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Working Group on the Legal Development of the Madrid System for the International Registration of Marks

Eighteenth Session Geneva, October 12 to 16, 2020

PROPOSED TIMETABLE

prepared by the Secretariat

Monday, October 12, 2020¹ From 12 noon to 2 p.m.

- 1. Opening of the Session
- 2. Election of the Chair and two Vice-Chairs
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda See document MM/LD/WG/18/1 Prov. 3.
- 4. Proposed Amendments to the Regulations Under the Protocol Relating to the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks

 See document MM/LD/WG/18/2 Rev.

Tuesday, October 13, 2020 From 12 noon to 2 p.m.

5. New Means of Representation See document MM/LD/WG/18/3.

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The proposed timetable is merely indicative. If the Working Group does not finish discussions on an item by the end of the day, discussions on that item would continue at the start of the next day, unless otherwise proposed by the Chair.

Wednesday, October 14, 2020 From 12 noon to 2 p.m.

6. Partial Replacement See document MM/LD/WG/18/4.

Thursday, October 15, 2020 From 12 noon to 2 p.m.

7. Study of the Cost Implications and Technical Feasibility of the Gradual Introduction of the Arabic, Chinese and Russian Languages into the Madrid System

See documents MM/LD/WG/18/5 and MM/LD/WG/18/5 Corr².

Friday, October 16, 2020³ From 12 noon to 2 p.m.

- 8. Summary by the Chair
- 9. Closing of the Session

Other Items

Discussions on documents MM/LD/WG/18/6 "Provisional Refusal", MM/LD/WG/18/7 "Dependency" and MM/LD/WG/17/9 "Proposal by the Delegation of Switzerland" would take place at the nineteenth session of the Working Group.

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Document MM/LD/WG/18/5 Corr. concerns the English version only.

The Secretariat suggests that the Working Group dedicate Friday, October 16, 2020, to discuss, exclusively, the Draft Summary by the Chair, which would be available on that day at 11 a.m.