

## **Madrid Protocol Concerning the International Registration of Marks**

### **Notification Made under Rule 20*bis*(6)(b) of the Common Regulations under the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks and the Protocol Relating to that Agreement – Declaration that the Recording of Licenses in the International Register Has no Effect in a Contracting Party: Colombia**

1. As provided for by Rule 20*bis*(6)(b) of the Common Regulations under the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks and the Protocol Relating to that Agreement, the Government of Colombia has notified the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) that the recording of licenses in the International Register shall have no effect in Colombia.
2. Consequently, a license relating to an international registration of a mark which has been granted with respect to Colombia shall, in order to have effect in that country, be recorded in the national Register of the Office of Colombia. The formalities required for such recording must be completed directly with the Office of Colombia and according to the conditions laid down by the legislation of that country.
3. The notification made by Colombia under Rule 20*bis*(6)(b) entered into force on August 29, 2012.

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