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July 12, 2002

Re: SCIT Intellectual Property Digital Libraries Task Force

Madam,
Sir,

At its fifth session, held in July 2000, the SCIT Plenary agreed to establish an Intellectual Property Digital Libraries Task Force to support further development of the WIPO IPDL project. The Task Force will consider the project planning, implementation, testing and data collection on development for the global IPDL system, in particular:

- (a) development of IPDL data exchange and communication standards (SCIT Task 10);
- (b) the relevance and scope of SCIT Task 11, concerning the development of Internet-based information resources useful for industrial property offices.

The International Bureau shall report on the conclusions of the Task Force to the Standards and Documentation Working Group and the SCIT Plenary.

The International Bureau invites those offices wishing to participate actively in the IPDL Task Force to nominate a representative. Participants are expected to be technical specialists who have appropriate experience in the identification and elaboration of standards related to electronic information systems. The work of the Task Force shall be conducted in English by electronic means, will commence in August 2002 and will continue through January 2003.

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Please send your reply with details of the nominated expert (name, title, and e-mail address) to the International Bureau at the address *scit.mail@wipo.int* before July 30, 2002. The number of this Circular should be included as a reference on all correspondence.

Sincerely yours,



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