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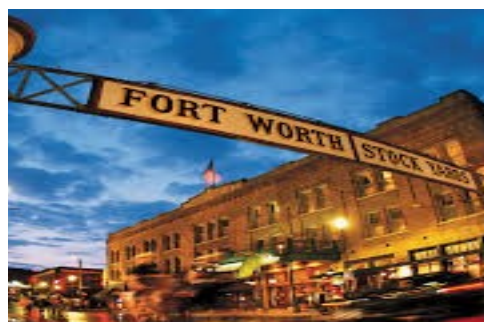
This edition of Auto Theft Today is dedicated to our
sponsors. *Without their generous support, our
conferences would never be successful. Please take a mo-
ment to go to page 3 for a complete listing. For more infor-
mation, please visit their websites.*

Also, while at the conference in **Fort
Worth** *next month, please take some
time to visit the Exhibitor's Hall. Many of our
sponsors will have their displays set up for
several days; please take a minute to thank
them for their continued support.*



See you in Fort Worth, Texas
August 17 - 22, 2014

For IAATI's 62nd Annual Training Seminar!



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Editor's Note ...

Conference Seminars

CATI Training Seminar
September 21-25, 2014



European Branch Seminar
October 1 - 3, 2014



Western
Seminar

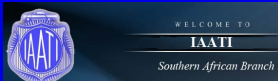
October 5  - 8, 2014

South Central / TAVTI
Seminar



October 14 - 18, 2014

South African Seminar
October 29 - 31, 2014



Welcome to the **July** **2014 edition**

of the *Auto Theft*
Today E-Newsletter.

For updated information on IAATI's Training Seminar in **Fort Worth**, click on links on the front page *Auto Theft Today*.

New items in this month's issue include information about our **Sponsors** and as always, the latest links to breaking auto theft related news.

If you are an existing member or would like to serve on the **IAATI board**, please go to page 7 for information regarding the upcoming year.

Please **continue to submit articles** and news items related to auto theft!

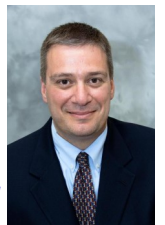
Chris

**CLICK
HERE...**

This newsletter is designed to provide the reader with links to the related information. Click on pictures or underlined words to see!



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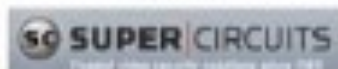
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IAATI announces their
17th annual European
conference, October
26-28, 2014 In Tallinn,
Estonia.

[Click here for more
information](#)

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YOUR ARTICLES

Please send in your ar-
ticles for inclusion in
the next issue to:

enews@iaati.org



IN THE NEWS

[JULY is National Vehicle Theft Protection Month](#)

[Many Vehicular Arson Cases Difficult to Solve](#)

[Officers Injured; Stolen Tesla Spilt in Half](#)

[Stolen Race Car Recovered in Pieces](#)

[Is This the Home of the Stolen Hondas?](#)

[Highland Coach Sentenced in Auto Theft Ring](#)

[Tracker Network Uncovers Vehicle Chop Shop](#)

[Four People Charged Following Probe into Organized Auto Theft](#)

[Auckland 'Chop Shop' Busted](#)

[Here are the Worst Car Theft Cities—Look Out Californians](#)

[22 Arrested in New Mexico for Operating a National Car Theft Ring](#)

[Texas DMV Uses National Title Database](#)

[Sheriff Busts Chop Shops](#)

[York Regional Police Recover more than \\$1 Million Worth of Stolen Merchandise](#)

[Two Men Arrested in Connection to Construction Equipment Theft Ring](#)

[Mercedes SUVs Disappear as Thieves Target New Jersey, NY](#)

Thanks to Bob Jagoe & Jack Simpson for submitting articles

NW3C: Online Salvage Vehicle Auction Fraud

Now available as a webinar!!!

[Click here to go to the website.](#)



Fraud Solutions **now.**

For additional training offered continuously
by NICB, please go to:

<http://www.nicbtraining.org/>

NEW!!!

Click on the VIN logo below to
read the Australasian Branch's
online newsletter!

IAATI Australasian Branch



VIN

Vehicle Investigator News

[Where in the World?]

Ever wonder where IAATI members
come from? What countries are
represented?

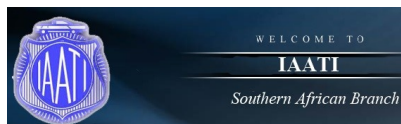


Click on the map to see!



To learn more about your
IAATI Board members, [click
here to see biographies.](#)

Chapter & Branch Websites



Keep up to date with equipment theft. Check out NER's newsletter, [The Equipment Theft Quarterly](#), for more information.

