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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY OFFICE

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Executive Officer Law Association of Trinidad and Tobago 3rd Floor, Henry Hudson-Phillips Building 33 St. Vincent Street PORT OF SPAIN

Attention: Ms. Alvson Myers

Dear Ms. Myers,



Subject: Intellectual Property Library of Trinidad and Tobago

On 1st December, 2017, the Intellectual Property Office of Trinidad and Tobago launched the Intellectual Property Library of Trinidad and Tobago, a special library dedicated to intellectual property resources. The opening of the Intellectual Property Library is in fulfilment of one of the strategic goals of the Intellectual Property Office. The Library will provide both the public and the staff of the organisation with the resources necessary for education in intellectual property and innovation, information on intellectual property and the laws of Trinidad and Tobago; provide patent information services and promote inventiveness among the citizens of Trinidad and Tobago. It will also provide resource materials and support to the proposed Intellectual Property Academy of Trinidad and Tobago when established.

The Technical Library/Innovation Hub is a subset of the Intellectual Property Library. This Library targets innovators and will provide them with access to high quality technology information from various sources and related services, helping them to exploit their innovative potential and to create, protect, and manage their intellectual property rights.

As part of the collaborative effort, the Swiss based World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) has granted the Intellectual Property Office depository library status, enabling WIPO to provide the Intellectual Property Library with annual publications, including books, magazines and reports on various topics, which will be displayed and made available to the public.

The Library is located at The Intellectual Property Office of Trinidad and Tobago, Ministry of the Attorney General & Legal Affairs, 3rd Floor, Capital Plaza, 11-13 Frederick Street, Port of Spain, Trinidad, West Indies.

The opening hours of the Library is from 8:30 am to 3:15 pm, Mondays to Thursdays and 8:30 am to 3:00 pm on Fridays.

Further details on the Library are available at the following link http://ipo.gov.tt/document-centre/brochures.html.

We invite the Association's membership to visit the Library.

Season's Greetings,

Regan Asgarali Controller