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Geneva, 17-21 October 2016

Programme

Monday, 17 October 2016

Venue: WTO, Room E

08h30 – 09h00 Registration of Participants

09h00 – 09h15 Opening of the Workshop

Speaker: Mr. Xiaozhun YI, Deputy Director-General, WTO

09h15 – 09h45 Introduction of Participants

09h45 – 10h15 *Coffee Break*

Theme 1

Setting the Scene

10h15 – 11h45 Roundtable Discussion: Mapping the Interface between Health, Trade and Intellectual Property

Speakers: Mr. Antony TAUBMAN, Director, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO
Ms. Suja RISHIKESH MAVROIDIS, Director, Market Access Division, WTO
Mr. Hoe LIM, Director, Trade and Environment Division, WTO
Mr. Robert ANDERSON, Counsellor, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO
Dr. Inthira YAMABHAI, Technical officer, Essential Medicines & Health Products Department, WHO
Mr. Hans Georg BARTELS, Senior Programme Officer, Global Challenges Division, WIPO

11h45 – 12h15 Economics of Medical Technologies – Innovation and Access

Speaker: Ms. Jayashree WATAL, Counsellor, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO

12h15 – 12h30 Discussion

12h30 – 13h30 *Lunch Break*

Theme II**The Innovation Dimension**

13h30 – 15h00

The Intellectual Property System as Determinant for Innovation in the Pharmaceutical Sector: Implementing and Managing IPRs

Speakers: Mr. Wolf MEIER-EWERT, Counsellor, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO

Mr. Hans Georg BARTELS, WIPO

Dr. Inthira YAMABHAI, WHO

15h00 – 15h15

Discussion

15h15 – 15h45

Selected Country Experiences Presented by Participants

Speakers: Ms Lili GUO, Netherlands

Ms Mogani KONAR, South Africa

15h45 – 16h15

Coffee Break

16h15 – 17h15

Models for Collaboration

- Public-Private Partnerships for Innovation and Access
- Industry Partnerships
- WIPO Re: Search

Speakers: Mr. Jean-Pierre PACCAUD, Director, Business Development and Legal, Drugs for Neglected Diseases initiative (DNDi), WHO/DNDi Global Antibiotic Research and Development Partnership (GARDP)

Mr. Thaddeus BURNS, Senior Counsel, Intellectual Property and Trade, General Electric

Ms. Meghana SHARAFUDEEN, Associate Program Officer, Global Challenges Division, Global Issues Sector, WIPO

17h15 – 17h30

Discussion

Tuesday, 18 October 2016*Venue: WHO, Room M.405***Theme III****The Access Dimension**

09h00 – 10h00

The Public Health Context and Overview of Determinants Related to Access

Speaker: Dr. Inthira YAMABHAI, WHO

10h00 – 10h15

Discussion

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| 10h15 – 11h30 | <p><i>Breakout Session</i></p> <p><u>Non-Communicable Diseases</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multilateral Initiatives and International Programmes • Trade and NCDs <p>Moderated by Dr. Benn MCGRADY, Technical Officer (Legal), Prevention of Non-Communicable Diseases, WHO</p> <p><u>Comments:</u> Mrs. Beverly LIVERPOOL, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Mrs. Taoa Delphina KERSLAKE, Samoa</p> |
| 11h30 – 12h00 | <i>Coffee Break</i> |
| 12h00 – 12h30 | <p>The Doha Declaration on the TRIPS Agreement and Public Health: Creating Legal Avenues for Access to Medicines</p> <p><u>Speaker:</u> Mr. Roger KAMPF, Counsellor, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO</p> |
| 12h30 – 12h45 | Discussion |
| 12h45 – 13h45 | <i>Lunch Break</i> |
| 13h45 – 14h45 | <p>Using the IP System and its Policy Options to Further Global Access in Health</p> <p><u>Speaker:</u> Mr. Marco ALEMÁN, Acting Director, Patent Law Division, Patents and Technology Sector, WIPO</p> |
| 14h45 – 15h00 | Discussion |
| 15h00 – 15h30 | <p>Selected Country Experiences Presented by Participants</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u> Ms. Sharmila Mary JOSEPH KUMBATTU, India Ms. Anna Melissa GUERRERO, Philippines</p> |
| 15h30 – 16h00 | <i>Coffee Break</i> |
| 16h00 – 17h30 | <p>Case Study: Pharmaceutical Industry Policy, Local Production of Medicines, Access Strategies, and Technology Transfer</p> <p>Moderated by Mr. Christoph SPENNEMANN, Legal Officer and Officer-in-Charge, Intellectual Property Unit, Division on Investment and Enterprise, UNCTAD</p> |

