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Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore

Forty-First Session Geneva, August 30 to September 3, 2021

DRAFT PROGRAM FOR THE FORTY-FIRST SESSION

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1. In line with the requirement of the Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore ("the Committee") that a suggested program of work be circulated, this document provides a draft of the suggested program of work for the Committee's Forty-First Session. This draft program is indicative only, and the actual organization of work of the Committee would be determined by the Chair and its members in line with the rules of procedure.

Sunday, August 29, 2021

From 14.00 Indigenous consultative forum

Attended virtually by representatives of organizations representing indigenous peoples and local communities. Not a formal Committee session or official WIPO meeting, but endorsed by the Committee and facilitated by the Secretariat

Monday, August 30, 2021

12.00 – 14.30 **Item 1:** Opening of the Session

Item 2: Election of Officers

Item 3: Adoption of the Agenda

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Item 4: Adoption of the Report of the Fortieth Session

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Item 5: Accreditation of Certain Organizations

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Item 6: Participation of Indigenous and Local

Communities
Voluntary Fund

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Panel of Indigenous and Local Communities Not a formal part of the Committee session, but reported on in the session's report

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Tuesday, August 31, 2021

12.00 – 14.30 **Item 7:** Making a Recommendation to the General

Assembly

Item 8: Any other Business

Item 9: Closing of the Session

Wednesday, September 1, 2021

12.00 – 14.30 Any pending item

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