

International Association for Identification

1997 Resolutions & Legislative Committee

James Gettemy, Chairperson



RESOLUTION 97-9

WHEREAS the members of the International Association for Identification assembled at their 82nd Annual Training Conference in Danvers, Massachusetts on August 1, 1997, wish to formally recognize that just as color film was a normal progression of the technological evolution of imaging from black and white film, electronic/digital imaging is a normal progression of the technological evolution of imaging from silver-halide based film, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the International Association for Identification recognizes that electronic/digital imaging is a scientifically valid and proven technology for recording, enhancing, and printing images and like conventional silver-halide based photography, it is accepted by professional commercial photographers, law enforcement photographers, and the identification community. Further, like silver-halide based photography, the quality and reliability of an electronic/digital image is dependant upon the technical specifications of the equipment, the quality control procedures, and the training, experience and ability of the photographer or imaging specialist.

and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be published in the Association's official publication.

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