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WIPO/AEPPIINTERNATIONALSYMPOSIUMONINTELLECTUAL PROPERTYPROTECTIONINTH E21 ST CENTURY: CHALLENGES ANDOPPORTUNITIESFORDEVELOPINGCOUNTRIES

organizedby theWorldIntellectualPropertyOrganization(WIPO) and

theEgyptianAssociationfortheProtectionofIndustrialProperty(AEPPI)

Cairo, April 14 and 15,2003

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

Revised by the International Bureau of WIPO

Monday, April 14,2003

8.00- 9.00 Registration

9.00-10.30 OpeningCeremony:

Mrs.HodaSerageldine,President,EgyptianAssociationfor theProtectionofIndustrialProperty(AEPPI),Ca iro

HisExcellencyDr.MufeedShihab,MinisterforHigherEducation andStateMinisterforScientificResearch,Cairo

His Excellency Dr. Hassan Khedr, Minister for Supply and Internal Trade, Cairo

Mr.SherifSaadallah,Director,CooperationforDevelopm entBureau forArabCountries,WorldIntellectualPropertyOrganization(WIPO), Geneva

10.30- 11.00 CoffeeBreak

11.00- 12.45 ThemeI:TheInternationalPatentSystemandDevelopingCountries

Chairperson: Mr.SherifSaadallah

Rapporteur: Mrs.Ma gdaHaroun, HarounLawFirm, Egypt

11.00-11.30 OngoingMultilateralDiscussionsonStandardsofPatentProtection

Speaker: Mr.AntonyTaubman,ActingDirectorandHead,

TraditionalKnowledgeDivision,WIPO

11.30–12.00 TheWorldTradeOrganizatio n(WTO)AgreementonTrade -Related

AspectsofIntellectualPropertyRigths(TRIPSAgreement)andthe

DohaDeclaration

Speakers: Dr. HossamLoutfi, Professor of Civil Law, Faculty of

Law, Beni Sweif University, Beni Sweif and AIPPI

Member, Egypt

Monday, April14, 2003 (Cont'd:)

CompulsoryLicensingandPublicHealthIssues 12.00- 12.45 Speaker: Mr.EsmeeDuplessis,AdamsandAdams,SouthAfrica 12.45-14.15 Lunch 14.15- 15.30 ThemeII:GlobalIntellectualPropertyIssues Chairperson: Dr.NegadShaarawi,ChairmanottheEgyptianDrugs Stores, Egypt Mr.HamdiGaber,HodaAbdel -Hadi&Partners,Egypt Rapporteurs: Mrs.NadiaHaroun,HarounLawFirm,Egypt 14.15- 14.45 GeneticResources, Traditional Knowledgeand **Expressions of Folklore** Speaker: Mr.AntonyTaubman Biodiversity, Biotechnology and Protection of Plant Varieties 14.45- 15.30 Speaker: Dr.EidM.AbdelMeguid,Director,AgriculturalGenetic EngineeringResearchInstitute,Egypt 15.30-15.45 CoffeeBreak 15.45- 16.30 ThemeIII:GeographicalIndicationsandTrademarks Chairperson: Mrs.HodaSerageldine Rapporteur: Mr.KarimEl -Helaly,ZakiHashemLawFirm,Egypt GeographicalIndications 15.45- 16.30 Mr.MarcusHöpperger,Head,Infor mationandTraining Speaker: Section, Trademarks, Industrial Designs and Geographical IndicationsDepartment,WIPO

Tuesday, April 15, 2003

9.30- 10.45	ThemeIII:GeographicalIndicationsandTrademarks(Cont'd)		
	Chairperson: Rapporteur:	Mrs.HodaSerageldine Mr.KarimEl -Helaly	
9.30- 10.00	Well-KnownMarks:Definition,ConceptandtheInternationalLegFramework		
	Speaker:	Mr.MarcusHöpperger	
10.00- 10.45	The Madrid System for the International Registration of Marks: Recent Developments and Outlook		
	Speaker:	Mr.MarcusHöpperger	
10.45- 11.15	CoffeeBreak		
11.15- 12.45	ThemeIV:IntellectualPropertyandEnforcementIssues		
	Chairperson: Rapporteur:	Dr.KhaledElShalakany,ShalakanyLawFirm,Egypt Mr.AhmedAbouAli,AbouAli &HassounaLawFirm, Egypt	
11.15–12.00	ExhaustionofIntellectualPropertyRightsintheEuropeanUn Elsewhere		
	Speaker:	Mr.PaulHarris,Attorney -at-Law,HammondsLawFirm, UnitedKingdom	
12.00–12.45		ExhaustionofIntellectualPropertyRi ghtsintheNewEgyptian Legislation	
	Speaker:	Mr.SamirHamza,HamzaandHelmyLawFirm,Baker andMcKenzie,Egypt	
12.45–14.15	Lunch		
14.15- 14.45	MultilateralEnforcementMechanisms		
	Speaker:	Mr.AntonyTaubman	

Tuesday, April 15,2003 (Cont 'd:)

14.45- 15.30	AlternativeDisputeResolutionProcedures		
	Speaker:	Ms.OlaZahran,Counsellor,Cooperationfor DevelopmentBureauforArabCountries,WIPO	
15.30–15.45	CoffeeBre	ak	
15.45- 17.30	ThemeV:StrengtheningIntellectualPropertyPr otectioninDevelopinCountries		
	Chairperson: Rapporteur:	Dr.NaderRiad, VicePresident, AEPPI, Egypt Ms.MagdaSaad, EliasSadek Law Firm, Egypt	
15.45- 16.15	LatestDeve Office	elopmentsinElectronicPatentFilingattheEgyptianPatent	
	Speaker:	Dr.FawziElRefai,President,AcademyofScientific ResearchandTechnology(ASRT),Egypt	
16.15–16.45		RoleofWIPOinPromotingIntellectualPropertyProtection inDevelopingCountries	
	Speaker:	Mr.SherifSaadallah	
16.45- 17.15	Roleof Non-GovernmentalOrganizations,MediaandEducationa Institutions		
	Speaker:	Mrs.HodaSerageldin	
17.15- 17.30	ClosingCe	ClosingCeremony	

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