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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS UNDER THE
PATENT COOPERATION TREATY (PCT)
STANDARD FOR THE ELECTRONIC FILING AND PROCESSING
OF INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS

INSTRUCTIONS ADMINISTRATIVES DU
TRAITÉ DE COOPÉRATION EN MATIÈRE DE BREVETS (PCT)
NORME CONCERNANT LE DÉPÔT ET LE TRAITEMENT ÉLECTRONIQUES
DES DEMANDES INTERNATIONALES

PROPOSAL FOR CHANGE FILE
DOSSIER RELATIF À LA PROPOSITION DE MODIFICATION

SUBJECT: Changes to Annex F, Appendix I, section 3.6 (fee-sheet)		PROPOSED BY: IB	
SUJET : Modifications de la section 3.6 de l'appendice I de l'annexe F (fee-sheet)		PROPOSÉE PAR :	
HANDLING: Expedited cycle		PROPOSED DATE OF ENTRY INTO FORCE:	
TRAITEMENT : Cycle accéléré		DATE PROPOSÉE D'ENTRÉE EN VIGUEUR : 01.01.2011	
ANNEX/ ANNEXE	CONTENT/CONTENU	ORIGIN/ ORIGINE	DATE
1	Update to fee sheet DTD comments related to fee reduction types	IB	1.03.2010

[Annex follows/
L'annexe suit]

NEXT ACTION: Comments	BY:
PROCHAINE ACTION : Comments	POUR LE : 25.05.2010

ANNEX I/ANNEXE I

UPDATE TO DTD RELATING TO FEE REDUCTION TYPES

<p>1-1) Fee-sheet</p>	<p>Change: <!-- Fee reduction; applicable where PCT electronic filing software is used or where the applicant is a national and natural person who resides in a State whose per capita income is less than 3,000 US dollars --> <!ELEMENT fee-reduction (amount-each)> <!ATTLIST fee-reduction reduction-type CDATA #IMPLIED ></p> <p>To: <!-- Fee reduction; applicable where PCT electronic filing software is used or where the applicant is a national and natural person who resides in a State whose per capita income is less than 3,000 US dollars --> <!ELEMENT fee-reduction (amount-each)></p> <p><!-- Fee-reduction attribute reduction-type must be supplied in the form of a descriptive code, noting an intention to introduce more restrictive validation in 2012. The style sheet for fee-sheet will be updated to render the following values as per their descriptions below (in the PCT languages) and pass through any other values onto the output (as today) electronic-application-form: Reduction for EASY filing electronic-filing-image-description: Reduction for electronic filing (image) electronic-filing-full-xml: Reduction for electronic filing (XML description and application-form) applicant-developing-country: Reduction for developing country electronic-filing-image-application-form: Reduction for electronic filing with image based request form --> <!ATTLIST fee-reduction reduction-type CDATA #IMPLIED ></p>
Items impacted	ST.36 element fee-reduction, fee-sheet.dtd
Reason	<p>The changes to the usage of the element are to improve the quality of the data collection from instances of the fee-sheet XML.</p> <p>The existing usage necessitates a transitional period where the style-sheet renders the codes and any supplied 'other' text.</p>

[End of Annex and of file/
Fin de l'annexe et du dossier]

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