



International Council of Police Representative Associations

Objects

The objects of ICPRA shall be:

- (a) to promote the rights, efficiency and welfare of Police Officers worldwide;
- (b) to foster and assist in the establishment of police representative associations across the world;
- (c) to secure the participation of, and influence of ICPRA members in the administration, development and planning of international policing initiatives;
- (d) to cooperate with like organizations;
- (e) to promote international improvements in policing methods and the standard of policing; and
- (f) to enhance the professional standing of members of ICPRA.

Membership

- Membership of ICPRA will be restricted to national police representative associations.
- Notwithstanding the above, any decision on membership or observer status shall be taken by existing members of ICPRA.
- Annually each member organization will be issued with a membership plaque signifying membership of ICPRA.

Funding

- ICPRA by mutual agreement of the member associations may agree to share costs of the organization.
- A reasonable registration fee may be charged to the conference attendees. By mutual agreement the member associations may share any additional costs of the conference.

Executive Committee

- The Chair of ICPRA will be nominated biennially by the host organization of the next ICPRA conference.
- During the ICPRA conference a Secretariat will be appointed for a two (2) year period and a committee of six (6) will be elected ICPRA Chair and nominated Secretariat will be part of that committee of six (6). Four (4) to be elected by the ICPRA delegates. Such committee would be tasked with liaising re ICPRA issues and actions between meetings.
- No financial compensation will be provided for Secretariat, Chair or committee members.
- The agenda for meetings should be developed by the Committee
- All logistical responsibilities (booking venue, meals etc) for running the meeting should be the responsibility of the host jurisdiction.

Meetings

- ICPRA conferences will be held biennially.
- At each conference the member organizations will determine the host of the following ICPRA conference.
- There will be two (2) delegates per member organization, however, there shall be no restriction on the number of officials allowed to attend from member organizations.

Branding of ICPRA

- An ICPRA logo may developed by the incoming committee (2006).
- The incoming committee may be tasked with identifying, and where appropriate, liaising of ICPRA with other organizations.
- International Council of Police Representative Associations (ICPRA) – Conseil International des représentants d'associations policières (CIRAP)

Web site

- An ICPRC website may be developed –
 - a. Website to contain provision for an email to all affiliates each time something is updated on the site.
 - b. Consideration could be given to having a secure section on the site for material to be posted that is not for general public viewing.

Strategic Direction

- The ICPRC committee be tasked with developing a “draft” strategic plan for consideration. Such plan should include:
 - a. The identification of key international policing issues.
 - b. Strategies in relation to dealing with those issues from an international perspective.
 - c. The research capacity of our organizations and the identification and collation of research that has already been undertaken on those issues identified.
 - d. A communication strategy as to whom and what is ICPRC and what are its objectives. Communications strategy should include advising members of ICPRC as well as a wider plan for international media and relevant groups.
 - e. Identification of and establishing liaison with identified international policing and related bodies to build credibility and relevance of ICPRC.

Journal

- The ICPRC committee be tasked with developing a discussion paper re the possible development of an ICPRC Journal.

International Policing Voice

- The ICPRC committee be tasked with developing a discussion paper on how ICPRC can assume the International Policing Voice.