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April 30, 2007

Re: SDWG Task Force on Revisions and Updates of WIPO Standard ST.66
(ST.66 Task Force)

Madam,
Sir,

At its eighth session, held from March 19 to 22, 2007, the Standards and Documentation Working Group (SDWG) of the Standing Committee on Information Technologies (SCIT) adopted the new WIPO Standard ST.66, entitled “Recommendation for the Processing of Trademark Information Using XML (eXtensible Markup Language)”.

At that meeting, the SDWG approved the creation of a new Task: “Ensure the necessary revisions and updates of WIPO Standard ST.66”. In order to handle the continuous revision and updating of WIPO Standard ST.66, the SDWG also approved that the ST.66 Forum within the Trademark Standards Task Force become the ST.66 Task Force with the Secretariat as Task Force Leader. (See paragraphs 55 and 56 of document SCIT/SDWG/8/14.)

./. The membership list of the ST.66 Forum is contained in the attached Annex. The International Bureau hereby invites those offices wishing to participate actively in the Task Force either to confirm the participants who were members of the ST.66 Forum or to nominate a representative to the said Task Force. Participants are expected to be specialists having the required knowledge of the XML technologies and WIPO Standard ST.66, as well as experience in processing trademark information. The work of the Task Force shall be conducted in English by electronic means and will commence in May 2007.

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Should your Office/Organization wish to participate in the Task Force, details of your representative (name, title, and e-mail address) should be sent to the International Bureau at *scit.mail@wipo.int* by May 11, 2007. It would be appreciated if the number of this Circular could be quoted as a reference in all correspondence.

Yours sincerely,



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