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1. Opening of the session

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- 2. Election of a Chair and two Vice-Chairs
- 3 Adoption of the Revised Agenda (Present document)
- 4. **Rules of Procedure** (See document SCP/1/2, paragraphs 5 and 11)
- 5. Issues to be considered by the Standing Committee (See document SCP/1/2, paragraphs 12 to 33)
 - Patent formalities harmonization (draft Patent Law Treaty)
 - Central recording of changes in patents and patent applications
 - Disclosure of technical information on the Internet and its impact on _ patentability
 - **Biotechnological inventions**
 - Other possible issues

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- Proposal by the Delegation of Sudan presented at the fifth session of the Committee of Experts on the Patent Law Treaty (See documents SCP/1/2, paragraphs 34 to 40, and PLT/CE/V/4)
- 7. Establishment of a PLT Electronic Forum (See document SCP/1/2, paragraphs 41 to 51)
- 8. Draft Patent Law Treaty (See documents SCP/1/3 to 5)
- 9. Future work
- 10. Brief summary by the Chair
- 11. Closing of the session

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