

Standing Committee on  
**Piracy and Counterfeiting**

2016



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## REPORT Standing Committee on Piracy and Counterfeiting

Chair: Manon RIEGER-JANSEN  
Responsible Reporter: Yusuke Inui

1) Report on the activities of your Standing Committee during the reporting period

Please provide a general overview of the activities of your Standing Committee over the last 12 months, but please include at least:

a) meetings of the Standing Committee during the reporting period

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Meeting during INTA Annual Meeting in San Diego, 3 May 2015

Meeting at AIPPI Congress in Rio, October 2015

Meeting during INTA Annual meeting, 22 May 2016

b) any external representation on behalf of AIPPI by any member of your Standing Committee

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Representation by Ann-Charlotte Soederlund in EU Observatory - second representative has been proposed to the Bureau

Representation by Manon Rieger-Jansen, Ann-Charlotte Soederlund and Anne-Marie Verschuur at EU Observatory event on 1 April 2016 - Follow the Money

c) any contribution by your Standing Committee to any external consultations

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Contribution of SC to Consultation of EU Commission on the EU Enforcement Directive (IPRED), in cooperation with the Enforcement Committee and Copyright Committee

d) any studies or analyses undertaken or position papers prepared by your Standing Committee, with a brief summary of the outcome(s)

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*not responded*

e) involvement of your Standing Committee in any other activities of AIPPI, eg Panel Sessions, contribution to Study Guidelines, etc

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Raimondo Galli is involved in programme committee for Milan 2016 and the SC has made suggestions

for topics for the Congress

- f) any other relevant activities

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*not responded*

- 2) Key issues/developments relevant to the Terms of Reference of your Standing Committee during the reporting period

Please include a short summary of any significant case law, legislative or regulatory developments, or policy initiatives, including their relevance and/or any implications for the work of your Standing Committee or for AIPPI more generally

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Legal developments regarding counterfeit goods in transit - inter alia in Europe in new TM legislation - SC is closely following the developments in this respect and how Customs in EU member states will adopt to the new legislation. The SC is also actively monitoring transit issues in the rest of the world, in particular the legal developments in Counterfeit Goods in Transit initiatives in Americas - North, Central and South America for good transgressing ports and land - members expressed growing initiatives in these regions and are following legislation in countries and governmental initiatives.

Legal developments in banking developments initiatives to follow the money for counterfeit goods in Europe (cf EU Observatory seminar and initiatives of EU commission) and Americas - members expressed growing initiatives in North, Central and South America and are following legislation in countries and governmental initiatives.

- 3) Any recommendation for AIPPI involvement/action for the next 12 months

This need not be limited to recommendations for your Standing Committee but can be recommendations for AIPPI more broadly. In each case, please explain why such involvement/action is recommended, by whom it should be undertaken and any relevant time frames. For example, please include:

- a) any recommendation for involvement/action in relation to any upcoming or foreshadowed case law, legislative or regulatory developments, or policy initiatives

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Appoint second representative in EU Observatory

Monitoring of legal developments regarding counterfeit goods in transit and in EU follow developments and implications of new TM legislation in this respect

Closely monitoring of legal developments regarding banking and following the money of counterfeit goods.

In general: be involved and monitoring of legal developments regarding customs and regulations useful for combating piracy/counterfeiting

Follow initiatives on IPRED consultation and changes to legislation in cooperation with Enforcement SC and Copyright SC

- b) any other recommendation(s) for AIPPI involvement/action

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*not responded*

- 4) Outline of the work programme of your Standing Committee for the next 12 months

Please set out specific activities and priorities having regard to the matters in 1) - 3) above, including any relevant time frames

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- seek approval of Bureau for additional member to EU Observatory

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- work together with Enforcement SC and Copyright SC regarding developments concerning IPRED
- goods in transit - for more detail see above

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## Names and Functions of Committee Members

Chair	Manon RIEGER-JANSEN	Netherlands
Co Chair(s)	Ann-Charlotte SÖDERLUND	Sweden
Secretary	Damian G. WASSERBAUER	United States of America
Members	Zeynep Seda ALHAS	Turkey
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	José Ramón F. CASTELLANOS	Spain
	Hanna-Maija ELO	Finland
	Marcin FIJALKOWSKI	Poland
	Raimondo GALLI	Italy
	Bernardo HERRERIAS	Mexico
	Hui HUANG	China
	Naresh KILARU	United States
	Alessandro MASETTI ZANNINI DE CONCINA	Italy
	Kiyoshi MURAKI	Japan
	Alexander PAKHARENKO	Ukraine
	Vasil PAVLOV	Bulgaria
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