ANNEX H

TEMPLATE FOR TRAINING EXAMPLES

Project (e.g., TE 101), Existing Example No. (e.g., A1)

Level/Categories

(e.g., CL 1a, 1b, 2c,
AL 1a, 1b, 2c, 2e)

(This part contains the category(ies) that the example intends to illustrate for each of the core and advanced levels.)

Documents (Classification is Based on [Document Number, e.g., US 3 958 369A])

(According to WIPO Standard ST.14; not needed for artificial examples of Categories 1 and 2.)

(e.g., US 3 958 369 A
FR 2 257 008 B1
DE 24 60 417 A1)
(only one document per language)

Short Version of the Disclosure

(This part contains an improved abstract of the disclosure, or the text of an artificial example.)

Representative Prior Art (only for Category 3)

(Statement of representative prior art with links to, or indications of, the relevant parts of the document.)

Invention Information

(Explicit statement of the invention information for Categories 1 and 2. For Category 3, examples relating to documents other than granted patents, detailed explanation should be provided on how to determine the invention information in the context of the representative prior art. Where Category 3 examples relate to granted patents, the prior art and the invention information are assumed to be reflected in the granted claims.)

(Each separate piece of invention information should be presented in a separate paragraph and identified, e.g., I1, I2, etc. Relevant parts of the document should be indicated.)

Additional Information (only for Category 3)

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(This part should contain an explanation of why the additional information is worth classifying.)

Identification of Potential Subclasses

(By using a term search, e.g., in the IPC Catchword Index, IPC:CLASS, or the Natural Language Search of the IPC (TACSY) or by providing a text to the Computer-Assisted Categorizer (IPCCAT), the potentially appropriate IPC places for invention information and additional information (for Category 3 only) are identified.)

(The following table should be used to summarize the results. In the Subject Matter column, each piece of information to be classified is identified in a separate row. In the Tool column, the tool used is indicated, e.g., catchword index, IPCCAT. In the Query column, the terms used are indicated or the text used in IPCCAT is identified, e.g., additional information A1. In the IPC Places column, the potential IPC subclasses are indicated.)

Subject Matter	Tool	Query	IPC Places
I1	Catchword Index	Sealing	E06B, B60J, F16J
I2	TACSY	Sealing strip for doors	E06B, B60R
A1	IPCCAT	Additional information description (A1)	E06B, E05B, B60R

Analysis and Selection of Classification Symbols

Core Level

(Explanation part on how to determine the appropriate subclass and then the relevant group using IPC rules and notes etc, for each piece of information to be classified. In the explanation, it is important to indicate the reasons why alternative classification places are inappropriate and should not be selected. This is useful for better illustration of the classification rules, notes, etc. and for the drafting of the multiple choices of the tutorials. The explanation should address, where necessary, the order of the selected classification symbols.)

Advanced Level

(Explanation part on how to determine the appropriate subclass and then the relevant group using IPC rules and notes etc, for each piece of information to be classified. In the explanation, it is important to indicate the reasons why alternative classification places are inappropriate and should not be selected. This is useful for better illustration of the classification rules, notes, etc., and for the drafting of the multiple choices of the tutorials. The explanation should address, where necessary, the order of the selected classification symbols.)

(The table below should be used to summarize the results, reflecting the ordering of the selected classification symbols.)

Subject Matter	Analysis of Subclass Selection	Subclass	Analysis of Group Selection	IPC CL IPC (2006)	IPC AL
I1	Reference in …	F16J	Common rule	F16J 15/00	F16J 15/00
I2		E06B	Note (2) after E06B	E06B 7/22	E06B 7/23
A1		B60J	First place rule	B60J 10/00	B60J 10/00

Complete Classification

The complete core and advanced level classification for this document based on the above analysis is as follows:

(The complete classification of the document is reproduced based on the format indicated in Part XII of the Guide to the IPC for the "Presentation of Classification Symbols and Indexing Codes on Patent Documents".)

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Core Level

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Advanced Level

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[Annex I follows]