

## Standing Committee on the Law of Patents

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### PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES ON PATENTS AND HEALTH IN WIPO, WHO AND THE WTO

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1. At its seventeenth session held from December 5 to 10, 2011, in Geneva, the Standing Committee on the Law of Patents (SCP) requested that the Secretariat prepare a document listing projects and activities, including their status or outcome, on patents and health in WIPO, WHO and the WTO, and citing the relevant documents of the three organizations (see paragraph 25(c)(v) of document SCP/17/12). The present document contains the requested information.
2. Annex I to this document contains a table that consists of four parts: Part I - WIPO's projects and activities; Part II - WHO's projects and activities; Part III - WTO's projects and activities; and Part IV - Joint WIPO, WHO and WTO activities. Parts I to III cover activities and projects organized by WIPO, WHO or WTO, respectively. They include those activities that are organized by one of the three organizations, and in which a representative (or representatives) of at least one of the two other organizations participated. Part IV lists joint activities and projects organized by two or all of those organizations. Annex II lists relevant documents published by the above three organizations.

[Annexes follow]