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(LOCARNO UNION)**

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**Ninth Session
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**PROPOSALS FOR ADDITIONS
TO THE EIGHTH EDITION OF THE LOCARNO CLASSIFICATION**

Document prepared by the International Bureau

1. The Annexes to this document contain proposals for additions to the alphabetical list of the eighth edition of the Locarno Classification, received in response to WIPO Note C. LOC 11, dated July 28, 2004.

2. These proposals were submitted by Azerbaijan (Annex I), Denmark (Annex II), Germany (Annex III), Norway (Annex IV), Switzerland (Annex V) and the United Kingdom (Annex VI).

3. *The Committee of Experts is invited to consider the above-mentioned proposals and decide thereon.*

[Annexes follow]

ANNEX I



**AZƏRBAYCAN RESPUBLİKASININ
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In respect of: C.LOC 11
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Re: Proposal for changes in the eighth edition of the International Classification for Industrial Designs (Locarno Classification).

For the attention of: Mr. Jean-Luc Perrin Senior Director International Registrations Administration Department.

Dear Mr. Jean-Luc Perrin,

According to your letter we submit to the International Bureau our proposals for additions to the current edition of the Classification, in accordance with Article 3(3) of the Locarno Agreement for consideration by the Committee of Experts and for incorporation in the new (ninth) edition of the Locarno Classification.

Our offers are specified in the Annex on 2 pages.
We hope, that you will take into account our offers.

Thank you in advance

Yours faithfully,

Khalida Masimova
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Offers of the Patent Department of Azerbaijan Republic

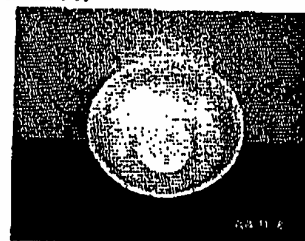
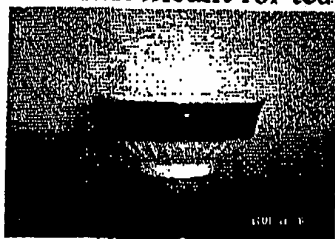
CLASS 7 Household goods, not elsewhere specified

**7-01 CHINA, GLASSWARE, DISHES AND OTHER
ARTICLES OF A SIMILAR NATURE**

Add «ARMUDY» (“pyriform” or “pear-shaped” glasses) these glasses, which are prevalent and used in Azerbaijan, Turkey, Iran, Pakistan and in other countries of the Near East meant for tea.



Add «PIALA» (tea bowl) which are prevalent and used in Azerbaijan, Turkey, Iran, Pakistan, India, China and in other countries of Average and Central Asia, the Near and Far East meant for tea and for fluid diet.



CLASS 17 Musical instruments

17-02 WIND INSTRUMENTS

Add ZURNA (zurna, from the Persian. surna, soorni, literally celebratory flute), wind reed musical instrument. It is distributed in Azerbaijan, Georgia, Armenia, Dagestan, Uzbekistan, Tadjikistan, the countries of the Near East. In China under the name sona. In Russia the similar tool surna (occured till 17 century).

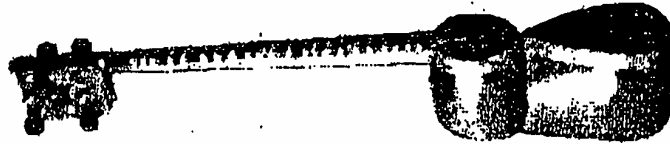


Add BALABAN (Azerbaijan), wind reed musical instrument – balaban (Dagestan), duduk (Armenian), duduki (Georgian), and also in the countries of Average and the Near East.

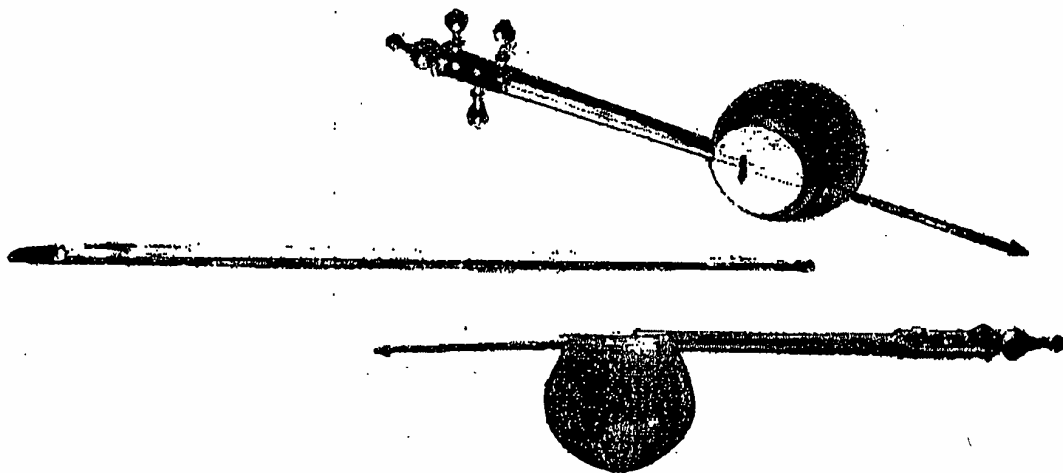


17-03 STRINGER INSTRUMENTS

Add TAR (the Persian -- a string), stringed musical instruments played by plucking a musical instrument such as a lute with a long finger-board. It is prevalent in Northern Caucasia and Transcaucasia countries, also in the countries of Average and the Near East.



