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DRAFT AGENDA

Prepared by the Director General

1. Opening of the session by the Chairman of the Assembly
2. Adoption of the agenda
See the present document.
3. Amendment of the Rules of Procedure of the Assembly, of the PCT Committee for Technical Cooperation, of the PCT Committee for Administrative and Legal Matters and of the PCT Committee for Technical Assistance
See document PCT/A/XI/2.
4. Amendment of the agreements concluded between certain International Searching Authorities and the International Bureau
See document PCT/A/XI/7.
5. Amendment of certain time limits in the PCT and of the Regulations under the PCT
See documents PCT/A/XI/3, 4, 5 and 6.

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6. Adoption of the report of the session
7. Closing of the/session by the Chairman

[Annex follows]

ANNEX

RULES OF PROCEDURES
adopted on April 10, 1978

Rule 1: Application of the General Rules of Procedure

The Rules of Procedure of the Assembly of the International Patent Cooperation (PCT) Union shall consist of the General Rules of Procedure of WIPO, supplemented and amended by the provisions set forth hereinafter.

Rule 2: Special Observers

(1) The following shall be invited as “special observers” to all sessions of the Assembly:

(i) States not members of the PCT Union which contribute to the budget of the PCT Union,

(ii) intergovernmental authorities having the power to grant patents effective in one or more States members of the PCT union.

(2) Special observers shall have the same rights in the sessions of the Assembly as States members of the Assembly, except the right to vote.

Rule 3: Draft Agenda

The draft agenda of each session shall be drawn up by the Director General. In the case of ordinary sessions, such draft shall follow the instructions of the Executive Committee once the Executive Committee is established (see PCT Articles 53 (9) and 54 (6) (a)). In the case of extraordinary sessions, the said draft shall include the item or items mentioned in the request referred to in Article 53 (11) (c) of the Patent Cooperation Treaty.

Rule 4: Publication of the Report

The report on the work of each session, or a summary drawn up by the International Bureau, shall be published in the Gazette of the PCT Union and in the reviews of the World Intellectual Property Organization La Propriete industrielle and Industrial Property.

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