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THE HAGUE AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL REGISTRATION OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS

Ratification of the 1999 Act: Croatia

1. On January 12, 2004, the Government of Croatia deposited with the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), its instrument of ratification of the 1999 Act of the Hague Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Industrial Designs. The 1999 Act will enter into force in respect of Croatia on April 12, 2004.

2. The ratification by Croatia of the 1999 Act took place at the same time as Croatia's accession to the 1960 Act bringing the number of Contracting Parties of the Hague Agreement to 37. A list of the members of the Hague Union, indicating the date on which Contracting Parties became bound by the 1934 Act, the 1960 Act and/or the 1999 Act, is available under the headings "Activities & Services" and "International Designs" on WIPO's website, at the following address: *www.wipo.int*.

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