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The Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) presents his compliments and has the honor to invite Members and Observers to be represented to the eleventh session of the *Committee on WIPO Standards (CWS)*, which will be held in Geneva, at the headquarters of WIPO, from December 4 to 8, 2023, in a hybrid format.

The *CWS* provides a collaborative international forum to adopt new or revised WIPO standards, policies, recommendations and statements of principle relating to intellectual property data, global information system related matters, information services on the global system, data dissemination and documentation.

The Draft Agenda (document CWS/11/1 Prov.) is available on the WIPO website at: https://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/details.jsp?meeting_id=75413. Other working documents will be made available on the WIPO website in due course and regular updates advising of the posting of new documents will be transmitted.

Delegates nominated to participate physically on site and/or remotely via the online platform are requested to register by November 10, 2023, using the following link https://www.wipo.int/registration/en/form.jsp?organization=WIPO®istration_id=526.

In view of the pre-meeting technical and delegate-support arrangements required for remote participation *via* the online platform, delegations are requested to strictly adhere to the registration deadline. Registered remote delegates will be individually contacted concerning technical modalities. A user-guide for the remote participation platform is available at: https://www.wipo.int/meetings/en/virtual_meetings/index.html.

As WIPO is committed to promoting gender equality, it would be appreciated if parity could be taken into account when nominating the representatives.

Any queries in relation to this session may be addressed to the Secretariat at: cws.mail@wipo.int.

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