

## ASSISTANCE ON LEGISLATION

1998	Draft laws submitted	Comments submitted	Legislative advice provided
	Bahamas (CNR)	Bahamas (CNR)	Andean Group (IP)
	Barbados (CNR)	Barbados (IP)	Barbados (IP)
	Benin (CNR)	Benin (CNR)	Bhutan (IP)
	Central America (IP 2 texts)	Botswana (IP 2 texts) + (CNR)	Burkina Faso (CNR)
	Dominica (IP 4 texts)	Brunei (IP)	China (IP)
	Ethiopia (CNR)	Burkina Faso (CNR)	Côte d'Ivoire (OAPI) (CNR)
	The Gambia (CNR)	Cambodia (IP)	Cuba (IP)
	Grenada (IP) + (CNR)	Chad (CNR)	Dominica (IP x 2)
	Indonesia (IP) + (CNR)	Dominica (IP 2 texts)	Dominican Republic (IP x 2)
	Jordan (IP 3 texts) + (CNR)	Haiti (CNR)	Fiji (IP)
	Kenya (IP) 2 texts	Indonesia (CNR)	Ghana (IP x 2)
	Kuwait (CNR) + (IP 3 texts)	Jordan (IP)	The Gambia (IP) + (CNR)
	Lesotho (IP 2 texts)	Korea (IP)	Honduras (IP)
	Mongolia (IP)	Kuwait (IP) + (CNR)	India (IP x 2)
	Namibia (CNR)	Madagascar (IP)	Kuwait (IP)
	Nepal (CNR)	Mauritius (IP)	Mongolia (IP x 2)
	Oman (IP 2 texts)	Mongolia (IP)	Nepal (IP)
	Papua New Guinea (CNR)	Morocco (CNR)	Nicaragua (IP)
	St. Lucia (CNR)	Nepal (IP)	OAPI (IP)
	Saudi Arabia (IP 4 texts) + (CNR)	Nicaragua (IP) + (CNR)	Oman (IP x 2)
	Sri Lanka (IP)	Pakistan (IP 2 texts)	Papua New Guinea (IP)
	Tanzania (IP)	Qatar (IP) + (CNR)	Samoa (IP)
	Vanuatu (CNR)	Saudi Arabia (IP 2 texts) + (CNR)	Singapore (IP)
		Singapore (IP 3 texts)	Sri Lanka (IP)
		St. Lucia (CNR)	St. Kitts & Nevis (IP)
		Tanzania (IP) + (CNR)	Syria (IP)
		Thailand (IP 2 texts)	Thailand (IP x 2)
		Togo (CNR)	Trinidad & Tobago (IP)
		Tunisia (IP 2 texts)	Vanuatu (IP)
		UAE (IP 3 texts)	
		Zambia (CNR)	
<b>TOTAL Laws, etc.</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>37</b>
<b>TOTAL Countries, etc.</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>29</b>

