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Re: Unique identification of a patent document (Task No.39)

Dear Mr.Wittig,

In reply to your Circular letter C.SCIT 2460/03 dated August 19, 1999 enclosed please find herewith Questionnaire related to Task No.39 duly filled in.

Thank you for your kind cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Anna Nenova
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QUESTIONNAIRE RELATED TO TASK No. 39 *

The purpose of this Questionnaire is to gather information on the views of industrial property offices as to whether and how certain WIPO Standards should be revised in order to determine the unique identification of any patent document.

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1. Does your Office see a need for revision of certain WIPO Standards in connection with the application of supplementary correction codes?

Yes

2. (a) Which WIPO Standards, among those listed in Task No. 39, are considered by your Office as needing revision in order to clarify how a patent document should be uniquely identified?

All of listed into Task No.39 WIPO Standards

(b) Should any other WIPO Standard be added to those listed in your answer to question 2(a)? If so, please list them.

No

3. For each of the WIPO Standards given in your answers to questions 2(a) and 2(b), please list the specific part(s) which may require revision and/or further provisions with respect to this matter.

The unique identification of a patent document when applying supplementary correction codes requires the inclusion of the supplementary correction codes provided for by the WIPO Standard ST.50 as a further data element at the appropriate place of cited into Task No.39 WIPO Standards.

4. If your Office has any proposals concerning revision of, and/or further provisions to be inserted in, any of the items listed in your answer to question 3, please indicate.

No

[End of Questionnaire and of Circular C.SCIT 2460/03]

*Task No. 39 reads as follows:

“Investigate, in the light of the revised Standard ST.14, whether any other WIPO Standard, such as ST.6, ST.10/B, ST.11, ST.12, ST.16, ST.19, ST.30, ST.32, ST.35 and ST.40, requires in order to clarify how a patent document should be uniquely identified”