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Madam, Sir,

I have the pleasure to invite your Organization to be represented as an observer at the thirteenth session of the *Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) Working Group* and at the thirty-first session of the *PCT Committee for Technical Cooperation*, which will both be held in Geneva, at the headquarters of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), from Tuesday, May 26 at 10 a.m., to Friday, May 29, 2020.

The draft agenda for both sessions (documents PCT/WG/13/1 Prov. and PCT/CTC/31/1 Prov.) and other working documents are available on the WIPO website at: www.wipo.int/meetings/en/details.jsp?meeting\_id=55850 and www.wipo.int/meetings/en/details.jsp?meeting\_id=55849.

We would appreciate it if the name(s), title(s) and e-mail address(es) of the representative(s) of your Organization who will attend the session could be communicated to the International Bureau of WIPO by April 30, 2020. In order to communicate this information, representatives may register online at:

www3.wipo.int/registration/en/form.jsp?organization=WIPO&registration\_id=386 by using the following code: NLA33DF543.

As WIPO is committed to promoting gender equality, it would be appreciated if parity could be taken into account when nominating the representatives.

Any queries in relation to these meetings may be addressed to the Secretariat at: <u>pct.wg@wipo.int</u>.

Yours sincerely,

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