

## WORLDINTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANIZATION

## MADRIDAGREEMENTCONCERNINGTHEINTERNATIONALREGISTRATION OFMARKSANDPROTOCOLRELATINGTHERETO

## DeclarationMadeUnderRule20 bis(6)(b)oftheCommonRegulations UndertheMadridAgreementandProto col:Kyrgyzstan

- 1. In a notification addressed to the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization, Kyrgyzstan has made the declaration provided for by Rule 20bis(6)(b) of the Common Regulations under the Madrid Agreement, in accordance with which, while its national legislation provides for the recording of licenses, the recording of licenses in the International Registerhas no effect in that country.
- 2. It follows that a holder or licensee should be aware that, as far as Kyrgyzstan is concerned, it serves no purpose to request the recording in the International Register of a license relating to an international registration of a mark (such recording carrying no legal effect in that country as a result of the sai declaration). Consequently, the formalities requiredfortherecording in Kyrgyzstanofalicenserelatingtoaninternational registration of amarkmust continue to be completed directly with the Office of Kyrgyzstan and according to the conditions la iddown by the legislation of that country.
- 3. ThisdeclarationenteredintoforceonApril1,2002.

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