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# SPECIAL UNION FOR THE INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASSIFICATION (IPC UNION)

### **COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS**

## Thirty-First Session Geneva, February 25 to March 1, 2002

DRAFT AGENDA

prepared by the Director General

1. Opening of the session

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- 2. Election of a Chair and two Vice-Chairs
- 3. Adoption of the agenda See the present document.
- 4. Report on the nineteenth session of the Assembly of the IPC Union See documents IPC/A/19/1 and IPC/A/19/2.
- 5. Consideration of amendments to the IPC See document IPC/CE/31/2.
- 6. IPC revision program See document IPC/CE/31/3.

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- Recommendations formulated by the ad hoc IPC Reform Working Group See document IPC/CE/31/4.
- 8. IPC reform implementation plan See document IPC/CE/31/5.
- 9. Development of classification tools for traditional knowledge See document IPC/CE/31/6.
- Rules of Procedure and working methods of the Committee of Experts See document IPC/CE/31/7.
- 11. Internet-based IPC management system IBIS Presentation by the International Bureau
- 12. Next sessions of the Committee and its Working Groups
- 13. Adoption of the report of the session
- 14. Closing of the session

The opening meeting will start on Monday, February 25, 2002, at 10 a.m., at the headquarters of WIPO, 34, chemin des Colombettes, Geneva (Conference Room B).

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