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1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the agenda  
   See present document.
3. IPC revision projects relating to the mechanical field  
   See projects [F 157](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F157), [F 160](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F160), [F 166](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F166), [F 169](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F169) and [F 170](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F170).
4. IPC revision projects relating to the electrical field  
   See projects [C 505](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C505), [C 510](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C510), [C 511](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C511), [C 512](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C512), [C 513](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C513), [C 514](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C514), [C 515](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C515), [C 516](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C516), [C 522](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C522), [C 523](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C523), [C 524](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C524), [C 526](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C526), [F 140](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F140), [F 143](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F143), [F 158](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F158) and [F 171](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/F171).
5. IPC revision projects relating to the chemical field  
   See projects [C 525](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C525) and [C 527](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/C527).
6. IPC maintenance projects relating to the mechanical field  
   See projects [M 621](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M621), [M 634](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M634) and [M 817](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M817).
7. IPC maintenance projects relating to the electrical field  
   See projects [M 633](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M633), [M 815](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M815), [M 820](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M820), [M 827](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M827), [M 828](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M828), [M 829](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M829) and [M 830](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M830).
8. IPC maintenance projects relating to the chemical field  
   See projects [M 627](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M627), [M 812](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M812), [M 818](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M818) and [M 825](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/M825).
9. Status of removal of NLRs within M 200 to M 500 projects  
   See project [WG 191](https://www3.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipcef/public/en/project/WG191).
10. Updates on IPC-related IT support   
    Presentation by the International Bureau.
11. Next session of the Working Group
12. Adoption of the report
13. Closing of the session

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