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## REGIONAL SEMINAR

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# **Regional Seminar on Collective Management of Copyright and Related Rights: Issues and Challenges in Effective Administration of Collective Management Organizations (CMOs)**

organized by  
the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

in cooperation with  
the Singapore Cooperation Programme of the Singapore Ministry of Foreign Affairs

and with the assistance of  
the Intellectual Property Office of Singapore (IPOS)

**Singapore, April 24 and 25, 2013**

## PROGRAM

*prepared by the Secretariat*

Wednesday, April 24, 2013

8.30 – 9.00 Registration

9.00 – 9.30 Opening Ceremony

Opening remarks by:

Mr. Denis Croze, Director, the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Office in Singapore, Singapore

Ms. Pearle Kwan, Assistant Director, Technical Cooperation Directorate, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore

Mr. Daren Tang, Deputy Chief Executive/ Legal Counsel, Registries Group/ Legal Policy & Affairs Department, Intellectual Property Office of Singapore (IPOS), Singapore

9.30 – 10.15 **Topic 1: Overview of the Management of Collective Musical Rights and Other Rights**

Speaker: Mr. Candra N. Darusman, Deputy Director, WIPO Office in Singapore, Singapore

10.15 – 10.45 Coffee Break

10.45 – 11.30 **Topic 2: Function and Role of Collective Management Organizations (CMOs): Areas of Public and Private Matters**

Speaker: Mr. Candra N. Darusman

11.30 – 13.00 Lunch Break

13.00 – 14.00 **Topic 3: Principles Behind Statutory Rules and Voluntary Conduct for CMOs**

Speaker: Mr. Jørgen Blomqvist, Honorary Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen

14.00 – 14.30 Coffee Break

14.30 – 15.45 **Topic 4: Building Trust Through Transparency and Public Communication**

Speakers: Mr. Satoshi Watanabe, Deputy General Manager General Affairs Bureau, Japanese Society for Rights of Authors, Composers and Publishers (JASRAC), Tokyo

Mr. Ang Kwee Tiang, Regional Director for Asia, International Federation of the Phonographic Industry (IFPI), Hong Kong

- 15.45 – 16.30    **Topic 5:**            **Threshold and Criteria of an Efficient CMO**
- Speaker:            Mr. Manisekaran Amasi, Senior Program Officer, Culture and Creative Industries Sector, WIPO, Geneva
- 16.30 – 17.15    **Topic 6:**            **Initiative in the Field of Transparency, Accountability and Good Governance for Collective Management Organizations**
- Speaker:            Mr. Manisekaran Amasi
- 17.30                WIPO Reception

Thursday, April 25, 2013

- 9.30 – 10.15    **Topic 7**            **Regulatory Framework for CMOs Around the Globe**
- Speaker:            Mr. Jørgen Blomqvist
- 10.15 – 10.45    Coffee Break
- 10.45 – 11.15    **Topic 8**            **The Beijing Treaty on Audiovisual Performances**
- Speaker:            Mr. Jørgen Blomqvist
- 11.15 – 13.30    Lunch hosted by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore
- Venue:                Asian Market Café
- 13.30 – 14.45    **Topic 9:**            **Panel Discussion: Issues and Challenges in the Formulation and Implementation of Regulations for CMOs**
- Moderator:         Mr. Kelvin Sum, Faculty/Senior Research Associate, Research Department, IP Academy
- Panelists:            Representatives of selected Participating Countries (Indonesia, Malaysia, Pakistan, Sri Lanka and Thailand)
- 14.45 – 16.00    **Topic 10:**         **Settlement of Disputes in the Area of CMOs**
- Speakers:            Mr. Leandro Toscano, Legal Officer, WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Center, in Singapore
- Ms. Diyanah Binte Baharudin, Senior Assistant Director/Legal Counsel, Hearing and Mediation Group, IPOS
- 16.00 – 16.30    Coffee Break
- 16.30 – 17.30    **Topic 11:**         **Wrap-up Session**
- Moderator:         WIPO officials

Speakers: All participants and speakers

17.30

Closing Ceremony

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