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	Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Venezuela (IP x 5)	Algeria (CNR)	Andean Group (IP)
	Bermuda (IP) + (CNR)	Bangladesh (IP)	Benin (CNR)
	Bolivia (IP x) + (CNR)	Barbados (IP 2 texts)	Bhutan (IP)
	Botswana (IP 2 texts) + (CNR)	Benin (CNR)	Bolivia (IP) + (CNR)
	Cambodia (IP)	Botswana (CNR)	Botswana (IP)
	Egypt (CNR) + (IP 3 texts)	Brunei (CNR)	Brunei (CNR)
	Gabon (CNR)	Burundi (CNR 3 texts)	Cambodia (IP)
	Guatemala (IP)	Cambodia (CNR) + (IP 5 texts)	China (IP)
	Honduras (IP)	Cameroon (CNR)	Dominican Republic (IP x 2)
	Iran (IP 3 texts) + (CNR)	Côte d'Ivoire (CNR)	El Salvador (CNR) + (IP)
	Jamaica (IP 3 texts)	Dominican Republic (IP)	Ethiopia (IP)
	Liberia (IP)	El Salvador (CNR)	Fiji (IP)
	Madagascar (CNR)	Gabon (CNR)	Gabon (CNR)
	Malaysia (CNR) + (IP)	Ghana (IP 8 texts)	Ghana (IP)
	Maldives (CNR) + (IP)	Gulf Cooperation Council (IP)	Guatemala (IP)
	Mauritius (IP 4 texts)	Honduras (CNR)	Gulf Cooperation Council (IP)
	Nepal (IP 2 texts)	Indonesia (IP 3 texts)	Indonesia (IP)
	Nicaragua (IP 2 texts)	Kenya (CNR)	Jamaica (IP)
	Oman (CNR)	Kuwait (IP)	Kenya (CNR)
	Pakistan (IP)	Lesotho (IP)	Kuwait (IP)
	Palestinian National Authority (CNR) + (IP)	Malaysia (IP 4 texts) + (CNR)	Malaysia (CNR x 2) + (IP)
	Papua New Guinea (IP 2 texts) + (CNR)	Mauritius (IP)	Mauritius (IP x 3) + (CNR)
	Qatar (IP)	Morocco (CNR)	Nicaragua (IP)
	Samoa (CNR)	Nicaragua (CNR)	OAU (IP)
	St. Kitts & Nevis (IP 3 texts) + (CNR)	OAPI (IP 6 texts) + (CNR)	Oman (IP)
	Suriname (IP)	Oman (CNR) + (IP 3 texts)	Panama (IP x 2)
	The Gambia (IP)	Pakistan (CNR 2 texts)	Papua New Guinea (IP) + (CNR)
	Uganda (CNR)	Sierra Leone (IP)	Paraguay (IP)
	Zanzibar (IP) + (CNR)	Suriname (CNR)	Peru (IP)
	Zimbabwe (CNR) + (IP 2 texts)	UAE (IP) + (CNR)	Qatar (IP)
		Uganda (IP 3 texts) + (CNR)	Saudi Arabia (IP x 2)
			Singapore (IP x 2) + (CNR)
			Suriname (IP) + (CNR)
			Swaziland (IP)
			The Gambia (IP)
			UAE (IP x 2)
			Zimbabwe (IP)
TOTAL Laws, etc.	61	66	52
TOTAL Countries, etc.	33	31	37

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	Algeria (IP 2 texts)	Algeria (IP 6 texts)	Bangladesh (IP) + (CNR)
	Andean Group (IP)	Bangladesh (IP) + (CNR)	Dominican Republic (CNR)
	Antigua & Barbuda (IP) + (CNR)	Belize (CNR) + (IP)	Gulf Cooperation Council (IP)
	Bangladesh (IP)	Brazil (CNR)	Ghana (IP)
	Bermuda (CNR) + (IP)	El Salvador (CNR)	Grenada (IP)
	Belize (IP) + (CNR)	Egypt (IP 2 texts)	Honduras (IP)
	Djibouti (IP)	Jamaica (CNR) + (IP)	Iran (IP)
	Gambia (CNR)	Lebanon (CNR)	CARICOM (CNR)
	Guinea (CNR)	Panama (IP)	Jordan (IP)
	Haiti (IP) + (CNR)	Trinidad & Tobago (CNR)	Malaysia (IP 2 texts)
	Kiribati (CNR)	Zimbabwe (IP 5 texts)	Palestinian National Authority (CNR)
	Mali (CNR)	Vanuatu (CNR)	Sudan (IP)
	Oman (IP)		Trinidad & Tobago (IP 2x) + (CNR)
	Suriname (CNR)		
	Syria (IP)		
	Tonga (CNR)		
<b>TOTAL Laws, etc.</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>TOTAL Countries, etc.</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>

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(January 1, 1996 - June 30, 2000)

Africa

Name of Country	Title of Meeting	Venue	Number of Participating Countries	Number of Participants		Participation in Meetings		
				Foreign	Local	Inter-Regional	Regional	Sub-regional
Angola	WIPO Regional Seminar on Copyright and Neighboring Rights for Lusophone Countries (1996)	Luanda	5	8	100	7	2	4
	WIPO National Round Table on Industrial Property (1996)	Luanda			100			
Benin	African Regional Colloquium on the TRIPS Agreement (1997)	Cotonou	19	45	10			
	WIPO Sub-regional Technical Workshop on Collective Management of Performers' Rights (1998)	Cotonou	9	18	100	8	13	21
	Regional Roundtable for African Countries on the Protection of Databases and on the Protection of the Rights of Broadcasting Organizations (1999)	Cotonou	13	13	27			
	WIPO Subregional Seminar on Copyright and Collective Management in the Digital Era (2000)	Cotonou	14	48	23			
Botswana	WIPO National Seminar on Copyright and Neighboring Rights (1997)	Gaborone			80	9	16	3
Burkina Faso	WIPO Sub-regional Workshop on Invention and Innovation in Economic Development	Ouagadougou	11	12	20	14	17	15
	WIPO African Regional General Introductory Course on Industrial Property for French-Speaking Countries of Africa (1996)	Ouagadougou	17	16	30			
	WIPO National Seminar on TRIPS and Other Industrial Property Issues (1999)	Ouagadougou			65			
	WIPO Sub-Regional Seminar on the Implementation of the TRIPS Agreement for African French-speaking countries LDCs (1999)	Ouagadougou	16	100	20			
Burundi Cameroon	WIPO Regional Seminar on the Protection and Use of Geographical Indications in Trade (1996)	Yaoundé	17	16	35	4	4	11
	National Seminar on Industrial Property (1998)	Douala			50	8	17	17
	WIPO Sub-Regional Seminar on the Implementation of the TRIPS Agreement by the Year 2000 (1999)	Douala	4	24	40			
	WIPO National Seminar as follow-up of the Regional Seminar on TRIPS (2000)	Douala			64			

