



ROUNDTABLE

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Madrid Working Group

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PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

prepared by the International Bureau

Thursday, November 5, 2015

13.00 – 15.00 Working Lunch

15.00 – 15.15 Welcome addresses by the International Bureau of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

15.15 – 16.30 **Topic 1: Update on the Latest Developments of the Madrid System**

The International Bureau of WIPO will provide information on the latest news of the Madrid System, status of its procedures and statistics. Presentation of the Madrid System Market Share.

Speakers: Representatives from the International Bureau of WIPO

16.30 – 16.45 Coffee Break

16.45 – 18.00 **Topic 2: Irregularities**

This topic is a follow-up from previous Roundtables. The International Bureau of WIPO will inform of any developments in this area and present the recent information on the number of irregularities found in examination of international applications.

Speakers: Representatives from the International Bureau of WIPO

Representatives from the Intellectual Property Office of the United Kingdom

Friday, November 6, 2015

- 10.00 – 10.45 **Topic 3: Corrections**
- Information from the International Bureau of WIPO.
- Speakers: Representatives from the International Bureau of WIPO
- 10.45 – 11:30 **Topic 4: Can Marks in Different Scripts Be Considered as the Same Mark for Certification Purposes?**
- Speakers: Representatives from the International Bureau of WIPO
- Representatives from the Japan Patent Office (JPO)
- Representatives from the Japan Intellectual Property Association (JIPA)
- 11.30 – 11.45 Coffee Break
- 11.45 – 12.30 **Topic 4** continues
- 12.30 – 12.50 Other Matters
- 12.50 – 13.00 Closing of the Madrid Working Group Roundtable

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