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INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND GENETIC RESOURCES, TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE AND FOLKLORE

Ninth Session Geneva, April 24 to 28, 2006

DRAFT AGENDA

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- 1. Opening of the Session
- 2. Election of Officers

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- 3. Adoption of the Agenda See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/1 Prov. and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/INF/3.
- 4. Adoption of the report of the Eighth Session See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/8/15 Prov 2.
- 5. Accreditation of Certain Non-Governmental Organizations See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/2.
- 6. Opening statements
- 7. Participation of Indigenous and Local Communities See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/INF/2.

Update on the Establishment of the Voluntary Fund See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/3.

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Appointment of the Advisory Board for the Voluntary Fund

- Reports of panel discussion
- 8. Traditional Cultural Expressions/Folklore
 - Protection of Folklore/Traditional Cultural Expressions See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/4, WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/6, WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/INF/4 and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/8/6.
 - Update on Legal-Technical Assistance and Capacity-Building Activities See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/7.
- 9. Traditional Knowledge
 - Protection of Traditional Knowledge See documents WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/5, WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/6, WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/INF/5 and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/8/6.
 - Update on Technical Standards and Issues Concerning Recorded or Registered Traditional Knowledge See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/8/7.
 - Draft Guidelines on the Recognition of Traditional Knowledge in the Examination of Patent Applications See document WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/8.
- 10. Genetic Resources See documents and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/9/9 and WIPO/GRTKF/IC/8/9.
- 11. Future work
- 12. Closing of the Session

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