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Washington D.C., U.S.A, May 8 to 10, 2012

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

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Tuesday, May 8, 2012

- 9.00 – 9.30 Registration and Administration Matters
- 9.30 – 9.45 Introduction of participants
- 9.45 – 10.00 Welcome addresses by:
- Ms. Jennie Ness, Global Intellectual Property Academy
Office of Policy and External Affairs, United States Patent and Trademark
Office (USPTO), Washington
- Mr. Tshimanga Kongolo, Acting Deputy Director and Head, WIPO Academy,
World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva
- 10.00 – 11.00 **Topic 1: Introduction to Intellectual Property Rights and the
Importance of Intellectual Property (IP) Protection**
- Speakers: Ms. Jennie Ness
Mr. Tshimanga Kongolo
- 11.00 – 11.30 Discussion
- 11.30 – 11.45 Coffee Break
- 11.45 – 12.15 **Topic 2: Strategic Goal VI of WIPO: Building Respect for IP**
- Speaker: Mr. Xavier Vermandele, Deputy Director, Building
Respect for IP Division, WIPO
- 12.15 – 12.30 Discussion
- 12.30 – 13.30 Lunch Break
- 13.30 – 14:30 **Topic 3: Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights**
- Speakers: Mr. Michael Smith
Mr. Xavier Vermandele, Deputy Director, Building
Respect for IP Division, WIPO
- 14.30 – 14.45 Coffee Break
- 14.45 – 16.00 **Topic 4: Visit to the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia**
- 16.00 – 17.00 **Topic 5: Likelihood of Confusion**
- Speaker: Ms. Jennie Ness

Wednesday, May 9, 2012

9.30 – 11.00 **Topic 6: Trademark Infringement**

Speaker: Judge Ronald Lew
United States District Court
Central District of California

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee Break

11.30 – 12.30 **Topic 7: Challenges and Issues relating to Copyright Piracy**

Speaker: Karyn Temple Claggett
Senior Counsel for Policy and International Affairs
United States Copyright Office

12.30 – 13.30 Lunch Break

13.30 – 14.30 **Topic 8: Copyright Infringement**

Speaker: Ms. Susan Anthony

14.30 – 15.00 Coffee Break

15.00 – 16.30 **Topic 9: Court Administration**

Speaker: Judge Ronald Lew
United States District Court
Central District of California

Thursday, May 10, 2012

9.30 – 11.00 **Topic 10: Panel Discussion: Remedies**

Panelists: Judge Ronald Lew
United States District Court
Central District of California

Mr. Xavier Vermandele

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee Break

11.30 – 12.00 **Topic 11: The Changing Landscape of Intellectual Property**

Speaker: Mr. Michael Smith

12.00 – 1.30 Lunch Break

1.30 – 3.00 **Topic 12: Case Study**

3.00 – 3.30 Awarding of Certificates, Evaluation and Closing of the Program

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