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REPORT OF THE SEMINAR ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS

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The following is a brief report of the available information relating to the Seminar on Intellectual

Property and Traditional Cultural Expressions (the Seminar) which took place on June 8 and 9,

2017.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

All the information relating to the Seminar is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/details.jsp?meeting_id=42301>.

The Program of the Seminar is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=370302>.

The Information Note of the Seminar is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=373444>.

The videos of the Seminar are available at:

http://www.wipo.int/webcasting/en/index.jsp?event=WIPO/IPTK/GE/17

II. KEYNOTE ADDRESS: EXISTING INTERNATIONAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INSTRUMENTS AND TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS: WHICH GAPS EXIST AND WHICH, IF ANY, SHOULD BE FILLED?

Mr. Peter Jaszi’s keynote address is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374447>

III. ROUNDTABLE 1: KEY POLICY ISSUES ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS: SESSION ONE

Ms. Shuang Hu’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374478>

Professor Paul Kuruk’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374487>

Ms. Terri Janke’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374491>

IV. ROUNDTABLE 2: PROTECTION OF TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS: PRACTICAL EXPERIENCES, INITIATIVES AND PROJECTS

Mr. Peter Kamau’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374480>

Mrs. Leena Marsio’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374481>

Ms. Cecilia Picache’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374448>

Mr. Ken Van Wey’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374450>

V. ROUNDTABLE 3: KEY POLICY ISSUES ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS: SESSION TWO

Ms. Paola Moreno Latorre’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374449>

Mr. Amadou Tankoano’s presentation is available at :

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374485>

Mr. Preston Hardison’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374486>

VI. ROUNDTABLE 4: PAST INTERNATIONAL NORMATIVE DEVELOPMENTS RELATED TO INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY: WHAT LESSONS FOR NEGOTIATING AN INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENT ON TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS?

Mr. Marco D’Alessandro’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374490>

Mr. Daniel R. Pinto’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374489>

Ms. Aroha Te Pareake Mead’s presentation is available at:

<http://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/doc_details.jsp?doc_id=374492>

VII. CLOSING ADDRESS: REFLECTIONS ON THE WAY FORWARD

The closing address was delivered by Ambassador Philip Richard O. Owade.

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