STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE LAW OF PATENTS

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preparated by the Director General

1. Opening of the session
2. Election of a Chair and two Vice-Chairs
3. Adoption of the Revised Agenda
   (Present document)
4. Rules of Procedure
   (See document SCP/1/2, paragraphs 5 and 11)
5. Issues to be considered by the Standing Committee
   (See document SCP/1/2, paragraphs 12 to 33)
   - Patent formalities harmonization (draft Patent Law Treaty)
   - Central recording of changes in patents and patent applications
   - Disclosure of technical information on the Internet and its impact on patentability
   - Biotechnological inventions
   - Other possible issues
   (See documents SCP/1/2, paragraphs 34 to 40, and PLT/CE/V/4)

7. Establishment of a PLT Electronic Forum
   (See document SCP/1/2, paragraphs 41 to 51)

   (See documents SCP/1/3 to 5)

9. Future work

10. Brief summary by the Chair

11. Closing of the session

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