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Circular N° 6/2009

To: International Commissioners

March 2009

1st International Seminar on Intellectual Property

Dear friends,

You will find here attached Circular n° 7/2009 from the Asia-Pacific Regional office about the 1st International Seminar on Intellectual Property in Scouting which will take place in September 2009 in Thailand.

This event is organised jointly by the Asia-Pacific Regional Office together with the World Scout Bureau / Central Office in Geneva and hosted by the National Scout Organisation of Thailand.

Due to the global nature of the subject, this seminar is open to all National Scout Organisations wishing to participate. Please note however, that this event will be taking place in **English only**.

If you have any questions in regards to this event, please contact the Asia-Pacific Regional Office, and more specifically: Prassanna Shrivastava - Director, Administration & Resources Development at prassanna@scout.org.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Yours in Scouting,

Luc Panissod
Acting Secretary General



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Circular No. 7, series of 2009

To: Chief Commissioners
International Commissioners
Chief Scout Executives

27 January 2009

1st International Seminar on Intellectual Property

Dear Colleagues:

We are happy to inform you that the National Scout Organization of Thailand (NSOT) will host the 1st International Seminar on Intellectual Property from 1st to 4th September 2009, organized jointly by the World Scout Bureau/ Central Office - Geneva together with Asia- Pacific Regional Office. Details of this seminar are as follows:

- Aim:** To bring greater awareness on the importance of the legal protection of Intellectual Property for Scouting. In particular, protection of trademarks (name, logos and emblems) and copyright material (such as publications and photos).
- Objectives:**
1. To provide information on what is Intellectual Property (IP)
 2. Discuss the steps in protecting IP and its advantages
 3. Share information on International IP Law
 4. Share best practices in Scouting on IP
- Venue:** Bangkok, Thailand
- Dates:** 1st - 4th September 2009, arrival on 31st August and departure on 5th September 2009.
- Fees:** The fee is US\$100.00, which will cover inland transportation food, accommodation, seminar documents and educational tour.
- Participants:** This workshop is proposed to gather a maximum of 50 national and sub-national level leaders who are involved in the management of the organization. Leaders connected to Scout supplies, literature, organization policy and procedures.
- Seminar staff:** The course staff will be composed of experienced Scout Leaders from across the world and from the host country. Non Scout Resource persons may be invited to handle special topics.
- Weather:** Normal temperature during this month ranges from 25°C to 32°C.

What to bring: Set of Scout uniform, personal kit and light cotton clothing is advisable.

Course Contents: An overview of the need to manage and protect the Scout name, outline of the troubles that could arise, intellectual property within Scouting, IP owned by WOSM, rights of NSOs to use WOSM IP, advantages and disadvantages of IP protection, steps in protecting IP, use of IP as revenue stream.

Looking forward to receiving your nomination using the attached Reply Slip latest by **31st May 2009**.

Thank you for your kind attention and response.

Sincerely Yours,

Abdullah Rasheed
Regional Director

Luc Panissod
Acting Secretary General

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1st International Seminar on Intellectual Property

1 – 4 September 2009

Bangkok, Thailand

REPLY SLIP

National Scout Organization: _____

The following Scout Leader/s from our Scout association will participate in the 1st International Seminar on Intellectual Property.

	Name	Position in Scouting	Age	Personal Email ID	Mobile No.
1					
2					
3					
4					

Remarks: _____

Printed Name: _____ Designation: _____ Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please send this reply slip not later than **31 May 2009**.

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