Add KEMANCHA (kjamancha), 3-4-string stringed musical instrument. It is distributed in Azerbaijan, Georgia, Armenia, Dagestan, and also in the countries of Average and the Near East.



CLASS 21 Games, toys, tents and sports goods

21-01 GAME AND TOYS

Add NARD (Persian) -- (BACKGAMMON), it is a board game which the special board is used, 30 stones (checkers) of 2 colors on 15 stones of different color for two players, 2 six-sided die with a designation of numbers from one up to six on each side. In the literature she often is mentioned as trik-trak. In the West, in the English-speaking world she is called backgammon or backgammon-chess. Backgammon liked game of many peoples of Caucasus and Central Asia and also in the countries of Average and the Near East. There's a version of backgammon, which is much more popular than regular bg in Commonwealth of Independent States, especially in Azerbaijan and Uzbekistan. To find required information, we recommend using a search engine, or visiting to site.

<http://www.cybercom.net/~damish/backgammon/bg-faq.html>

<http://www.statslab.cam.ac.uk/~sret1/backgammon/faq.html>

[Annex II follows]

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Deres ref: C.LOC 11

Date: 4 January 2005

Re: Proposals for changes in the eighth edition of the International Classification for Industrial Designs (Locarno Classification).

Dear Mr. Jean-Luc Perrin,

Referring to your letter dated 28 July 2004, we hereby submit to the international Bureau the Danish proposals for additions to the International Locarno Classification:

Class 19-99	Computer screen prints
Reason:	Printed matters are classified in class 19.
Class 99-00	Get-up/ Interior design/layout or arrangement of a room, shop, train etc.
Reason:	We refer to EuroLocarno which classifies this under the term "get-up".
Class 99-00	Ornamentation, graphic symbols and logos
Reason:	We refer to EuroLocarno.

We look forward to receiving the report from the ninth session in Geneva in November 2005.

Yours sincerely


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[Annex III follows]

ANNEX III

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RE: WIPO circular C.LOC 11/00 of 28 July 2004

Proposals for additions to the eighth edition of the International Classification for Industrial Designs (Locarno Classification)

Dear Mr. Perrin,

Thank you very much for your circular dated 28 July 2004.

Under the new German Designs Law and the implementing ordinance, applicants are required to specify the products into which the industrial design is to be incorporated or to which it is to be applied according to a list of goods corresponding to the list of goods of the Locarno Classification.

Since the entry into force of the new Designs Law on 1 June 2004, the Designs Section of the German Patent and Trade Mark Office has drawn up a list of terms of goods for which no synonyms could be found in the list of goods of the Locarno Classification, and where the indication of a (broader) general term would make the search for specific designs too difficult.

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For this reason, we propose to include the following terms in the Locamo Classification:

New terms proposed	Appropriate class of goods
hatches, rear doors	12-16
bikinis	02-02
navigational systems	14-02
mobile telephones	14-03
logos	19-08
handles for tools	08-06
wristbands	02-06
grandfather clocks, floor clocks	10-01
wall clocks	10-01
traditional incense-smoking figurines	11-02
coat hooks	08-08
jewellery for piercing	11-01
traditional Christmas candle arches ("Schwibbögen")	11-05
furniture ornamentation	06-06
lights	26-05
mobile file cabinets, mobile drawer pedestals	06-04
upholstered furniture	06-01
furniture units for television/video/hi-fi	06-04
incubators	24-01
surveillance cameras	16-01
barbecue toolsets	07-04
waist bags, hip bags, belt bags	03-01
glazing	25-02
bottle crates	09-03
knives	07-03
handles	08-06
outside mirrors for vehicles	12-16
operating units for vehicles	12-16
cockpits with centre console for vehicles	12-16
decor surfaces	99
taillights for vehicles	26-06

interior cabin lights with mirrors for vehicles	12-16
interior linings for vehicles	12-16
middle consoles for vehicles	12-16
ornaments	99
carrier bags	09-05
drink cans	09-01
advent calendars	19-03
	06-05
children's furniture	06-99
napkin-pants	02-01
baby bouncer seats	06-06
brushes for animal cleaning and care	30-99
cases, trunks [general]	03-01
tabs (cleaning agent tabs)	28-99
school cones	09-05
spice mills	07-04
end mouldings	25-02
bags (sport -)	03-01
pizzas	01-01
lids for drinking vessels	07-01
lawn grid plates	25-01
appliqué	02-07
hobby materials	21-01
bags	03-01
Christmas decoration made of wood	11-05

Further proposals for additions to the list of goods of the Locarno Classification might be submitted to the International Bureau in due course, before the ninth session.

