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HAGUE AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL REGISTRATION OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS

Declarations made under Articles 5(2)(a) and 13(1) of the 1999 Act and Rule 18(1)(b) of the Common Regulations: Romania

1. On August 12, 2004, the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) received from the Government of Romania the following declarations made under the 1999 Act of the Hague Agreement:

– the declaration referred to in Article 5(2)(a) of the 1999 Act, whereby an international application designating Romania under the 1999 Act must contain:

- (i) indications concerning the identity of the creator of the industrial design, and
- (ii) a brief description of the characteristic features of the industrial design;

– the declaration referred to in Article 13(1) of the 1999 Act, whereby designs that are the subject of a multiple international application must conform to “a requirement of unity of design, unity of production or unity of use, or belong to the same set or composition of items”;

– the declaration referred to in Rule 18(1)(b) of the Common Regulations under the 1999 Act, the 1960 Act and the 1934 Act, whereby when Romania is designated under the 1999 Act, the period of six months for notifying a refusal of protection is replaced by a period of 12 months.

2. These declarations will enter into force on November 12, 2004.

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