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Geneva, October 12 to 14, 1983**

DRAFT AGENDA

prepared by the Office of the Union

October 12

1. Opening of the session by the President
2. 1983 Symposium - "Nomenclature"
 - (a) Lectures:
 - (i) "The Family Candolle and the Development of the Botanical Nomenclature" by Mr. Hervé Burdet, Conservateur at the Botanical Garden of the City of Geneva, Switzerland
 - (ii) "The Present State of the Nomenclature of Cultivated Plants" by Dr. C.D. Brickell, The Royal Horticultural Society's Garden, Wisley, Woking, Surrey, United Kingdom
 - (iii) "UPOV and Variety Denominations" by Mr. Henning Kunhardt, Bundessortenamt (Federal Plant Varieties Office), Hanover, Federal Republic of Germany
 - (iv) "The Implications of the Use of Common Plant Names" by Mr. W.A. Brandenburg, Department for Taxonomy of Cultivated Plants, Agricultural University, Wageningen, Netherlands
 - (v) "Variety Denominations and Trademarks" by Mr. René Royon, Secretary General of the International Community of Breeders of Asexually Reproduced Fruit Tree and Ornamental Varieties (CIOPOVA), Mougins, France
 - (b) Panel discussion

The session will be held at the headquarters of UPOV (34, chemin des Colombettes, Geneva, Switzerland) and will start at 9.30 a.m. on Wednesday, October 12, 1983.

October 13 and 14

3. Adoption of items 4 et seq. of the agenda (this document)
4. Present situation, problems arising and progress achieved in the legislation, administrative and technical fields
 - (a) Statements by the representatives of the different States (member States and observer States)
 - (b) Data assembled by the Office of the Union on the state of protection in member States and cooperation between them (documents C/XVII/5, C/XVII/6, C/XVII/7, C/XVII/8)
5. Report by the President on the work of the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth sessions of the Consultative Committee; adoption of recommendations, if any, prepared by that Committee
6. Report by the Secretary-General on the activities of the Union in 1982 (document C/XVII/2); short supplementary report on recent activities
7. Report by the Secretary-General on the management and the financial situation of the Union in 1982 (document C/XVII/3)
8. Presentation of the report concerning the auditing of the accounts for 1982 (document C/XVII/3, Annex B)
9. Progress of the work of the Administrative and Legal Committee (document C/XVII/9)
10. Progress of the work of the Technical Committee and of the Technical Working Parties (document C/XVII/10)
11. Headquarters Agreement with the Swiss Confederation (document C/XVII/11)
12. Examination and approval of the program and budget of the Union for 1984 (document C/XVII/4)
13. Calendar of meetings in 1984 (document C/XVII/12)
14. Election of the new President of the Council of UPOV
15. Election of the new Chairman of the Technical Committee
16. Further Elections (document C/XVII/13)
17. Any other business
18. Adoption of the report on the decisions taken by the Council
19. Closing of the session by the President

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