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COORDINATION MECHANISMS AND MONITORING, ASSESSING AND REPORTING MODALITIES

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1. The third session of the Committee on Development and Intellectual Property (CDIP), under Agenda Item 8, discussed coordination mechanisms and monitoring, assessing and reporting modalities. In concluding the discussions on this Item it was decided that: (i) interested Member States may submit their proposals for coordination mechanisms and monitoring, assessing and reporting modalities to the Secretariat by June 30, 2009; and (ii) such submissions, in addition to the ideas offered in the discussions during that session, would be compiled and presented to the fourth session of the CDIP for further discussion and possible decision on the subject. This document addresses item (ii) of the above-mentioned decision.

2. The discussions that took place on the coordination mechanisms and monitoring, assessing and reporting modalities during the third session of the CDIP are contained in paragraphs 448 to 491 of the report of the third session (document CDIP/3/9 Prov.).

3. During the Session, the Delegation of Pakistan made a proposal that was circulated for the consideration of other Member States. Following its co-sponsorship of a new proposal (please see paragraph 5) the Delegation withdrew its earlier proposal *via* an e-mail to the Secretariat dated August 31, 2009.

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4. Another draft proposal, intended to be a basis for informal discussion amongst delegations, was initiated by certain members of the African Group and was also circulated during the third session of the CDIP. The proposal, however, was not formally tabled. In an e-mail of September 2, 2009, the African Group coordinator reaffirmed this position.

5. As per the decision of the CDIP to submit proposals on the coordination mechanisms and monitoring, assessing and reporting modalities, two proposals have been received by the Secretariat. One proposal has been jointly submitted by the Delegations of Algeria, Brazil and Pakistan and is contained in document CDIP/4/9 and the other has been presented by Group B and is contained in document CDIP/4/10.

6. The CDIP is invited to take note of this document.

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