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## PROGRAM

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### **Seminar on the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT)**

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- 8.00 – 8.30      Registration
- 8:30 – 9:35      OPENING CEREMONY
- Welcome & addresses:
- Remark by:
- Ms. Anjali Aeri, Program Officer, International Cooperation Division, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
- Opening Remark by:
- H.E Senior Minister CHAM PRASIDH Minister of the Ministry of Industry and Handicraft
- 9:35 – 9.50      Coffee Break Photo Session
- THEME ONE:      NATIONAL PATENT SYSTEM IN CAMBODIA
- 9.50 – 10.15      Topic 1:      Overview of Patent System in Cambodia
- Speaker:      Representative of the Department of Intellectual Property, Ministry of Industry and Handicraft
- THEME TWO:      INTRODUCTION TO THE PCT SYSTEM - PROCEDURES & PRACTICES
- 10.15 – 11.10      Topic 2(a): PCT Timeline & Basics of the PCT
- Speaker:      WIPO
- 11.10 – 11.50      Topic 2(b): Filing of an International Application under the PCT. ePCT.
- Speaker:      WIPO
- 11.50 – 12.15      Question & Answer
- 12.15 – 13.30      Lunch Break

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13.30 – 14.00 Topic 2(c): Functions of the Receiving Office. The International Bureau as Receiving Office

Speaker: WIPO

THEME THREE: PCT INTERNATIONAL SEARCH & PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

14.00 – 14.45 Topic 3(a): PCT International Search & Preliminary Examination Procedures

Speaker: WIPO

14.45 – 15.00 Coffee Break

15.00 – 15.30 Topic 3(b): PCT International Publication; PATENTSCOPE®: A Tool for Access & Dissemination of International and National Patent Documents

Speaker: WIPO

THEME FOUR: ENTRY INTO THE NATIONAL PHASE

15.30 – 16.00 Topic 4(a): National Phase Entry under the PCT - Applicable Time Limits, Requirements of the Applicant

Speaker: WIPO

THEME FIVE: ACCESSION TO THE PCT BY CAMBODIA

16.00 – 16.30 Topic 5(a): Advantages of Accession to the PCT – Benefits for Applicants Resulting in Use of the PCT System

Speaker: WIPO

16.30 – 16.45 Discussion – Q&A

16.45 Closing