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OF INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS

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PROPOSAL FOR CHANGE FILE
DOSSIER RELATIF À LA PROPOSITION DE MODIFICATION

SUBJECT: Changes to certain DTDs (Appendix I of Annex F) SUJET : Modifications apportées à certaines DTDs (appendice I de l'annexe F)		PROPOSED BY: EP, IB, JP, US PROPOSÉE PAR :	
HANDLING: Expedited cycle TRAITEMENT : Cycle accéléré		PROPOSED DATE OF ENTRY INTO FORCE: 01.01.2005 DATE PROPOSÉE D'ENTRÉE EN VIGUEUR :	
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1	Proposal/Proposition	EP, IB, JP, US	01.06.2004

[Annex 1 follows/
L'annexe 1 suit]

NEXT ACTION: Comments, recommendations PROCHAINE ACTION : Observations, recommandations		BY: 20.07.2004 POUR LE :	
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Changes to certain DTDs

1	Change: <!ELEMENT addressbook ((%name_group; , address , phone* , fax* , email* , url* , ead* , dtext?) text)> <!ATTLIST addressbook lang CDATA #REQUIRED > To: <!ELEMENT addressbook ((%name_group; , address , phone* , fax* , email* , url* , ead* , dtext?) text)> <!ATTLIST addressbook lang CDATA #IMPLIED >
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, declaration.dtd, demand.dtd, power-of-attorney.dtd, request.dtd, table-external.dtd, wo-bibliographic-data-application.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	Sometimes we have to accept lang="". This attribute should not be mandatory.

2	Change: <pre><!ELEMENT article (text (author* , atl? , subname? , (serial book) , absno? , location? , class* , keyword* , cpyrt? , artid? , refno*))></pre> <pre><!ELEMENT online (text (author* , online-title* , hosttitle? , subname? , edition? , (serial book)? , imprint? , pubdate? , history? , series? , hostno? , location? , notes? , avail , class* , keyword* , cpyrt? , issn? , isbn? , datecit? , srchterm* , srchdate? , refno*))></pre> <pre><!ELEMENT serial (sertitle , alttitle? , subname? , issue? , imprint? , pubdate? , descrip? , notes? , issn? , isbn? , pubid? , vid? , ino? , cpyrt?)></pre> To: <pre><!ELEMENT article (text (author* , atl? , subname* , (serial book) , absno? , location? , class* , keyword* , cpyrt? , artid? , refno*))></pre> <pre><!ELEMENT online (text (author* , online-title* , hosttitle? , subname* , edition? , (serial book)? , imprint? , pubdate? , history? , series? , hostno? , location? , notes? , avail , class* , keyword* , cpyrt? , issn? , isbn? , datecit? , srchterm* , srchdate? , refno*))></pre> <pre><!ELEMENT serial (sertitle , alttitle? , subname* , issue? , imprint? , pubdate? , descrip? , notes? , issn? , isbn? , pubid? , vid? , ino? , cpyrt?)></pre>
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	It is possible to accept multiple <subname> elements.

3	Change: <pre><!ELEMENT authorized-officer (%name_group; , electronic-signature?)></pre> To: <pre><!ELEMENT authorized-officer (%name_group; , tel?, fax?, email? , electronic-signature?)></pre>
Items impacted	ex-officio-correction.dtd
Reason	The colum “authorized officer” includes phone, fax and e-mail information.

4	Change: <!ELEMENT chemistry (img)> <!ELEMENT maths (img math)> To: <!ELEMENT chemistry (img (chem, img?))> <!ELEMENT maths (img (math, img?))>
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	Some applicants want to use <chem>/<math> and at the same time.

5	Change: <!ELEMENT claim-text (#PCDATA claim-text claim-ref b i u sup sub smallcaps br crossref img chemistry maths tables)*> <!ELEMENT dd (#PCDATA b i u sup sub smallcaps br patcit nplcit bio-deposit crossref img ul ol chemistry maths)*> <!ELEMENT li (#PCDATA b i u sup sub smallcaps br patcit nplcit bio-deposit crossref img dl ul ol chemistry maths)*> <!ATTLIST li id ID #IMPLIED > To: <!ELEMENT claim-text (#PCDATA claim-text claim-ref b i u sup sub smallcaps br crossref figref img chemistry maths tables)*> <!ELEMENT dd (#PCDATA b i u sup sub smallcaps br patcit nplcit bio-deposit crossref figref img ul ol chemistry maths)*> <!ELEMENT li (#PCDATA b i u sup sub smallcaps br patcit nplcit bio-deposit crossref figref img dl ul ol chemistry maths)*> <!ATTLIST li id ID #IMPLIED num CDATA #IMPLIED>
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	It is possible to use the link to the figure in these elements.

