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ACCREDITATION OF OBSERVERS

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1. The Rules of Procedure for the Committee on Development and Intellectual Property (CDIP) provide for *ad hoc* accreditation as observers of intergovernmental and
non-governmental organizations for a period of one year (document CDIP/1/2 Rev.).
2. The Annex to this document contains information about one non-governmental organization (NGO), namely*,* Republican Scientific Research Institute of Intellectual Property (Intellectual Property Corporation) which has requested to be granted *ad hoc* observer status.

3. The CDIP is invited to take a decision on the requests for accreditation of the NGOs contained in the Annex to this document as ad hoc observers for a period of one year.

[Annex follows]

**REPUBLICAN SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (RSRIIP) INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY CORPORATION**

## Name of the Organization

RSRIIP Intellectual Property Corporation

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