National Seminar on Copyright in the Digital Environment and WIPO Internet Treaties

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PROGRAM

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8.30 – 9.00 Opening ceremony
Welcome address
Mr. Bui Nguyen Hung, Director General, COV
Ms. Miyuki Monroig, Associate Officer, Copyright Law Division, WIPO

9.00– 10.00 Topic 1: The importance of a balanced and sound copyright system for the promotion of culture and creative industries
Speakers:
Professor Jorgen Blomqvist, Centre for Information and Innovation Law (CIIR), University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen
Mr. Benjamin Ng, Regional Director of Asia and Pacific, International Confederation of Societies of Authors and Composers (CISAC), China

10.00– 11.00 Topic 2: Introduction to the WIPO Copyright Treaty (WCT) and WIPO Performances and Phonogram Treaty (WPPT); the advantages and disadvantages of the developing countries to joint WCT and WPPT
Speaker: Professor Jorgen Blomqvist

11.10 – 11.15 Coffee Break

11.15 – 11.45 Topic 3: National legislation, management, enforcement and future strategies on copyright and related rights
Speaker: Mr. Pham Thanh Tung, Director of Information and International Cooperation Division, COV

11.45– 13.45 Lunch Break

13.45 – 15.00 Topic 4: The flexibilities of the copyright system at the international level
Speakers: Professor Jorgen Blomqvist
Ms. Miyuki Monroig

15.00 – 15.30 Topic 5: The role of libraries in the digital environment
Speaker: Ms. Susan Warren, Gold Coast City Library, Australia

15.30 – 16.00 Coffee Break

16.00 – 17.00 Topic 6 Roundtable discussion on updating the copyright
system

Moderators: Professor Jorgen Blomqvist
Mr. Bui Nguyen Hung

Speakers: all stakeholders present

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