



48th Meeting of the Directing Council

Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia, October 22-26, 2018

RESOLUTION N° 24

**APPRECIATION EXPRESSED TO THE MILITARY GEOGRAPHIC INSTITUTE OF ECUADOR
FOR THE SUPPORT GIVEN TO PARAGUAY
IN THE PROJECT FOR THE INTEGRATED MAP OF SOUTH AMERICA**

The 48th Meeting of the Directing Council of the Pan-American Institute for Geography and History (PAIGH),

CONSIDERING:

The support provided by the Military Geographic Institute of Ecuador to the Head Office of the Military Geographic Service of Paraguay in the conversion of the 1:250,000 scale cartography of Paraguay to digital media for the Integrated Map of South America (MIAS);

The recorded occasion of delivery and reception at which the Head Office of the Military Geographic Service of Paraguay and the Pan-American Institute for Geography and History were present, concerning a digital file in BDG (.mdb) format that contains a continuous base, with a topological structure and ten (10) layers of information set up in accordance with the MIAS object catalogue, corresponding to 27 maps at 1:250,000 scale of the Republic of Paraguay;

The aim of encouraging the other PAIGH Member States to ensure coordinated and collaborative work;

The recommendations of the 90th Meeting of the Authorities and of the Scientific Policy Committee,

RESOLVES TO:

1. Express appreciation to the Military Geographic Institute of Ecuador for having converted to digital media the 27 map sheets of the cartography at 1:250,000 scale of the Republic of Paraguay.
2. Recognize the work of the Military Geographic Institute of Ecuador as an example of effective cooperation, solidarity and commitment for the PAIGH member countries.
3. Instruct the General Secretariat to manage, through technical and academic organizations, the implementation of cooperation and knowledge transfer processes that benefit those PAIGH member countries that collaborate, such as Ecuador.

