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Tashkent, September 11 and 12, 2019

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

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Wednesday, September 11, 2019

09.30 – 10.00 Registration

10.00 – 10.15 **Opening Session**

Welcome addresses by:

- Mr. Bakhodir Sagdullaev, Acting Director, Intellectual Property Agency under the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Uzbekistan (IPA), Tashkent
- Mr. Ilya Gribkov, Head, Section for Caucasian, Central Asian and Eastern European Countries, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva

10.15 – 10.35 **Topic 1 Overview of WIPO Services**

Speaker: Mr. Ilya Gribkov, WIPO

10.35 – 11.05 **Topic 2 A Balanced Approach to the Enforcement of IP Rights: Building Respect for Intellectual Property (IP)**

Speaker: Mr. Xavier Vermandele, Senior Legal Counsellor, Building Respect for IP Division, Global issues Sector, WIPO

11.05 – 11.25 Coffee break

11.25 – 11.45 **Topic 3 Enforcement of IPRs – The International Framework (Part III of the TRIPS Agreement)**

Speaker: Mr. Xavier Vermandele

11.45 – 12.15 **Topic 4 Enforcement of IPRs – National Legal Framework and Implementation – Country Reports**

Moderator: Mr. Ilya Gribkov

Speaker: One representative per participating country

12.15 – 14.00 Lunch Break

14.00 – 14.20 **Topic 5 Conceptual Framework of Building Respect for IP**

Speaker: Mr. Omonboy Okylov, Professor, Tashkent State University of Law

14.20 – 14.40 **Topic 6 Trademark: Concept and Features of Protection**

Speaker: Mr. Abdusalil Urinboev, Deputy Director, IP Consulting Center, IPA

- 14.40 – 15.10 **Topic 7** **Trademark Counterfeiting, Copyright Piracy, Commercial Scale**
Speaker: Mr. Xavier Vermandele
- 15.10 – 15.40 **Topic 8** **Investigating IP Crime: IP Enforcement, the Public Interest and the Decision to Prosecute**
Speaker: Mr. Amir Amirian, Assistant Prosecutor, State Prosecutor for Serious Economic and International Crime, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 15.40 – 16.00 Coffee Break
- 16.00 – 16.30 **Topic 9** **Investigating IP Crimes: Reasonable Suspicion and Evidence**
Speaker: Mr. Amir Amirian
- 16.30 – 16.50 **Topic 10** **International Cooperation in Prosecuting against Online IP Crime**
Speaker: Ms. Eleliis Rattam
- 16.50 – 17.30 **Question & Answers**

Thursday, September 12, 2019

- 10.00 – 10.30 **Topic 11** **Border Enforcement**
Speaker: Mr. Olivier Vrins, Attorney-at-Law, Brussels, Belgium
- 10.30– 11.10 **Topic 12** **The Role of Customs in IP Protection**
Speaker: Mr. Begzod Ruziev, Chief Inspector, State Customs Committee of the Republic of Uzbekistan
- 11.10 – 11.30 Coffee Break
- 11.30 – 12.10 **Topic 13** **Civil Remedies: Injunctions and Damages**
Speaker: Mr. Olivier Vrins
- 12.10 – 12.35 **Topic 14** **The Equitable Disposal of IP Infringing Goods**
Speaker: Mr. Xavier Vermandele
- 12.35 – 14.00 Lunch Break

- 14.00 – 14.30 **Topic 15** **The Enforcement of IP Rights in the Digital Environment**
Speaker: Mr. Olivier Vrins
- 14.30 – 14.50 **Topic 16** **Consumer Attitudes and Perceptions – Awareness-Raising as a Part of Building Respect for IP**
Speaker: Mr. Ilya Gribkov
- 14.50 – 15.20 **Questions & Answers**
- 15.20 – 15.40 Coffee Break
- 15.40 – 16.30 **Topic 17** **Roundtable: Strategic Cooperation in Addressing IP Infringements**
Moderator: Mr. Ilya Gribkov
Panelists: [All Speakers and the Representatives of Local Right Holders]
- 16.30 – 16.40 **Closing Ceremony**

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