

### Eurasian Patent Office (EAPO)

In response to the circular C.8940 we would like to submit information on EAPO PPH Programmes, relevant to item (iii), international worksharing and collaborative activities for search and examination of patent applications

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