

**TEXT OF THE LETTER FROM  
THE TURKISH PATENT INSTITUTE**

Ref. Proposal for the Restructuring of the Standing Committee on Information Technology (SCIT)

Dear Ms. Frary,

Thank you for your letter dated September 1, 2000, sending us the document related with the above-mentioned subject.

As you know, we haven't joined the Standing Committee Meetings on Information Technologies (SCIT) up to now. However we organized a working group on this subject within the Turkish Patent Institute. They started to work the documents mentioned in your letter.

We haven't in a position to provide any comments on the options paper right now without comprehensive understanding. We will keep on studying and follow draft on the SCIT web site by October 13, 2000.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed)

Yunus LENGERANLI  
President