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Delegates Report

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Is it linked to IKD? Yes  
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Association Membership Criteria:  
main professional activity only. All activities of bodyguard, security guard and fund transport are forbidden. Licence for the individual + licence for the company required.

Comments on Association Activities, if any:  
Since 2012, SNARP is recognized as the main private investigator's association in France and is fully cooperating with the regulators. Our President Mr. Deryn seats on the board of the regulating authority as representant of professional investigators.



Total No. of Members: 192

Is there a Government License? : Yes

If yes, under what authority? : Government control body under jurisdiction of the Ministry of Homeland security

Name of Licensing Regulator: CNAPS (Conseil National des Activités de Sécurité Privées)

Have the regulations for licensing been altered since 2013? YES

If yes, specify: card number for employees – mandatory training – renewal of licences every 5 years

Comments on Regulation, if any:

The regulation and licensing process is now fully operational in France. All professionals legally allowed to practise have been delivered two licence numbers. One is individual the other is for each registered agency operating.

The figures from the licensing authority are now available in details:

- number of individual licences for P.I.'s : 683
- number of licensed agencies: 1,068
- number of employees card: 5,025

The most important update this year regarding regulations is that the continued education (or ongoing training) has become mandatory for every P.I., every 5 years.

That is why SNARP has created a P.I. school several years back, the "ESARP". This school is now fully operational and the first session of preliminary training (for new P.I.s) has started in 2017. A partnership was signed with the Police Academy of St Cyr l'Ecole.

SNARP is proud to be represented at the CNAPS National College, chaired by Alain BAUER, acting as a management board but also in the National Licensing and Inspection Commission (CNAC) that oversees compliance with the general guidelines set by the CNAPS.

Respectfully submitted,

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France delegate