



50th Meeting of the Directing Council

Virtual modality, October, 7, 2020



RESOLUTION No. 5

150th ANNIVERSARY OF THE NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC INSTITUTE OF SPAIN

The 50th Meeting of the Directing Council of the Pan American Institute for Geography and History (PAIGH), in its virtual mode,

CONSIDERING:

The fact that, since 1994 the Kingdom of Spain has been a Permanent Observer of the PAIGH, with its National Geographic Institute (IGN) sustaining the link that the PAIGH has with that country;

The invaluable contribution received throughout the last 26 years from the IGN in tasks involving training, guidance and advice, also participation in the execution of projects;

The invitation from the IGN as host of the 50th Meeting of the Directing Council of the PAIGH, which could no longer take place in Spain due to the pandemic;

The fact that on the 12th of September, 2020, the IGN has celebrated 150 years since its foundation;

The recommendations of the 94th Meeting of the Authorities,

RESOLVES TO:

1. Give thanks to the Kingdom of Spain and in particular to the National Geographic Institute, for the valuable support received since its inclusion as a Permanent Observer Country of the PAIGH.
2. Congratulate the National Geographic Institute on the occasion of its 150th Anniversary and express certainty that it will continue to develop permanently over the coming years.
3. Continue to encourage and strengthen the links for scientific-technical cooperation existing between the National Geographic Institute of Spain and the Pan American Institute for Geography and History, focusing on proactive, innovative and synergistic approaches.