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**INTRODUCTION OF ILLUSTRATING CHEMICAL FORMULAE  
IN THE ELECTRONIC LAYER OF THE IPC**

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1. At its eighth session, held in November/December 2002, the IPC Revision Working Group considered the status of the project relating to the introduction of illustrating chemical formulae in the electronic layer of the IPC and the possible ways for completing the project in a practical manner (see document IPC/WG/8/8, paragraphs 59 to 69).
2. The Working Group instructed the offices-rapporteurs responsible for various chemical areas to review corresponding parts of the original collection of chemical formulae provided by the Korean Intellectual Property Office (KIPO) and all the comments and proposals made in relation to those parts, and to select the most appropriate formulae from those available (see Annex J to document IPC/WG/8/8).
3. The Working Group invited the offices-rapporteurs to submit their proposals based on the "Rules for the Presentation of Illustrating Chemical Formulae" (see Annex K to document IPC/WG/8/8) using the tabular form with consolidated information, to be prepared by the International Bureau and published on the IBIS website, in order to facilitate the discussion at the next session of the Working Group. Those consolidated tables should be used by the offices-rapporteurs in making a final decision with regard to the formulae to be selected.

4. Rapporteurs' proposals have been received on the majority of the collection of the chemical formulae. The proposals were submitted by Germany, the Russian Federation and the European Patent Office (EPO). The proposals, available on the IPC revision list server (<http://listbox.wipo.int/ipc-revision>), contain only a few additional amendments to the previous proposals and comments.

5. The Annex to this document shows the current status of the work on the introduction of chemical formulae.

*6. The Working Group is invited to consider which parts of the collection of chemical formulae are ready for introduction in the electronic layer of the IPC.*

[Annex follows]

## ANNEX

AREAS OF THE IPC WHERE ILLUSTRATING  
CHEMICAL FORMULA ARE AVAILABLE

IPC Area	Commenting Office	Rapporteur	Remarks
A 01 N	FR	EP	New RR 17.04.03 use WIPO Standard
A 61 K	EP	SE	No new RR
C 07 C_01	EP	RU	New RR 13.05.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_02	EP	RU	New RR 13.05.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_03	EP	RU	New RR 13.05.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_04	EP	RU	New RR 13.05.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_05	EP	RU	New RR 13.05.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_06	EP	RU	New RR 13.05.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_07	EP	RU	New RR 13.05.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_08	RU	EP	New RR 17.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_09	RU	EP	New RR 17.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_10	RU	EP	New RR 17.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 C_11	RU	EP	New RR 17.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 D_01	DE	IE	No new RR
C 07 D_02	DE	IE	No new RR
C 07 D_03	DE	IE	No new RR
C 07 D_04	DE	IE	No new RR
C 07 D_05	DE	IE	No new RR
C 07 D_06	DE	IE	No new RR
C 07 D_07	IE	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 D_08	IE	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 D_09	IE	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 D_10	IE	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard

IPC Area	Commenting Office	Rapporteur	Remarks
C 07 D_11	IE	DE	New RR 00.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 D_12	IE	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 F	RO	IE	No new RR
C 07 H	IE	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 07 J	IE	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 08 B	RO	EP	New RR 17.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 08 F	SE	GB	No new RR
C 08 G	GB	EP	New RR 17.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 08 L	GB	EP	New RR 17.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 09 B	RO	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 09 D	GB	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 09 J	GB	DE	New RR 04.04.03 use WIPO Standard
C 09 K	US	GB	No new RR
C 12 P	ES	US	New RR 29.04.03 use WIPO Standard

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