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Name of Country	Meetings Organized					Participation in Meetings		
	Title of Meeting	Venue	Number of Participating Countries	Number of Participants		Inter-Regional	Regional	Sub-regional
Cape Verde Central African Republic	Round Table on Industrial Property (1997)	Praia		Foreign	Local	4	4	4
	WIPO National Seminar on Industrial Property (1997)	Bangui			56	9	8	16
	WIPO National Seminar on Industrial Property (1998)	Bangui			64			
	WIPO-WTO Joint Symposium on the Implementation of the TRIPS Agreement (1999)	Bangui	21	42				
Chad	WIPO National Seminar on Copyright and Neighboring Rights (1996)	N'Djaména			200	9	9	16
	WIPO National Seminar on Industrial Property (1997)	N'Djaména			54			
	National Seminar on Industrial Property (1999)	N'Djaména			51			
	National Seminar on Copyright (1999)	N'Djaména			60	3	3	8
Comoros						3	5	10
Côte d'Ivoire	WIPO African Regional ("Mega Symposium") Symposium on the Implications of the TRIPS Agreement (1996)	Abidjan	16	39	20	6	7	14
	WIPO National Seminar on the TRIPS Agreement (1999)	Abidjan			86			
	WIPO Regional Seminar on Invention and Innovation in Africa: Assembly for ARIA Members (1999)	Abidjan	31	49	?			
	WIPO Subregional Round Table on Electronic Commerce: Its Impact on Development of Trade and on IP (2000)	Abidjan	7	21	80			
	WIPO National Seminar as follow-up of the Regional Seminar on TRIPS (2000)	Abidjan			150			
Democratic Rep. of the Congo						2	2	3
Djibouti						2		
Equatorial Guinea						4	2	6
Eritrea						4	11	8

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				Foreign	Local	Inter-Regional	Regional	Sub-regional
Ethiopia	WIPO National Workshop for Patent Lawyers (1997)+B16	Addis Ababa			40	13	15	7
	WIPO Roving National Seminar on Industrial Property (1998)	Nazareth & Bahir Dar			50			
	<b>WIPO Roving National Seminar on Industrial Property (2000)</b>	<b>Dire Dawa &amp; Awassa</b>			<b>50</b>			
Gabon	WIPO Regional Workshop on the Promotion of Industrial Property for Heads of National Liaison Structures of OAPI Member Countries (1997)	Libreville	15	15	40	5	13	19
	WIPO National Seminar on the Implementation of the TRIPS Agreement (1999)	Libreville						
	Sub-Regional General Introductory Course on IP (1999)	Libreville	16 + OAPI	20	16			
	<b>WIPO National Seminar as follow-up of the Regional Seminar on TRIPS (2000)</b>	<b>Libreville</b>			<b>82</b>			
Gambia, The	African Sub-Regional Symposium on the Implementation of the TRIPS Agreement in Least-Developed Countries (LDCs) by the Year 2006 (1999)	Banjul	9	28	17	7	4	6
Ghana	<b>WIPO/IFFRO National Seminar on Reprographic Rights (2000)</b>	<b>Accra</b>			<b>50</b>	16	25	9
	<b>WIPO Subregional Workshop on Collective Management and Performers Rights (2000)</b>	<b>Accra</b>	13	31	7			
Guinea	WIPO Regional General Introductory Course on Industrial Property (1997)	Conakry	16	20	21	10	15	21
	WIPO National Seminar on Industrial Property (1999)	Conakry			53			
Guinea-Bissau	<b>WIPO Subregional Seminar on the Use of Geographical Indications and Trademarks (2000)</b>	<b>Conakry</b>	18	18	59			
	WIPO African Introductory Course on Industrial Property for English-speaking Countries (1996)					7	6	8
Kenya	WIPO/USPTO African Sub-regional Symposium on International Standards for protecting Industrial Property in the Digital Age (1999)	Nairobi	15	14	50	15	25	5
		Mombasa	20	56	80			

