

Advisory Committee on Enforcement

Sixteenth Session
Geneva, January 31 to February 2, 2024

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1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the agenda
3. Admission of *ad-hoc* observers
4. Special rules of procedure
5. Discussion of the work program agreed at the fifteenth session of the ACE (paragraph 41 of document WIPO/ACE/15/12):
 - exchange of information on national experiences on awareness-building activities and strategic campaigns as a means for building respect for IP among the general public, especially the youth, in accordance with Member States' educational or any other priorities;
 - exchange of information on national experiences relating to institutional arrangements concerning IP enforcement policies and regimes, including mechanisms to resolve IP disputes in a balanced, holistic and effective manner;
 - exchange of information on national experiences in respect of WIPO's legislative assistance, with a focus on drafting national laws of enforcement that take into account the flexibilities, the level of development, the difference in legal tradition and the possible abuse of enforcement procedures, bearing in mind the broader societal interest and in accordance with Member States' priorities; and

- exchange of success stories on capacity building and support from WIPO for training activities at national and regional levels for agencies and national officials in line with relevant Development Agenda Recommendations and the ACE mandate.
6. Recent activities of WIPO in the field of building respect for IP
 7. Work of the ACE
 8. Election of a Chair and two Vice-Chairs for the seventeenth session
 9. Adoption of the Summary by the Chair
 10. Closing of the session

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