Wednesday, 19 October 2016*Venue: WTO, Room E***Making Effective Use of Special Compulsory Licences for Export:
A Procurement Tool for Medicines**

09h00 – 09h15 Introduction to the Paragraph 6 System

Speaker: Mr. Antony TAUBMAN, WTO**I. Taking Stock**

09h15 – 09h30 Overview and Context

- Why was a new TRIPS flexibility adopted?
- What needs does it address?
- When is it intended to be used?

Speaker: Ms. Jayashree WATAL, WTO

09h30 – 10h15 Putting the System to Work: Key Practical Steps

- Identification and notification of pharmaceutical needs
- Identification of supply sources
- Compulsory licence procedures
- Transparency and safeguards against diversion
- Relevance of regulatory approvals
- Coordination
- Use at regional level

Speaker: Mr. Antony TAUBMAN, WTO10h15 – 10h45 *Coffee Break*

10h45 – 11h15 Implementing Measures Taken by WTO Members

- Which Members have export mechanisms in place?

Speaker: Mr. Roger KAMPF, WTO

11h15 – 11h30 Entry into Force of the TRIPS Amendment

Speaker: Mr. Roger KAMPF, WTO

11h30 – 12h30 Case Study

Moderated by Ms. Jayashree WATAL and Mr. Roger KAMPF, WTO

12h30 – 13h30 *Lunch Break***II. Matching Supply under the System with Patients' Needs**

13h30 – 14h00 Mapping Patents in Supply Countries

Speaker: Mr. Andrew CZAJKOWSKI, Head, Innovation and Technology Support Section, Access to Information and Knowledge Division, WIPO

14h00 – 14h30 Using Medicines Price Data and Meeting Regulatory Requirements

Speaker: Dr. Inthira YAMABHAI, WHO

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| 14h30 – 15h00 | Integrating the System into the Procurement Process |
| | <u>Speakers:</u> Mrs. Ines FRADI EP DRIDI, Tunisia Mr. Shafiu ADAMU, Nigeria Ms. Amitha NSHINIRIMANA, Burundi Ms. Barjola HODAJ, Albania Dr. Mohd Helmi ZAKARIAH, Malaysia |
| 15h00 – 15h30 | <i>Coffee Break</i> |
| 15h30 – 15h50 | Contributing to the Effective Working of the System as an Exporting Country |
| | <u>Speaker:</u> Mr. Pedro VELASCO MARTINS, Deputy Head of Unit, Intellectual Property and Public Procurement, DG Trade, European Commission |
| 15h50 – 16h10 | Implementing the System at Regional Level |
| | <u>Speaker:</u> Mr. Mustaqeem DE GAMA, Counsellor, Permanent Mission of the Republic of South Africa to the UN and Other International Organizations (TBC) |
| 16h10 – 16h30 | Engaging in the Production of Generic Medicines Under the System |
| | <u>Speaker:</u> Mr. Sergio NAPOLITANO, International Generic and Biosimilar Medicines Association (IGBA); Legal Affairs and Trade Director, Medicines for Europe |
| III. Looking at the Way Forward | |
| 16h30 – 17h30 | Roundtable Discussion |
| | <u>Moderator:</u> Mr. Antony TAUBMAN, WTO |

Thursday, 20 October 2016*Venue: WTO, Room S3*

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| 09h00 – 10h00 | Trade in Health Services |
| | <u>Speaker:</u> Mr. Markus JELITTO, Counsellor, Trade in Services Division, WTO |
| 10h00 – 10h15 | Discussion |
| 10h15 – 10h45 | <i>Coffee Break</i> |
| 10h45 – 11h45 | Competition Policy and Rules |
| | <u>Speakers:</u> Mr. Pierre ARHEL, Counsellor, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO Mr. Harald MISCHÉ, Administrator, DG Competition, European Commission |

