International Centre for the Prevention of Crime

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Organization's mandate/goals:

The ICPC was created for the purpose of assisting cities and countries to reduce delinquency, violence and insecurity. In order to contribute to the resolution of local crime and insecurity problems, ICPC encourages the use of best practices in crime prevention gleaned from Europe, North America, and other regions of the world.

Areas of expertise relevant to 2001 UN Conference on Small Arms:

Consultation, Co-operation and Information Exchange -- Information sharing among relevant institutions, including the establishment of relevant coordination agencies

The ICPC works in collaboration with city associations, prevention agencies, the private sector, as well as governmental, regional, and international agencies. The activities of ICPC are supported by the governments of, Canada, France, the Ivory Coast, the Netherlands, Portugal, South Africa, the United Kingdom, the United States of America and the province of Quebec.