

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

Fifty-First Session
Geneva, May 30 to June 5, 2025

DRAFT AGENDA

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1. Opening of the Session
2. Adoption of the Agenda
See present document and documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/INF/2 and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/INF/3.
3. Accreditation of Certain Organizations
See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/2.
4. Participation of Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities
 - Update on the Operation of the Voluntary Fund
See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/3, WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/INF/4 and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/INF/6.
 - Appointment of the Advisory Board for the Voluntary Fund
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/3.
 - Information Note for the Panel of Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/INF/5.

5. Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions

- The Protection of Traditional Knowledge: Draft Articles
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/49/4.
- The Protection of Traditional Cultural Expressions: Draft Articles
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/49/5.
- Glossary of Key Terms Related to Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Traditional Cultural Expressions
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/INF/7.
- Update of the Technical Review of Key Intellectual Property-Related Issues of the WIPO Draft Instruments on Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Traditional Cultural Expressions within the Framework of Indigenous Human Rights
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/INF/8.

6. Taking Stock of Progress and Making a Recommendation to the General Assembly

- The Protection of Traditional Knowledge: Draft Articles
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/4.
- The Protection of Traditional Cultural Expressions: Draft Articles
See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/51/5.

7. 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

8. Any other Business

9. Closing of the Session

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