

Special Union for the International Patent Classification (IPC Union) Committee of Experts

**Forty-Eighth Session
Geneva, February 24 to 26, 2016**

REVISED DRAFT AGENDA

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1. Opening of the session
2. Election of a Chair and two Vice-Chairs
3. Adoption of the agenda
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4. Report on the progress of the IPC revision program
See project [CE 462](#).
5. Amendments to the *Guide to the IPC* and other basic IPC documents
See projects [CE 454](#), [CE 455](#) and [CE456](#).
6. Consideration of the need to create a new class covering semiconductor technology
See project [CE481](#).
7. Consideration of the use of Position 40 "Source of Classification Data" in
WIPO Standard ST.8
See project [CE 464](#).
8. Reclassification status report and treatment of non-reclassified patent documents
in the MCD and IPCRECLASS
See projects [QC 013](#) and [CE 381](#).

9. Handover of the Working Lists management from the EPO to WIPO
See project [CE 472](#).
10. Report on IPC-related IT systems
Presentation by the International Bureau. See projects [CE 446](#) and [CE 447](#).
11. IPC Revision Management (IPCRM) Project
Presentations by the International Bureau. See project [CE 457](#).
12. Closing of the session

The opening meeting will start on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, at 10 a.m., at the Headquarters of WIPO, 34, chemin des Colombettes, Geneva.

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