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## Intellectual Property (IP) and Environmentally Sound Technologies (ESTs)

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and with the assistance of the Japan Patent Office (JPO)

Colombo, May 29 and 30, 2012

**PROGRAM** 

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Tuesday,	May	29,	2012
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8.30 - 9.00 Registration

9.00 – 9.30 Opening ceremony

Welcome addresses by:

Mr. Dissanayake Mudiyanselage Karunaratna, Director General, National Intellectual Property Office of Sri Lanka (NIPOS), Colombo

Ms. Yuka Tsukamoto, Assistant Director, Developing Country Cooperation Section, International Affairs Division, General Affairs Department, Tokyo

Mr. Ranjana Abeysekera, Director, Regional Bureau for Asia and the Pacific, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva

9.30 – 10.00 Coffee Break

10.00 – 11.30 Topic 1 The Cleantech Industry in the Region

Speakers: Mr. Ajith de Alwis, Department of Chemical

and Process Engineering, University of

Moratuwa, Sri Lanka

Ms. Aneta Nikolova, Environmental Affairs Officer, Environment and Development Policy Section, United Nations Economic and Social

Commission for Asia and the Pacific

(UNESCAP), Bangkok

Discussion

11.30 – 12.30 Topic 2 Climate Change, Innovation, Technology Transfer and

Intellectual Property (IP): An Overview of the Issues

Speaker: Mr. Anatole Krattiger, Director, Global

Challenge Division, WIPO

Discussion

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch Break

14.00 – 15.00 Simulation Negotiations on Transfer of Environmentally Sound

Exercise: Technologies (ESTs)

Speaker: Mr. Anatole Krattiger

Discussion

15.00 – 15.30 Coffee Break

15.30 – 18.00 Topic 3 Climate Change and Technology Needs of Developing Countries

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Speaker: Ms. Zeeda Fatimah Mohamad,

Senior Lecturer, Department of Science & Technology Studies, Faculty of Science, University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur

Coordinator: Mr. Anatole Krattiger

Short Presentations by All the Participating Countries

Discussion

Wednesday, May 30, 2012

9.00 – 10.00 Topic 4 WIPO Green: A Mechanism for Accessing ESTs

Speakers: Mr. Anatole Krattiger

Mr. Yorimasa Suwa, Senior Manager, Intellectual Property Strategy Office, TEIJIN Intellectual Property Center Limited, Tokyo

Discussion

10.00 - 10.30 Coffee Break

10.30 – 12.30 Topic 5 Case Studies of Transfer of ESTs

Speakers: Mr. Yorimasa Suwa

Ms. Zeeda Fatimah Mohamad

Ms. Yumiko Hamano, Senior Program Officer, Innovation and Technology Transfer Section, Innovation Division, WIPO, Geneva

Discussion

12.30 - 14.00 Lunch Break

14.00 – 15.00 Topic 6 Accessing Financing for Transfer of ESTs

Speaker: Ms. Aneta Nikolova

Discussion

15.00 – 15.30 Coffee Break

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15.30 – 16.30 **Topic 7 Partnerships and Collaborative Models for Developing ESTs** Speaker: Ms. Yumiko Hamano Discussion Technical Assistance and Capacity Building by Japan in 16.30 - 17.00Topic 8 the Field of Industrial Property Speaker: Ms. Yuka Tsukamoto Discussion 17.00 - 18.00Roundtable Leveraging IP for Developing and Accessing ESTs: Challenges and Responses Moderator: Mr. Ranjana Abeysekera Discussion All Speakers and Participants 18.00 Closing ceremony