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

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1. Opening of the Session

2. Adoption of the Agenda
   See present document and documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/INF/2 and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/INF/3.

3. Accreditation of Certain Organizations
   See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/2.

4. Participation of Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities
   - Update on the Operation of the Voluntary Fund
   - Appointment of the Advisory Board for the Voluntary Fund
     See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/3.
   - Information Note for the Panel of Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities
     See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/INF/5.
5. Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions

- The Protection of Traditional Knowledge: Draft Articles
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/4.

- The Protection of Traditional Cultural Expressions: Draft Articles
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/5.

- The Protection of Traditional Knowledge: Updated Draft Gap Analysis
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/6.

- The Protection of Traditional Cultural Expressions: Updated Draft Gap Analysis
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/7.

- Report on the Compilation of Materials on Databases Relating to Genetic Resources and Associated Traditional Knowledge
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/8 Rev.

- Report on the Compilation of Materials on Disclosure Regimes Relating to Genetic Resources and Associated Traditional Knowledge
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/9.

- Proposal for the Terms of Reference for a Study on Traditional Knowledge
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/10.

- EU Proposal for a Study on Traditional Cultural Expressions
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/11.

- Joint Recommendation on Genetic Resources and Associated Traditional Knowledge
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/12.

- Joint Recommendation on the Use of Databases for the Defensive Protection of Genetic Resources and Traditional Knowledge Associated with Genetic Resources
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/13.

- Proposal for the Terms of Reference for the Study by the WIPO Secretariat on Measures Related to the Avoidance of the Erroneous Grant of Patents and Compliance with Existing Access and Benefit-Sharing Systems
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/14.

  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/15.

- Glossary of Key Terms Related to Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Traditional Cultural Expressions
  See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/37/INF/7.

6. Establishment of an Ad Hoc Expert Group(s)

7. Possible Recommendations to the 2018 General Assembly
8. Contribution of the Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore (IGC) to the Implementation of the Respective Development Agenda Recommendations

9. Any other Business

10. Closing of the Session

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