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INFORMAL LIAISON MEETING WITH OFFICES OF MEMBERS OF THE MADRID UNION

Geneva, May 8^{*}, 2008

DRAFT AGENDA

1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the Agenda
3. Implications of the repeal of the safeguard clause for Offices (Offices directly concerned are the Offices of the Contracting Parties bound by both the Agreement and the Protocol)
See document entitled “Repeal of the Safeguard Clause – Information Kit for Offices of Contracting Parties Bound by Both the Agreement and the Protocol”.
4. Practical issues relating to the application of the procedures under the Madrid system
 - (a) Issues identified by the International Bureau
 - (i) problems relating to communications to the International Bureau
 - (ii) indication of goods and services in the notifications of refusal and of confirmation or withdrawal of refusal
 - (iii) incorrect indications in the notifications of refusal and of confirmation or withdrawal of refusal presented on the basis of standard forms

* Morning session only.

(iv) discussion on the instruction sheet prepared by the International Bureau for users in order to expedite the processing of the payment of fees

(b) Other issues to be raised by Offices

5. Closing of the session

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