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| 11h45 – 12h45 | Exercise: Competition Policy Tools to Achieve Public Health Objectives Moderated by Mr. Harald MISCHE, European Commission and Mr. Pierre ARHEL, WTO |
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12h45 – 13h45 *Lunch Break*

13h45 – 14h30 Access to Trade Technologies: the WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement

Speaker: Ms. Nora NEUFELD, Counsellor, Market Access Division, WTO

14h30 – 14h45 Discussion

14h45 – 15h45 Procurement Rules and Practices

Speakers: Ms. Lisa HEDMAN, Technical Officer, Department of Essential Medicines and Health Products, WHO

Mr. Kodjo OSEI-LAH, Counsellor, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO

Mr. Philippe PELLETIER, Legal Affairs Officer, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO

15h45 – 16h00 Discussion

16h00 – 16h15 *Coffee Break*

16h15 – 17h15 How to Enhance Synergies between Public Health Objectives and Trade Agreements: Industry and Civil Society Perspective

Speakers: Mr. Sergio NAPOLITANO, IGBA/Medicines for Europe

Mr. Guilherme CINTRA, Manager, Innovation, IP and Trade Strategy and Legal Affairs, International Federation of Pharmaceutical Manufacturers & Associations (IFPMA)

Ms. Yuanqiong HU, Legal & Policy Advisor, Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF)

17h15 – 17h30 Discussion

Friday, 21 October 2016

Venue: WTO, Room S3

09h00 – 09h45 Health-Related Provisions in RTAs

Speakers: Ms. Josefita PARDO DE LEON, Legal Affairs Officer, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO

Ms. Maegan MCCANN, Junior Legal Affairs Officer, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division, WTO

Dr. Inthira YAMABHAI, WHO

09h45 – 10h00 Discussion

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| 10h00 – 11h00 | <p><i>Breakout Session</i></p> <p><u>Human Rights and Access to Medicines</u></p> <p>Moderated by Ms. Ilona KICKBUSCH, Director, Global Health Centre, the Graduate Institute</p> <p><u>Speaker:</u> Mr. Carlos PASSARELLI, Member of the UN Secretary General High Level Panel Secretariat and Senior Expert Treatment, UNAIDS</p> <p><u>Comments:</u> Ms. Lynn GENTILE, Human Rights Officer, Human Rights and Economic and Social Issues Section, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights</p> <p>Ms. Jennifer BRANT, Director, Innovation Insights</p> <p>Mr. Antony TAUBMAN, WTO</p> |
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11h00 – 11h30 *Coffee Break*

Theme IV **The Regulatory Dimension**

11h30 - 12h30 Approval, Quality Control and Effectiveness of Medicines, including Counterfeit, Falsified and Substandard Medicines

Speakers: Mr. Michael DEATS, Technical Officer, Department of Essential Medicines & Health Products, WHO

Mr. Roger KAMPF, WTO

12h30 – 12h45 Discussion

12h45 – 13h45 *Lunch Break*

13h45 – 14h30 Protection of Clinical Trial Data – Policy, Legal and Economic Aspects

Speakers: Ms. Jayashree WATAL, WTO

Ms. Karin TIMMERMANS, Technical Manager, UNITAID

14h30 – 14h45 Discussion

14h45 – 15h15 Standards, Health Regulation and Trade

Speakers: Ms. Christiane WOLFF, Counsellor, Agriculture and Commodities Division, WTO

Mr. Devin MCDANIELS, Economic Affairs Officers, Trade and Environment Division, WTO

15h15 – 15h30 Discussion

15h30 – 16h00 *Coffee Break*

16h00 – 16h30 Health-Related Measures in the TBT and SPS Committees: Selected Specific Trade Concerns Raised by Members

Speakers: Ms. Christiane WOLFF and Mr. Devin MCDANIELS, WTO

16h30 – 17h30 Case Study on Specific Trade Concerns

Moderated by Ms. Christiane WOLFF and Mr. Devin MCDANIELS

17h30 – 18h00 Closing Remarks: Experiences and Lessons Learned from the Workshop