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# Assemblies of the Member States of WIPO

**Sixty-First Series of Meetings
Geneva, September 21 to 25, 2020**

CONSOLIDATED AGENDA

*adopted by the Assemblies*

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## TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF WORK

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The above program is merely indicative and any of the agenda items may be called up on any of the days from September 21 to 25, 2020, subject to a decision by the Chair(s), in accordance with the WIPO General Rules of Procedure.

Morning sessions will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., afternoon sessions from 3 to 6 p.m.

## BODIES CONCERNED

As per usual practice, the draft agenda includes the matters that concern each body convened in the framework of the Assemblies (listed in document A/61/INF/1 Rev.) in a consolidated manner, that is, when a matter concerns more than one body, such matter constitutes a single agenda item, as follows:

* Bodies concerned: All bodies convened (22), as listed in document A/61/INF/1 Rev.

Presiding officer: The Chair of the WIPO General Assembly

Agenda items: 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10(ii), 11, 21 and 22

* Body concerned: WIPO General Assembly

Presiding officer: The Chair of the WIPO General Assembly

Agenda items: 10(i), 10(iii), and 12

* Body concerned: WIPO Coordination Committee

Presiding officer: The Chair of the WIPO Coordination Committee

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* Bodies concerned: WIPO Coordination Committee, Paris Union Executive Committee, Berne Union Executive Committee and Beijing Treaty Assembly

Presiding officer: The Chair of the WIPO Coordination Committee

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* Bodies concerned: WIPO Coordination Committee, Paris Union Executive Committee, and Berne Union Executive Committee

Presiding officer: The Chair of the WIPO Coordination Committee

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* Body concerned: Madrid Union Assembly

Presiding officer: The Chair of the Madrid Union Assembly

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* Body concerned: Hague Union Assembly

Presiding officer: The Chair of the Hague Union Assembly

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* Body concerned: Paris Union Assembly

Presiding officer: The Chair of the Paris Union Assembly

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* Body concerned: Marrakesh Treaty Assembly

Presiding officer: The Chair of the Marrakesh Treaty Assembly

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* Body concerned: Beijing Treaty Assembly

Presiding officer: The Chair of the Beijing Treaty Assembly

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