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<u>C. SCIT 2636</u> -03 April 30, 2007

Re: SDWG Task Force on the Revision and Updating of WIPO Standard ST.36 (ST.36 Task Force)

Madam, Sir,

At its eighth session, held from March 19 to 22, 2007, the Standards and Documentation Working Group (SDWG) of the Standing Committee on Information Technologies (SCIT) agreed to create a new Task: "Ensure continuous revision and updating of WIPO Standard ST.36". The SDWG also established the ST.36 Task Force to handle this Task with the Secretariat as Task Leader. (See paragraphs 58 to 61 of document SCIT/SDWG/8/14.)

The International Bureau hereby invites those offices wishing to participate actively in the Task Force to nominate a representative thereto. Participants are expected to be specialists having the required knowledge of the XML (eXtensible Markup Language) technologies and WIPO Standard ST.36, as well as experience in processing patent information. The work of the Task Force shall be conducted in English by electronic means and will commence in May 2007.

Should your Office/Organization wish to participate in the Task Force, details of your representative (name, title, and e-mail address) should be sent to the International Bureau at *scit.mail@wipo.int* by May 11, 2007. It would be appreciated if the number of this Circular could be quoted as a reference in all correspondence.

Yours sincerely,

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