6	Change: <!ELEMENT crossref (#PCDATA)> To: <!ELEMENT crossref (#PCDATA b i u sup sub smallcaps)*>
Items impacted	amendment request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	The tag <cross-ref> sometime needs these elements.

7	Change: <!ELEMENT img EMPTY> <!ATTLIST img id ID #IMPLIED he NMTOKEN #REQUIRED wi NMTOKEN #REQUIRED file CDATA #REQUIRED alt CDATA #IMPLIED img-content (drawing photograph character dna undefined) 'drawing' img-format (jpg tif st33 st35) #REQUIRED orientation (portrait landscape) 'portrait' inline (yes no) 'no' > To: <!ELEMENT img EMPTY> <!ATTLIST img id ID #IMPLIED he NMTOKEN #REQUIRED wi NMTOKEN #REQUIRED file CDATA #REQUIRED alt CDATA #IMPLIED img-content (drawing photograph character dna undefined chem table math software-code flowchart) 'drawing' img-format (jpg tif st33 st35) #REQUIRED orientation (portrait landscape) 'portrait' inline (yes no) 'no' >
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	It is possible to provide additional image contents.

8	Change: <!ELEMENT nplcit (text (article book online othercit)*)> <!--LIST nplcit id ID #IMPLIED num CDATA #REQUIRED npl-type CDATA #IMPLIED medium CDATA #IMPLIED file CDATA #IMPLIED url CDATA #IMPLIED lang CDATA #IMPLIED class-type CDATA #IMPLIED > To: <!ELEMENT nplcit (text (article book online othercit)*)> <!--LIST nplcit id ID #IMPLIED num CDATA #REQUIRED npl-type CDATA #IMPLIED medium CDATA #IMPLIED file CDATA #IMPLIED url CDATA #IMPLIED lang CDATA #IMPLIED >
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	It was an error. "class-type" attribute was for <class> element, not for <nplcit> element.

9	Change: <!ELEMENT rel-passage (text (passage+ , category? , rel-claims?)+)> To: <!ELEMENT rel-passage (text (passage+ , category* , rel-claims*))>
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	It is possible to accept multiple <rel-passage> elements.

10	Change: <!ELEMENT ro-request-receiving-info (application-reference , ro-info , signatories?)> <!ATTLIST ro-request-receiving-info %base_attributes; %date_produced; %ro; > <!ELEMENT ro-info (date-of-actual-receipt , drawings-not-received? , corrected-date-receipt? , receipt-pct11-2? , isa? , search-copy-delayed?)> To: <!ELEMENT receiving-office-request-info (application-reference , rec-office-info , signatories?)> <!ATTLIST receiving-office-request-info %base_attributes; %date_produced; %ro; > <!ELEMENT rec-office-info (date-of-actual-receipt , drawings-not-received? , corrected-date-receipt? , receipt-pct11-2? , isa? , search-copy-delayed?)>
Items impacted	ro-request-receiving-info.dtd
Reason	These element names ("ro-xxxx") conflicts with the ST.36 practice of naming office-specific elements with a country-code prefix (Romania).

11	Change: <!ELEMENT subname (%name_group; addressbook)> To: <!ELEMENT subname (%name_group; addressbook)> <!ATTLIST subname subname-type (editor translator) "editor" >
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	The tag <subname> has the following comment line: "Subordinate responsibility, e.g. editor, translator, etc." but there is no attribute to indicate this. Other values could be possible later.

12	Change: <!ELEMENT table-external (#PCDATA)> To: <!ELEMENT table-external EMPTY >
Items impacted	amendment-request.dtd, application-body.dtd, table external.dtd, wo-published-application.dtd
Reason	"table-external" element doesn't need #PCDATA.

13	Change: <!ELEMENT us-rights (#PCDATA)> <!ATTLIST us-rights to-dead-inventor CDATA #REQUIRED kind (heir heirress executor executrix estate) #REQUIRED > To: <!ELEMENT us-rights EMPTY> <!ATTLIST us-rights to-dead-inventor CDATA #REQUIRED kind (heir heirress executor executrix estate legal-representative administrator administratrix legal-representatives heirs executors legal-heirs) #REQUIRED >
Items impacted	request.dtd
Reason	To indicate the full range of values that are actually used to describe the type of relationship between the person submitting and application and the incapacitated inventor/applicant.

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Fin de l'annexe et du dossier]