Country: Kenya

Agenda Item: Protecting Young Entrepreneurs and Their Inventions through Intellectual Property Rights

Committee: WIPO (World Intellectual Property Organization)

In the east of Africa here we stand at 580,367 km2, our education is not the most ideal as we started late 8 years ago which is 2016 to make education more accessible. Because of this reasoning we have not raised many inventors as other countries however this did not stop us from trying our best to fix these issues.

We have been trying our best to help our beloved youth working nonstop and adjusting get the most basic intellectual property rights over in our homes(country) this hasn’t been easy on us we have been working for years to get these one of them being copyrights and patents as in here we just got copyright as late as 2001 when copyright itself was made in 1790.However this doesn’t excuse our poor performance in protecting Intellectual Property rights.

We have not made the best decisions when getting copyright inside our country for our youth. Copyrights in here only protect the expression of the idea and not the idea itself. Yet our patent laws are still same as others, our young creators work tends to get stolen often for our less than agreeable management in copyrights as they are essential for a creative author or a business name regardless of position these are things our youth have worked for, and it is unfair for their work to be plagiarized just because of our actions.Of course the people who plagiarize our youths work knows about it and abuses the lack of knowledge about protection of Intellectual Property rights which caused works to be stolen.

Our thinking is to renew these laws in exchange to a better more effective and efficient one to help our young inventors and creators to achieve their dreams without no in fear for their work to get plagiarized by others which is one of creators worst dreams our hope is to educate ourselves and our youth about the Intellectual Property Rights we have to stop plagiarism in our peoples work.

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