

**Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and
Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore**

Eighteenth Session
Geneva, May 9 to 13, 2011

DRAFT PROGRAM FOR THE EIGHTEENTH SESSION
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1. In line with the requirement of the Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore (“the Committee”) that a suggested program of work be circulated, this document provides a draft of the suggested program of work for the Committee’s eighteenth session. This draft program is indicative only, and the actual organization of work of the Committee would be determined by the Chair and its members in line with the rules of procedure.

Date and time	Suggested activity or agenda item
<p>Sunday May 8, 2011 from 2.00 p.m.</p>	<p>Indigenous consultative forum</p> <p><i>Attended by representatives of organizations representing indigenous communities. Not a formal Committee session or official WIPO meeting, but endorsed by the Committee and facilitated by the Secretariat</i></p>
<p>Monday May 9, 2011: 10.00 a.m.</p>	<p>Item 1: Opening of the Session</p> <p>Item 2: Adoption of the Agenda WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/1 Prov. 2 WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/INF/2 WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/INF/3</p> <p>Item 3: Adoption of the report of the seventeenth session WIPO/GRTKF/IC/17/12 Prov. 2</p> <p>Item 4: Accreditation of Certain Organizations WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/2 WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/2 Add.</p> <p>Panel of Indigenous and Local Communities</p> <p><i>Not a formal part of the Committee session, but reported on in the session’s report</i></p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/INF/5</p>

From 3.00 p.m.	<p>Item 5: Participation of Indigenous and Local Communities</p> <p>– The Voluntary Fund</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/3</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/INF/4</p> <p>Item 7: Traditional Knowledge</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/5</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/6</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/7</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/INF/8</p>
From 6.00 p.m.	Reception
Tuesday May 10, 2011: 10.00 a.m.	Item 7: Traditional Knowledge (<i>continued</i>)
From 3.00 p.m.	Item 7: Traditional Knowledge (<i>continued</i>)
6.30 p.m. – 9.30 p.m.	Traditional Knowledge (<i>continued</i>)
Wednesday May 11, 2011: 10.00 a.m.	<p>Item 8: Genetic Resources</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/8</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/9</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/10</p> <p>WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/INF/9</p>
From 3.00 p.m.	Item 8: Genetic Resources (<i>continued</i>)
6.30 p.m. – 9.30 p.m.	Item 7: Traditional Knowledge (<i>continued</i>)
Thursday May 12, 2011: 10.00 a.m.	Item 8: Genetic Resources (<i>continued</i>)

From 3.00 p.m.	Item 6: Traditional Cultural Expressions/Folklore WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/4 Rev. WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/INF/7 WIPO/GRTKF/IC/18/INF/10
6.30 p.m. – 9.30 p.m.	Traditional Cultural Expressions (<i>continued</i>)
Friday May 13, 2011: 10.00 a.m.	Item 7: Traditional Knowledge (<i>continued</i>) Item 8: Genetic Resources (<i>continued</i>) Item 6: Traditional Cultural Expressions (<i>continued</i>)
From 3.00 p.m.	Item 9: Any other Business Adoption of decisions Item 10: Closing of the Session

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