section in the liquidation proceedings and, by opening of the liquidation procedure, registers himself into the Register of Associations as a person authorized to represent the Section until the completion of the liquidation and removal of the Section from the Register of Associations.

The Liquidator is obliged to comply with all legal obligations and to respect the deadlines prescribed by the Law in the event of termination of the Section.

TITLE IX

TERMINATION OF THE SECTION

Article 51

The Section ceases to exist:

- by decision of the Assembly, adopted by the a 2/3 of votes of the members of the Assembly,
- by decision of the competent government body,
- in cases where the total membership in Regional Clubs (Regions) has less than 20 (twenty) members,
- if it is found that it has ceased to be active,
- if it has elapsed twice as much time for holding the Assembly from the time determined by this Statute, and it was not held.



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Article 52

In the event of termination of the Section, after settling the creditors and the costs of liquidation, as well as judicial and other proceedings, the assets of the Section shall be transferred to the association, institution or foundation which has the same or similar statutory objectives, based on the decision of the Assembly in accordance to the Statute.

TITLE X

THE STATUTE AND OTHER GENERAL ACTS

Article 53

The Statute is the fundamental general act of the Section and all other general acts must be in compliance with the provisions of the Statute.

Each Regional Club (*Region*) has its own Statute, which must be in compliance with the Statute of the Section that will be determined the Executive Board of the Section.

The Executive Board of the Section prepares and determines a draft of amendments to the Statute and sends it for discussion to Regional Clubs (*Regions*).

The Executive Board of the Section considers the complaints as well as suggestions presented in the discussion, takes a position on them and establishes Statute motion.

Article 54

The interpretation of the provisions of the Statute provides the Executive Board of the Section of which it shall submit the report to the Assembly at its next meeting.



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All the internal affairs of the Section, as well as other issues that are not regulated by the Statute, which require detailed elaboration, shall be regulated by general acts passed by the Assembly of the Section.

General acts of the Sections shall be adopted and modified analogously to the procedure for adoption and amendments of the Statute, with the exception of the obligation of delivering a general act motion to the members of the Section.

TITLE XI

TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS

Article 56

The Executive Board, at the proposal of Regional Clubs (*Regions*), makes a proposal to the Assembly of the Section which can make a decision to assign plaques, medals, awards and acknowledgements to individuals, bodies and legal entities for the successful implementation of the agenda, as well as for achieving the innovation in the field of police profession.

Article 57

The Statute shall be personally signed along the designation of function by the authorized representative of the Section.

Article 58

The structure of the Section established by this Statute must be put into effect within (1) one year from the date of the adoption of the Statute.

All other general acts shall be passed within (1) one year from the date of the adoption of the Statute.



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This Statute enters into force on the date of its adoption while the Statute of the Section adopted on October 27, 2001 and all its subsequent amendments cease to be valid.

Secretary General

The President

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