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The Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) presents his compliments and has the honor to invite representatives of Members and Observers to the sixteenth session of the *Committee of Experts of the Locarno Union for the International Classification for Industrial Designs*, which will be held in hybrid format at WIPO Headquarters in Geneva and *via* an online platform from Monday, October 23 (10 a.m.) to Thursday, October 26, 2023 (5.30 p.m.) (CET).

The draft agenda (document CEL/16/1 Prov.) and other working documents are available on the Electronic Forum at: <https://www.wipo.int/classifications/locarno/locef/>, under projects [LO161](#) and [LO162](#).

Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in English and French.

Delegates nominated to participate physically on site and/or remotely via the online platform are requested to register by October 16, 2023, using the following link [https://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/details.jsp?meeting\\_id=75408](https://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/details.jsp?meeting_id=75408), and secure code:

In view of the pre-meeting technical and delegate-support arrangements required for remote participating via the online platform, delegations are requested to strictly adhere to the registration deadline. Registered remote delegates will be individually contacted concerning technical modalities. A user-guide for the remote participation platform is available at [https://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/virtual\\_meetings/index.html](https://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/virtual_meetings/index.html).

WIPO encourages gender equity in all its meetings, and it would be appreciated if this could be taken into account when nominating the participants.

Any additional queries about this meeting may be addressed to the Secretariat at: [nivilo@wipo.int](mailto:nivilo@wipo.int).

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