



RESOLUTION

Preserve the Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the United States maintain close partnership with other countries that share the Western Hemisphere; and

WHEREAS, it is crucial to our own security that a spirit of international trust and cooperation exist to develop and enhance those partnerships; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Defense established the Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation (WHINSEC), formerly called the School of the Americas, located at Fort Benning, Georgia for that purpose;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that The Military Order of the World Wars in National Convention, in Columbus, Georgia, July 29–August 3, 2008, expresses its strong support and appreciation to WHINSEC for its significant contribution to the security of the United States and the Western Hemisphere.