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Re: WIPO API Catalog for Intellectual Property
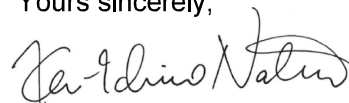_____

Madam,
Sir,

At its eleventh session held in December 2023, the Committee on WIPO Standards (CWS) requested the Secretariat to issue a circular inviting Intellectual Property Offices (IPOs) to provide information relating to different Application Programming Interface (API) endpoints exposed by Offices (see paragraphs 44 to 46 of document CWS/11/28.)

Through close collaboration with the Offices in the API Task Force, the International Bureau developed the API Catalog for Intellectual Property (IP) portal which is now available at: https://www.wipo.int/standards/en/api-catalog/index.html. The API Catalog for IP is a unified platform that offers a list of APIs provided by IP institutions for their products and services.

Your Office/Organization is kindly invited to provide information on which APIs are publicly available by filling in this published EXCEL Template, which is available in WIPO website at: https://www.wipo.int/standards/en/api-catalog/ip-institution-guide.html, and providing it to the Secretariat by emailing cws.mail@wipo.int by August 30, 2024.

Any questions on this survey, including technical issues with this online survey tool, can be directed to the Secretariat at: cws.mail@wipo.int.

Yours sincerely,

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