



**24<sup>th</sup> General Assembly**  
November 1<sup>st</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023  
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

## **Resolution 21**

### **RECOGNITION AND CONGRATULATIONS FOR THE AMERICAS REGIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS ON GLOBAL GEOSPATIAL INFORMATION MANAGEMENT (UN-GGIM: Américas) UPON ITS 10<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY**

The 24<sup>th</sup> General Assembly of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History (PAIGH), held in the city of Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic,

#### **Considering:**

- The fact that, in accordance with Resolution N.º 3 of the 6<sup>th</sup> United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference of the Americas (UNRCC-Americas), held in New York, from the 2<sup>nd</sup> to the 6<sup>th</sup> of June 1997, the Permanent Committee for the Spatial Data Infrastructure of the Americas (CP-IDEA) was established;
- The fact that, in the framework of the 9<sup>th</sup> Cartographic Conference of the Americas, the Secretariat of the United Nations presented a report about the global coordination of the management of geospatial information for the approval of the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations (ECOSOC); in this way the United Nations Committee of Experts on Global Geospatial Information Management (UN-GGIM) was created in the month of July, 2011;
- The fact that, for the achievement of the objectives of the UN-GGIM, the building of a regional architecture was necessary by means of the creation of Regional Committees; for this reason, in 2013, CP-IDEA was converted into the Americas Regional Committee of the United Nations Committee of Experts on Global Geospatial Information Management (UN-GGIM: Americas);
- The fact that, on the basis of the parallel activities performed by the PAIGH and UN-GGIM: Americas, within the framework of a regional SDI being set up to strengthen the development of each of the Member States, it is necessary to consolidate support for an organization which, for more than ten years, has been backing the integration of geospatial information in the Americas with significant achievements in the Member States;
- That recommended by the Administrative Policy Committee and by the Resolutions Coordinating Committee,



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**Resolves:**

To give congratulations to UN-GGIM: Americas, upon the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of its labors and for its valuable contribution to strengthening national capability for geospatial information of national, regional and international organizations.

*“Science in the Service of Peace”*

This Resolution was adopted at the 24<sup>th</sup> General Assembly of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History (PAIGH), held and recorded in the city of Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic on November the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023.

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