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				Foreign	Local	Inter-Regional	Regional	Sub-regional
Lesotho	WIPO Regional Seminar on Automation Procedure in Industrial Property Classification and Harmonization of ARIPO Protocols with TRIPS (1997)	Maseru	17	24	30	8	18	13
Liberia						3	4	7
Madagascar	WIPO National Seminar on Copyright and Neighboring Rights (1996)	Antananarivo			200	18	6	11
	WIPO National Seminar on Industrial Property (1996)	Toamasina			20			
	WIPO National Seminar on Industrial Property (1997)	Toamasina			20			
	WIPO Seminar on the protection of Copyrights and Performer's Rights for Indian Ocean Countries (1999)	Antananarivo	4	17	80			
Malawi	WIPO Regional Seminar for Experts on Copyright and Neighboring Rights for SADC Countries (1996)	Lilongwe	11	20	40	14	18	9
	WIPO National Seminar on Copyright and Neighboring Rights (1997)	Blantyre			250			
	Colloquium on the Protection of Performers' Rights in African English-speaking Countries (1998)	Lilongwe	13	32	60			
	National Roving Seminar on Copyright (1999)	Blantyre Lilongwe			100			
Mali	WIPO National Seminar on the Legal and Institutional Framework of Industrial Property (1996)	Bamako			70	12	15	23
	WIPO/ISESCO Meeting to Increase Awareness of the Importance of Copyright and Neighboring Rights for Member States of ISESCO (1996)	Bamako	12	11	120			
	WIPO Sub-regional Seminar on the Protection and Use of Trademarks and Geographical Indications in Commerce (1997)	Bamako	15	16	30			
	WIPO Sub-regional Symposium on the Role of Copyright Offices in the Implementation of the TRIPS Agreement (1998)	Bamako	17	46	100			
Mauritania	National Seminar on Introduction to Industrial Property (1999)	Nouakchott			60	5	13	15
	WIPO Subregional Seminar on PCT (2000)	Nouakchott	16	32	50			
Mauritius	WIPO National Seminar on Copyright and Computer Programs (1999)	Port Louis			100	3	17	8

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	Title of Meeting	Venue	Number of Participating Countries	Number of Participants		Inter-Regional	Regional	Sub-regional
Mozambique	WIPO National Industrial Property Round Table (1996)	Maputo	5	4	40	16	14	10
	WIPO-Sub-regional Seminar on TRIPS in Palops (1999)	Maputo			70			
Namibia	Regional Symposium for African Countries on the WIPO Copyright Treaty (WCT) and the WIPO Performances and Phonograms Treaty (WPPT) (1999)	Windhoek	14	14	46	5	14	11
Niger	WIPO National Seminar on Copyright and Neighboring Rights (1996)	Zinder			120	7	16	23
	WIPO National Seminar on Collective Management (1998)	Niamey			100			
	WIPO National Seminar on Promotion of Inventive Activity	Niamey			60			
Nigeria	WIPO Introductory Course on Intellectual Property (2000)	Niamey						
	WIPO Regional Seminar on Licensing as a Channel for the Acquisition of Technology (1996)	Abuja	15	15	100	17	19	9
	WIPO Regional Workshop on Intellectual Property Teaching (1999)	Abuja	16	27	13			
Rwanda						4	5	6
Sao Tome and Principe						7	2	4
Senegal	Regional General Introductory Course on Industrial Property (1998)	Dakar	19	19	10	6	19	20
Seychelles	WIPO National Seminar on the Implementation of the TRIPS Agreement (2000)	Dakar			79			
	Regional Seminar on Support for African Inventors (1998)	Mahé	21	21	8			
						4	4	5
Sierra Leone								6
South Africa	WIPO African Regional ("Mega Symposium") Symposium on the Implications of the TRIPS Agreement (1996)	Pretoria	17	41	36			
	WIPO Regional Colloquium on the Teaching of Intellectual Property Law (1998)	Pretoria	19	19	10	10	18	8
	WIPO/ITC Workshop on the Business and the Contractual Dimensions of Acquisition and Transfer of IP (2000)	Cape Town	9	28	25			