ATPA

Do you want to learn more about an ATPA? Interested in starting an ATPA? Then visit IAATI's ATPA Committee website for more information!

www.combatautotheft.org

NMVTIS Law Enforcement Guide

The American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators (AAMVA) and the Bureau of Justice Assistance have completed a NMVTIS Law Enforcement Guide tri-fold to use for educating and training Law Enforcement Investigators. The guide provides the Law Enforcement Investigator with valuable information on NMVTIS including:



- How Law Enforcement obtains access to NMVTIS;
- Types of businesses required to report to NMVTIS;
- How the businesses report to NMVTIS;
- How to verify a business is registered to report to NMVTIS;
- Explains the penalties for a business not reporting to NMVTIS;
- Provides information for the NVMTIS data consolidators; and
- Provides the information on how to report an NMVTIS violator.

AAMVA has made the guide available for viewing or downloading from the Law Enforcement section of the vehiclehistory.gov website. The new NMVTIS guide will be a new tool that should help IAATI members educate themselves and train their own agency's officers on this federally mandated program.

Submitted by Les Cravens

[To View or Download the guide, click here...](#)

Do You Need to Renew Your Membership or Do You Know Someone That Wants to Become an IAATI Member?

Print this page or [click on this link to download the form.](#)



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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP/RENEWAL

NAME _____ MEMBER#(Renewals) _____

HOME ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE/PROVINCE _____

ZIP/POSTAL CODE _____ CODE/COUNTRY _____

AGENCY OR BUSINESS NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE/PROVINCE _____

ZIP/POSTAL CODE _____ CODE/COUNTRY _____

OCCUPATION _____ RANK/TITLE _____

PHONES: HOME() _____ WORK() _____ FAX() _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

If you belong to an IAATI Regional Chapter(s) and/or State(s) Theft Association, Please list here:

If you are retired from a Law Enforcement agency:

Date Retired: _____ Name of Agency _____

MAIL CORRESPONDENCES TO: BUSINESS ADDRESS ☐ HOME ADDRESS ☐

THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED FOR ALL NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

Recommending Member/Supervisor: _____

Title/Position: _____ IAATI Member # _____

Telephone: () _____

ALL INFORMATION WILL BE VERIFIED BY AN IAATI REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE
PRIOR TO THE PROCESSING OF THE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION BY IAATI.

INSTRUCTIONS: Mail completed application, along with check, money order or credit card information to:

IAATI EXECUTIVE OFFICES P.O. Box # 223, Clinton, NY 13323-0223

Make checks payable to IAATI

Payment of dues must accompany membership application - All payments must be in U.S. Funds. Dues are \$ 45.00 for a new member and \$ 40.00 for renewals. Visa, Master Card, Discover and American Express accepted.

Credit Card # _____ Expiration Date _____

Card Holders Name _____ Signature _____

IAATI Nominating Committee

M e m o r a n d u m

TO: CANDIDATES FOR 2014-2015 IAATI BOARD
FROM: John P O'Byrne, CHAIRMAN
DATE: June 16, 2014
SUBJECT: "NOMINATION REQUEST"

The Nominating Committee for 2014-20125 will review all incumbent candidates via short memos received from each candidate and distributed to the committee in the same manner that has been done for the past several years. This system has worked well and will allow the Committee to begin the review process before the Fort Worth seminar leaving more available time for new candidates and other seminar activities. I urge each member of our organization to encourage participation in the election process of the IAATI Board of Directors.

I invite all of those interested in serving our organization in a leadership role to submit a short memo outlining their continued interest in and qualifications for the respective seat that they are pursuing on the Board. Therefore, I request that each candidate submit by email (recommended), letter, or fax a brief but concise "statement of Intent" which will be distributed to and used by the committee on the basis of our nominee selections. This request extends to ALL appointed (excluding Committee Chairs) and elected positions.

These statements should include information addressing general issues which should include:

- * *Position being sought and understanding of the duties involved;*
- * *IAATI seminars attended during the recent years;*
- * *Number of years served on the Board and/or in appointed positions;*
- * *Present and future status of your position within your current organization/company;*
- * *Why you believe you are the ideal candidate for that position.*
- * *Your accomplishments in the current term*

**You should also consider providing ideas on some of the following issues:*

- *How the organization may be improved;*
- *Ways of expanding membership in IAATI;*
- *Chapter/branch and affiliate organizations relations;*
- *APB Magazine enhancements;*
- *Views on our internet activities and ways to expand use;*
- ***Any nominations you may have for available interested talent for Board position.***

Again, I would request that your response be timely and relatively short. Please send to:

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In e-mailed submissions please note "IAATI Nomination" in the subject line. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me and THANK YOU for your interest and cooperation.

Please submit no later than August 1, 2014.