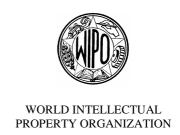
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### **PROGRAM**

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### Tuesday, October 7, 2003

Welcome addresses by:

President of the University of Bahrain

Representative of the Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain

Representative of the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva

9.30 – 10.00 Coffee Break

10.00 – 10.30 The Economic Importance of Intellectual Property

Speaker: Mr. Sherif Saadallah, Director, Cooperation for

Development Bureau for Arab Countries, WIPO

10.30 – 10.45 Discussion

10.45 – 11.15 Industrial Property: from the Paris Convention for the

Protection of Industrial Property to the Agreement on

Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS

Agreement)

Speaker: Mr. Samer Al-Tarawneh, Counsellor, Cooperation

for Development Bureau for Arab Countries, WIPO

11.15 – 11.30 Discussion

11.30 – 12.00 Coffee Break

12.00 – 12.30 Copyright and Related Rights: from the Berne Convention for

the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works to the TRIPS

Agreement

Speaker: Mr. Hassan El Badrawi, Counsellor, Legislative

Department, Ministry of Justice, Cairo

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12.30 – 12.45	Discussion	1	
12.45 – 13.15	The Copyright and Related Rights Law of the Kingdom of Bahrain		
	Speaker:	Mr. Jamal Dawood Salman, Director, Directorate of Publications and Press, Ministry of Information, Manama	
13.15 – 13.30	Discussion	1	
Wednesday, October 8, 2002			
9.00 – 9.30	The Industrial Property Legislation of the Kingdom of Bahrain and the Functions and Tasks of the Bahraini Industrial Property Office		
	Speaker:	Mr. Mohammed Dharar Al Sha'er, Director of Industrial Property, Directorate of Industrial Property, Ministry of Commerce, Manama	
9.30 – 9.45	Discussion	1	
9.45 – 10.15	The Role of the Judiciary and the Executive Authorities in the Field of Intellectual Property		
	Speaker:	Mr. Samer Al-Tarawneh	
10.15 – 10.30	Discussion	1	
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee Bre	eak	
11.00 – 11.30	Intellectua	l Property Litigation – Selected Cases	
	Speaker:	Mr. Hassan El Badrawi	
11.30 – 11.45	Discussion	1	

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11.45 – 12.15	Dispute Settlement Procedures in the World Trade Organization (WTO)	
	Speaker: Dr. Hassan El Badrawi	
12.15 – 12.30	Discussion	
12.30 – 13.15	Teaching of Intellectual Property Law in Arab Universities	
	Speakers: Mr. Sherif Saadallah	
	Dr. Abdulhameed Othman, Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Bahrain, Manama	
13.15 – 13.30	Discussion	
13.30 – 13.45	Closing Ceremony	

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