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Office of the Attorney General of the Republic Unifies the Council of the Order

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Resolution 2362, issued by the Office of the Attorney General of the Republic (hereinafter the Resolution), was published on Dec. 6, 2022, in the *Official Gazette* No. 45,520, ordering to unify awards and medals presented to the "Council of Order" by the Public Ministry.

According to the Resolution, the structure of the Council of the Order will be comprised of the following positions:

- Attorney General of the Republic
- Director of the Office of the Attorney General
- Director of the General Secretariat
- General Director of Legal Services
- General Director Against Corruption
- General Administrative Director
- General Director Against Common Crimes
- General Director of Family and Women
- General Director of Human Rights
- General Director of Support for Criminal Investigation
- General Director Against Organized Crime
- Director of Human Resources
- Director of Institutional Relations

Article 3 of the Resolution establishes that the Council of the Order will be chaired by the Attorney General of the Republic. Likewise, the Director of the General Secretariat will be the Chancellor of Orders.

On the other hand, and in accordance with Article 4 of the Resolution, the Director of Human Resources and the Director of Institutional Relations will have a voice but not the right to vote within the Council of the Order.

Finally, the Resolution ordered the revocation of the following Committees of the Order, related to the following medals or awards:

- Order of Merit of the Public Ministry
- Dr. Esteban Agudo Freytes Order of Merit
- Citizen Merit Medal
- Dr. Juan Germán Roscio Star Order of the Public Ministry
- Danilo Anderson Order of Merit
- Félix Mercádez Vargas Order of Merit
- Boris Bossio Barceló Order of Merit
- Matías Camuñas Medal

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