

Law Enforcement Intelligence Unit RESOLUTION

In Support of The National Criminal Intelligence Sharing Plan

WHEREAS, the Law Enforcement Intelligence Unit (LEIU), founded in 1956, is the oldest law enforcement association dedicated to the sharing of criminal intelligence and the advancement of professional criminal intelligence standards and practices; and

WHEREAS, since its inception, the members of the LEIU have recognized the critical need for local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies to be involved in the process of collection, analysis, and dissemination of criminal intelligence; and

WHEREAS, the LEIU recognizes the terrorist attacks on the United States on September 11, 2001, tragically underscored the importance of sharing criminal intelligence; and

WHEREAS, by invitation of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), members of the LEIU Executive Board participated in the IACP Criminal Intelligence Sharing Summit in March of 2002; and

WHEREAS, the findings of that Summit, issued in a report in August of 2002, led to the creation of the Global Intelligence Working Group; and

WHEREAS, the Global Intelligence Working Group created the National Intelligence Sharing Plan in October 2003; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the LEIU strongly supports the National Criminal Intelligence Sharing Plan as a valuable tool to enhance and support methods of collecting, analyzing, and disseminating criminal intelligence, and that the LEIU encourages all law enforcement agencies to utilize this tool in creating and/or improving their efforts in the field of criminal intelligence.

Adopted at the Meeting of the LEIU Executive Board on May 6, 2004

R.W. Wright

LEIU General Chairman