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WORKSHOP ON TRADE AND PUBLIC HEALTH

Organized by the WTO Secretariat
in collaboration with the Secretariats of WHO and WIPO

Geneva, 17-21 October 2016

Draft Programme

Monday, 17 October 2016

Venue: WTO, Room

08h30 – 09h00 Registration of Participants
09h00 – 09h15 Opening of the Workshop
09h15 – 09h45 Introduction of Participants
09h45 – 10h15 *Coffee Break*

Theme I

Setting the Scene

10h15 – 11h45 Roundtable Discussion: Mapping the Interface between Health, Trade and Intellectual Property
11h45 – 12h15 Economics of Medical Technologies – Innovation and Access
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
15h00 – 15h15 Discussion

15h15 – 15h45	Selected Country Experiences Presented by Participants
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15h45 – 16h15 *Coffee Break*
16h15 – 17h15 Models for Collaboration
- WIPO Re:Search
- Public-Private Partnerships for Innovation and Access
- Industry Partnerships
17h15 – 17h30 Discussion

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

09h00 – 10h00 The Public Health Context and Overview of Determinants Related to Access

10h00 – 10h15 Discussion

10h15 – 11h15

*Breakout Session***Non-Communicable Diseases:**

- Multilateral Initiatives and International Programmes
- Trade and NCDs

11h15 – 11h45

Coffee Break

11h45 – 12h45

Selected Access Determinants in the IP System:
 - Doha Declaration on the TRIPS Agreement and Public Health
 - Special Compulsory Licences for Export of Medicines

12h45 – 13h00

Discussion

13h00 – 14h00

Lunch Break

14h00 – 15h00

Using the IP System and its Policy Options to Further Global Access in Health

15h00 – 15h15

Discussion

15h15 – 15h45

Selected Country Experiences Presented by Participants

15h45 – 16h15

Coffee Break

16h15 – 17h30

Case Study: Pharmaceutical Industry Policy, Local Production of Medicines, Access Strategies, and Technology Transfer

Wednesday, 19 October 2016*Venue: WTO, Room*

09h30 – 17h30

*Capacity Building Workshop (also open to other participants)***Making Effective Use of Special Compulsory Licences for Export as a Procurement Tool for Medicines**

Programme to be circulated separately

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

09h00 – 09h45	Trade-Related Access Determinants (1): The New Trade Facilitation Agreement
09h45 – 10h00	Discussion
10h00 – 11h00	Trade-Related Access Determinants (2): Trade in Health Services
11h00 – 11h15	Discussion
11h15 – 11h30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
11h30 – 12h30	Trade-Related Access Determinants (3): Procurement Rules and Practices
12h30 – 12h45	Discussion
12h45 – 13h45	<i>Lunch Break</i>

13h45 – 14h45

*Breakout Session***Human Rights and Access to Medicines**

14h45 – 15h30	Trade-Related Access Determinants (4): Health-Related Provisions in RTAs
15h30 – 15h45	Discussion
15h45 – 16h15	<i>Coffee Break</i>
16h15 – 17h15	How to Enhance Synergies between Public Health Objectives and Trade Agreements: Industry and Civil Society Perspective
17h15 – 17h30	Discussion

Friday, 21 October 2016*Venue: WTO, Room***Theme IV****The Regulatory Dimension**

09h00 – 10h00	Competition Policy and Rules
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10h00 – 11h00

Exercise: Competition Policy Tools to Achieve Public Health Objectives

11h00 – 11h30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
11h30 – 12h30	Approval, Quality Control and Effectiveness of Medicines, including Counterfeit, Falsified and Substandard Medicines
12h30 – 12h45	Discussion
12h45 – 13h45	<i>Lunch Break</i>
13h45 – 14h30	Protection of Clinical Trial Data – Policy, Legal and Economic Aspects
14h30 – 14h45	Discussion

14h45 – 15h15	Standards, Health Regulation and Trade
15h15 – 15h30	Discussion
15h30 – 16h00	<i>Coffee Break</i>
15h30 – 16h30	Health-Related Measures in the TBT and SPS Committees: Selected Specific Trade Concerns Raised by Members
16h30 – 17h30	Case Study on Specific Trade Concerns
17h30 – 18h00	Closing Remarks: Experiences and Lessons Learned from the Workshop
