

Standing Committee on the Law of Patents

Eighteenth Session
Geneva, May 21 to 25, 2012

AGENDA

adopted by the Standing Committee

1. Opening of the session
2. Election of a Chair and two Vice-Chairs
3. Adoption of the agenda
See the present document.
4. Adoption of the draft report of the seventeenth session
See document SCP/17/13 Prov.2.
5. Accreditation of observers
See document SCP/18/10.
6. Report on the international patent system
See documents SCP/12/3 Rev.2, SCP/12/3 Rev.2 Add. and SCP/18/2.
7. Exceptions and limitations to patent rights
See documents SCP/14/7 and SCP/18/3.
8. Quality of patents, including opposition systems
 - (i) Quality of patents
See documents SCP/17/7, 8, 10, SCP/18/INF/2, SCP/18/INF/2 Add. and SCP/18/9.
 - (ii) Opposition systems and other administrative revocation and invalidation mechanisms
See document SCP/18/4.

9. Patents and health
See documents SCP/16/7, SCP/16/7 Corr., SCP/17/11, SCP/18/5,
SCP/18/INF/3 and SCP/18/INF/3 Add.
10. Confidentiality of communications between clients and their patent advisors
See document SCP/18/6.
11. Transfer of technology
See documents SCP/18/7 and 8.
12. Contribution of the SCP to the implementation of the respective Development
Agenda Recommendations
13. Future work
14. Summary by the Chair
15. Closing of the session

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