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COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS

**Forty-first Session
Geneva, March 16 to 20, 2009**

DRAFT AGENDA

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1. Opening of the session
2. Election of a Chair and two Vice-Chairs
3. Adoption of the agenda
See the present document.
4. Amendments to the IPC
See project CE 412.
5. Implementation of the results of the reform in the IPC and status of the IPC development program
See document IPC/CE/41/2.

6. Publication of IPC versions 2008.04 and 2009.01 and related reclassification of patent files
See document IPC/CE/41/3.
7. Master Classification Database status report
See document IPC/CE/41/4.
8. IPC and technology concordance table
See document IPC/CE 41/5.
9. Procedures of revision and publication of the IPC
See document IPC/CE/40/6 and project CE 404.
10. IPC revision policy and consistency of application
See document IPC/CE/40/6 and project CE 405.
11. Introduction of a new type of universal indexing/tagging scheme in the IPC
See projects C 452 and CE 413.
12. Next session of the Committee
13. Closing of the session

The opening session will start at 10 a.m. on Monday, March 16, 2009, at the headquarters of WIPO, 34, chemin des Colombettes, Geneva (Conference Room B).

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