

Agenda Item 4 Proposal

- 1 I would like to start with the original CWS/1/2
- 2 In paragraph 21, to further working method of using electronic forums and task forces, include at the beginning of this paragraph the sentence "The authority for approving the creation of new WIPO Standards or for the revision of existing WIPO standards belongs to the CWS;" and the inclusion of the word ", however, in the second sentence of the words "The CWS may". I will read the entire paragraph as is being proposed "The authority for approving the creation of new WIPO Standards for the revision of existing WIPO standards belong to the CWS. The CWS may, however, establish a mechanism for reaching an agreement by electronic means, which may be delegated to its task forces as required."
- 3 In paragraph 22, to reflect the discussion of a Chair Summary, include at the beginning of this paragraph the following sentences "A Chair's summary will be adopted at the end of each session of the CWS. It will only refer to the decisions made by the CWS and the status of tasks. A detailed report of the session of the CWS will be posted on the WIPO website for comments after the closing of the session." To provide clarity in the remainder of this paragraph the word "detailed" is added in front of the word "report" in the original two sentences. I will read the entire paragraph as it is proposed "A Chair's summary will be adopted at the end of each session of the CWS. It will only refer to the decisions made by the CWS and the status of tasks. A detailed report of the session of the CWS will be posted on the WIPO website for comments after the closing of the session. The adoption of the detailed report may take place through electronic means. If it should not be possible to reach an agreement on the detailed report via the electronic means, then the adoption of the said report would be included in the agenda of the next session of the CWS."
- 4 In paragraph 28, to clarify how discussion within a Task Force e-forum and any face-to-face meetings will be coordinated, it is proposed to change the third paragraph to read "The information discussed and the work done by a task force at a meeting will be posted on the e-forum in order to allow those task force members who could not attend the meeting to express their views."
- 5 In paragraph 3 it is proposed that the words "Program and Budget Committee" be removed and the words "according to the General Rules of Procedure of WIPO" at the end of paragraph 3. Paragraph 3

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would now read "Recommendations and proposals from the CWS may be passed either to the WIPO General Assembly, or directly to the Director General as needed, according to the General Rules of Procedure of WIPO."

6 Paragraph 9, is adjusted to accurately reflect the wording included in paragraph 13 of WO/GA/38/10 by removing the words "and implementation". It is proposed that paragraph 9 now read "As proposed and agreed at the General Assembly (see WO/GA/38/10 and paragraphs 236-249 of WO/GA/28/20) the mandate of the CWS will be to provide a forum to work on the revision and development of WIPO standards, policies, global information system-related matters, information services on the global system, data dissemination and documentation relating to intellectual property information."

7 Paragraph 10 remains unchanged

8 Paragraph 11 is amended to more accurately reflect the decision of the 2009 General Assembly's report in particular paragraph 249 of WO/GA/38/20. It is proposed this paragraph reads "As proposed and agreed at the General Assembly (paragraph 249 of WIPO/GA/38/20) the mandate of the CWS will also follow-up the implementation of WIPO Standards, provide technical advice and assistance for capacity building, support IP Offices in undertaking projects regarding dissemination of IP information and IP services to SMEs."

9 A new paragraph be added as 11 bis to reflect that this committee needs additional opportunity to discuss and clarify aspects of the mandate. It is proposed this new paragraph should read "11 bis The CWS will further discuss the implementation of the mandate of the CWS, as approved by the 2009 General Assembly, to clarify how this may be implemented."

Recommendations and
 elements of paragraph relating
 to it properly today