NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY EDUCATION, TRAINING AND RESEARCH

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in cooperation with
the Industrial Property Institute (IPI)
Government of the Republic of Mozambique
and
Eduardo Mondlane University

Maputo, November 27 to 29, 2006

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

prepared by the Secretariat
Monday, November 27, 2006

9.00 - 9.30 Registration

9.30 - 10.00 OPENING CEREMONY
   Welcome address by the Vice Chancellor of Eduardo Mondlane University
   Key note address by a representative of the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
   Opening address by Honorable Mr. António Fernando, Minister of Industry and Trade, Republic of Mozambique

10.00 - 11.00 Theme One: Importance of Teaching Intellectual Property (IP) in Universities, R&D Institutions and Other Higher Schools of Learning
   Speaker: Mr. Mpazi Sinjela, Dean, WIPO Worldwide Academy, WIPO

11.00 - 11.15 Discussion

11.15 - 11.30 Coffee break

11.30 - 12.30 Theme Two: Emerging Needs and Challenges Faced by Academic Institutions in the Teaching of IP and Carrying Out IP Research with special emphasis on Mozambique
   Moderator: Mrs. Martha Chikowore, Consultant, Policy Development and Education Degree/Diploma Programs, WIPO Worldwide Academy, WIPO
   Panelist: Mrs. Ana Comoane, Lecturer, Faculty of Law, Eduardo Mondlane University, Maputo
   Panelist: Mr. Taibo Mucobora, Dean of the Faculty of Law, Eduardo Mondlane University, Maputo

12.30 - 12.45 Discussion

12.45 - 14.15 Lunch break
14.15 - 15.15  **Theme Three:** Partnerships Between Academic Institutions, the Private Sector and Other Communities of Interest for IP Education, Training and Research

Moderator: Mr. Mpazi Sinjela

Panelist: Mr. Anil Sinha, Head/Senior Lecturer, Research & Executive Program, WIPO Worldwide Academy, WIPO

Panelist: Ms. Nonhlanhla Simphiwe Shabangu, Lecturer, Department of Law, University of Swaziland, Mbabane

15.15 - 15.30  Discussion

15.30 - 15.45  Coffee break

15.45 - 16.45  **Theme Four:** Role of and need for Cooperation Between Academic Institutions in the Teaching of IP and Exchange Programs

Moderator: Mr. Anil Sinha

Panelist: Mr. Mpazi Sinjela

Panelist: Mr. Saudin Jacob Mwakaje, Coordinator of Intellectual Property Law Course, University of Dar es Salaam, Dar es Salaam

16.45 - 17.00  Discussion

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**Tuesday, November 28, 2006**

9.30 - 10.30  **Theme Five:** Nature of Government Support Required in IP Teaching, Training and Research

Moderator: Mr. Fernando dos Santos

Panelist: Mr. George M. Kanja, Lecturer, School of Law, University of Zambia, Lusaka

Panelist: Mrs. Martha Chikowore

10.30 - 10.45  Discussion

10.45 - 11.00  Coffee break
11.00 - 12.30  Theme Six: Basics and Strategies for Designing IP Education and Research Including Development of Curricula and Course Materials for Different Departments

11.00 - 11.30  (i) Developing a Business Oriented Program
Speaker: Mr. Anil Sinha

11.30 - 12.00  (ii) The Practice, Experience and IP Teaching in Mozambique
Speaker: Dr. Benjamin Capito, Lecturer, Faculty of Law, Eduardo Mondlane University, Maputo

12.00 - 12.30  Discussion

12.30 - 14.30  Lunch break

14.30 - 15.30  Theme Seven: The Complementary Role of Intellectual Property Offices, Universities and Practitioners in IP Education and Research
Moderator: Mr. Mpazi Sinjela
Panelist: Mr. Fernando dos Santos
Panelist: Ms. Nonhlanhla Simphiwe Shabangu

15.30 - 15.45  Discussion

15.45 - 16.00  Coffee break

16.00 - 17.00  Theme Eight: Current Trends and New Approaches for Intellectual Property Education, Training and Research
Moderator: Mr. Anil Sinha
Panelist: Mr. George Kanja
Panelist: Mr. Saudin Jacob Mwakaje

17.00 - 17.15  Discussion
Wednesday, November 29, 2006

9.30 - 10.30  **Theme Nine:** Educational Programs and Opportunities Provided by the WIPO Worldwide Academy

Speaker: Mrs. Martha Chikowore

10.30 - 10.45  Discussion

10.45 - 11.00  Coffee break

11.00 - 11.45  Roundtable Discussion on Strengthening Intellectual Property Education, Training and Research to Meet the Needs of Sustainable Development: Proposals and Strategies

Moderator: Mr. Mpazi Sinjela

11.45 - 12.00  CLOSING CEREMONY  Closing Remarks by a representative of the Government of Mozambique

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