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February 15, 2018

Madam,  
Sir,

I have pleasure to invite your office to the 2018 session of the XML4IP Task Force of the Committee on WIPO Standards (CWS), to be hosted by Rospatent from Monday, May 14 (10 a.m.) to Friday, May 18, 2018. The working language for this meeting will be English.

The draft agenda (document CWS/XML4IP/18/1 Prov.) is available on the Task Force Wiki discussion forum at: <https://www3.wipo.int/confluence/x/PwAREg>. Other working documents will be available on the Wiki forum in due course.

I invite your Office to make comments on the draft agenda and provide proposals for additional agenda items by March 16, 2018, preferably by posting to the Wiki forum. If you require access to the forum, please send an email to [cws.mail@wipo.int](mailto:cws.mail@wipo.int).

Further information on the event, including pre-registration, the venue, and recommended hotels, will be made available shortly on the Task Force Wiki discussion forum.

If you require assistance in obtaining visas and related items for travel to the Russian Federation, you are invited to contact Mr. Alexander Cherepanov (e-mail: [rospat041@rupto.ru](mailto:rospat041@rupto.ru); telephone: +7 495 531-63-64).

It would be appreciated if the names and titles of the representatives of your office attending the XML4IP Task Force could be communicated to the International Bureau of WIPO by March 2, 2018, preferably by e-mail to [cws.mail@wipo.int](mailto:cws.mail@wipo.int).

Yours sincerely,



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