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Delegations will find attached a Flash note from the Presidency in relation to the meeting of the Working Party on Intellectual Property taking place on 8 May 2025.

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FLASH

Working Party on Intellectual Property

8 May 2025

Dear Colleagues,

We would like to invite you to the next half-day meeting of the Working Party on Intellectual Property on **8 May 2025**.

The first part of our meeting will be dedicated to Supplementary Protection Certificates. Based on the feedback received during the Working Party meetings on 14 and 31 January 2025, as well as the written contributions (WK 601/2025, WK 2110/2025), the Polish Presidency will resume discussions on the structure of the Register and Database. We would also like to invite delegations to share their views on the Presidency's proposed amendments to Articles 35 and 36, Recital 60, and the newly introduced Recital 60(a) of the proposal for a Regulation on Supplementary Protection Certificates for medicinal products (recast), COM (2023)231 (WK 5449/2025).

The second part of our Working Party meeting will be a brief update by the Presidency on the interinstitutional negotiations on the **Regulation on compulsory licensing** for crisis management. Technical meetings (ITMs) took place on 29 and 30 April. During the Working Party meeting, we will present the progress achieved so far in the negotiations as well as key issues that require further consultation with Member States.

At the end of the meeting the Presidency will provide information on the procedural aspects concerning a potential withdrawal of Standard Essential Patents Regulation.

We look forward to seeing you on 8 May 2025.

Kind regards,
The Polish Presidency Team