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## **INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND GENETIC RESOURCES, TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE AND FOLKLORE**

**Twelfth Session**  
**Geneva, February 25 to 29, 2008**

DRAFT AGENDA

*prepared by the Secretariat*

1. Opening of the session
2. Election of Officers
3. Adoption of the Agenda  
See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/1 Prov. and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/INF/2.
4. Adoption of the report of the eleventh session  
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/11/15.
5. Accreditation of Certain Organizations  
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/2.
6. Opening statements
7. Participation of Indigenous and Local Communities  
  
Update on the Operation of the Voluntary Fund  
See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/3 and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/INF/6.

Appointment of the Advisory Board for the Voluntary Fund

See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/3.

Report of panel discussions

See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/INF/7.

8. Traditional Cultural Expressions/Folklore

See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/4 (a) and (b), WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/6.

9. Traditional Knowledge

- Protection of Traditional Knowledge

See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/5 (a) and (b), WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/6.

- Guidelines on the Recognition of Traditional Knowledge in the Examination of Patent Applications

See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/7.

10. Genetic Resources

See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/8 (a) and (b).

11. Future work

See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/11/9 and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/12/6.

12. Closing of the session

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