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MADRID PROTOCOL CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL REGISTRATION OF MARKS

Declaration made under Article 5(2)(b) and (c) of the Protocol: Islamic Republic of Iran

1. On July 26, 2004, the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) received from the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran the declaration referred to in Article 5(2)(b) and (c) of the Protocol, whereby the time limit of one year to notify a provisional refusal of protection is replaced by 18 months, and a provisional refusal resulting from an opposition may be notified after the expiry of the 18-month time limit.
2. This declaration shall enter into force on October 26, 2004.

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