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### ***THE HAGUE AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL DEPOSIT OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS***

Advisory Meeting of Users of the Hague System  
October 7, 1998, Geneva

1. In order to foster an exchange of views between the users of the Hague Agreement Concerning the International Deposit of Industrial Designs and the International Bureau of WIPO, an Advisory Meeting of Users of the Hague System will be held at the headquarters of WIPO (34, chemin des Colombettes, Geneva) on Wednesday, October 7, 1998, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
2. The agenda of the meeting will include, in particular, a presentation of the plans of the International Bureau regarding the publication of international designs on CD-ROM. Amendments to the Regulations in connection with those plans, which will have been proposed to the Assembly of the Hague Union at its seventeenth session (September 7 to 15, 1998), as well as the changes to Administrative Instructions which would result from the amendments to the Regulations will also be explained. Furthermore, the conclusions of the Preparatory Meeting for the Diplomatic Conference for the Adoption of a New Act of the Hague Agreement Concerning the International Deposit of Industrial Designs (October 5 to 7, 1998), will be presented.
3. All users of the Hague system, such as companies and industrial property agents as well as non-governmental organizations with an interest in the industrial design field are invited to the meeting. Participation in the meeting is free and simultaneous interpretation will be available in English and French.
4. Anyone wishing to participate in the meeting is requested to communicate their name and, where appropriate, the name of the company or organization which they represent, to the International Registrations Department of WIPO, by September 11, 1998.

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