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May 28, 2025

Re: Survey on WIPO Standard ST.92 Implementation Plan

Madam,
Sir,

At its twelfth session in September 2024, the Committee on WIPO Standards (CWS) requested the Digital Transformation Task Force to prepare a survey questionnaire on the implementation plan for WIPO Standard ST.92 and requested the Secretariat to issue a circular inviting Offices to respond to this survey (see the paragraph 82 of document [CWS/12/29](#)).

The main objective of the survey is to gather inputs from Offices regarding the proposed sunset date of July 1, 2027, for the implementation of WIPO Standard ST.92, as discussed during the twelfth session of CWS. It also seeks inputs on how your Office prefers to exchange patent priority documents during the transition period through WIPO Digital Access Service (DAS).

The survey is available in English, French and Spanish at the following URL:
<https://surveys.wipo.int/s3/Survey-on-WIPO-Standard-ST-92-Implementation-Plan>

Your Office is kindly invited to respond to this survey by June 30, 2025.

When loading the survey, the online platform will select a default language based on your browser settings. You can change the language using the dropdown menu in the top right-hand corner of the web page. At any time, you can save your survey responses and continue later by selecting the 'Save and Continue' link at the top of the page. When your answers are finalized, click 'Submit' link on the last page of the survey. Please note that your Office should submit only one response to this survey.

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Any questions on this survey, including technical issues with this online survey tool, can be directed to the Secretariat at: cws.surveys@wipo.int.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ken-Ichiro Natsume', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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