

FIFTH MEETING OF MINISTERS OF JUSTICE  
OR OF MINISTERS OF ATTORNEYS GENERAL  
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RECOGNITION TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE OAS

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THE FIFTH MEETING OF MINISTERS OF JUSTICE OR OF MINISTERS OR ATTORNEYS  
GENERAL OF THE AMERICAS,

EMPHASIZING that the Secretary General of the Organization of American States (OAS), Mr.  
César Gaviria Trujillo, by virtue of the powers granted to him by the Charter of this Organization, proposed  
and presided over, with effort, dedication, and care, the holding of the Meetings of Ministers of Justice or  
of Ministers or Attorneys General of the Americas (REMJA);

BEARING IN MIND that the General Assembly by means of Resolution AG/RES 1482 (XXVII-  
O/97), when highlighting the importance of this initiative, convened the First “meeting of ministers of  
justice, or of ministers or attorneys general with competence in this area, to consider issues contributing to  
enhanced legal and judicial cooperation in the Americas”; and

RECALLING that these ministerial meetings have been esteemed and endorsed by the Heads of  
State and Government on occasion of the Summits of the Americas,

RESOLVES:

1. To extend its gratitude to Mr. César Gaviria Trujillo, Secretary General of the Organization of American States, for his valuable and important initiative of institutionalizing, in the framework of this Organization, the Meetings of the Ministers of Justice or of Ministers or Attorneys Generals of the Americas (REMJA.).

2. To request the President of the Fifth Meeting of Ministers of Justice or of Ministers or Attorneys General of the Americas to kindly transmit the present resolution to the Secretary General of the OAS.