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Madrid System for the International Registration of Marks

organized by
the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

in cooperation with
the National Center for Patents and Information (NCPI), Ministry of Economic
Development and Trade of the Republic of Tajikistan.

Dushanbe, October 12 and 13, 2011

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

prepared by the International Bureau of WIPO

Wednesday, October 12, 2011

- 9.00 – 09.30 Registration
- 9.30 – 9.45 Opening Ceremony
Welcome addresses by:
The representative of the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of the Republic of Tajikistan, Dushanbe
The representative of the National Center for Patents and Information (NCPI), Dushanbe
The representative of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva
- 9.45 – 10.00 **Topic 1 Importance of Protecting Trademark Abroad**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 10.00 – 10.45 **Topic 2 Basic Features of the Madrid System and Its Recent Developments**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 10.45 – 11.15 **Topic 3 Experiences in Using the Madrid System in Tajikistan**
Speaker: NCPI Official
- 11.15 – 11.30 Coffee Break
- 11.30 – 12.30 **Topic 4 General Principles When Filing an International Application**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 12.30 – 12.45 Q&A / Discussion
- 12.45 – 14.00 Lunch Break
- 14.00 – 15.00 **Topic 5 Information Products and Services of the Madrid System**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 15.00 – 15.30 **Topic 6 Classifications of Goods and Services: Goods and Services Manager**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 15.30 – 15.45 Coffee Break
- 15.45 – 16.30 **Topic 7 Advantages and Benefits of the Madrid System: Management of Rights**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 16.30 – 17.00 Q&A Session and Summing-up

Thursday, October 13, 2011

- 9.00 – 9.30 Registration
- 9.30 – 9.45 **Topic 1 WIPO Training Programs**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 9.45 – 10.30 **Topic 2 Role of a National Office as an Office of Origin**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 10.30 – 11.00 **Topic 3 International Trademark Procedures: the Role of the International
Bureau**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 11.00 – 11.15 Coffee Break
- 11.15 – 12.00 **Topic 4 Role of a National Office as a Designated Office**
Speaker: WIPO Official
- 12.00 – 12.45 Roundtable on Practical Issues Related to the International Trademark Procedures
- 12.45 – 13.00 Summing-up and Closing Ceremony

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