Yours sincerely,

By order



Eckhart Miehle

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Industrial Designs; Trade Mark Cancellation Procedures

[Annex IV follows]

ANNEX IV



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Re: Proposals for changes in the eight edition of the International Classification for Industrial Designs (Locarno Classification)

Dear Mr. Perrin,

The Norwegian Patent Office would like to submit to the International Bureau proposals for amendments and additions to (to be incorporated in the ninth edition of the Locarno Classification) the current edition of the Locarno Classification, in accordance with Article 3(3) of the Locarno Agreement.

Please find the proposals enclosed.

Sincerely yours,

Bernt Boldvik
 Director
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LOCARNO CLASSIFICATION

This proposal regards additions to the following classes: 14, 15 and 16

Class 14

14-02 Network switches for computers

Class 15

15-99 Snow guns

Class 16

16-01 Surveillance cameras

[Annex V follows]

ANNEX V

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votre lettre du 28.07.2004

Concerne: Propositions pour la révision de la classification de Locarno

Monsieur le Directeur,

Comme suite à votre lettre C.LOC 11 du 28.07.2004 nous vous adressons des propositions de changements à apporter à la huitième édition de la classification de Locarno.

Classe 12-02 : porte-roues (voir photocopie ci-annexée)

Classe 99-00 : catafalques (voir photocopie ci-annexée)

Vous en souhaitant bonne réception, veuillez agréer, Monsieur le Directeur, nos meilleures salutations.



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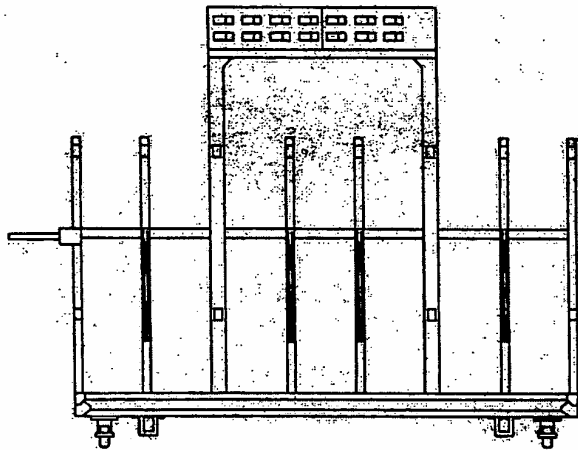


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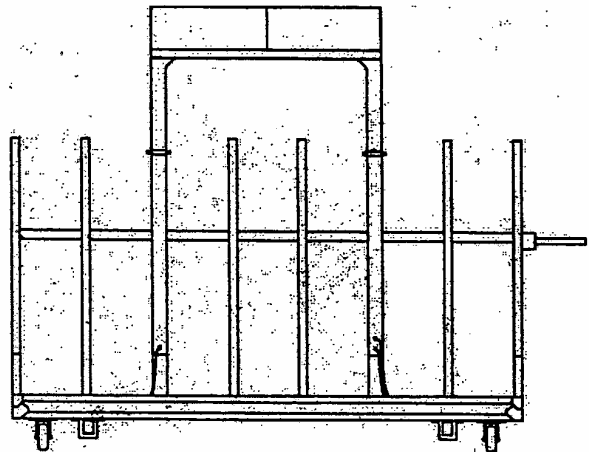


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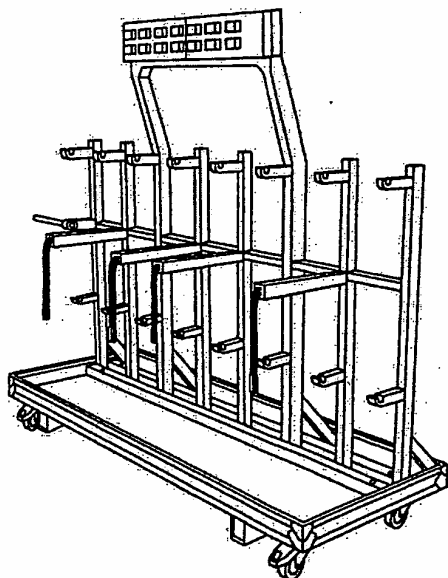


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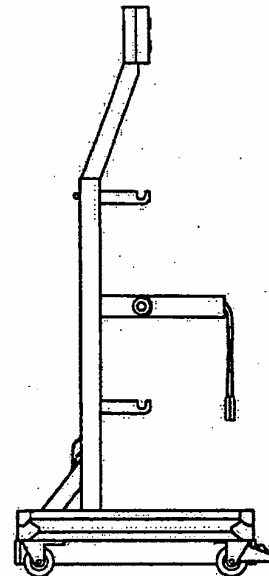


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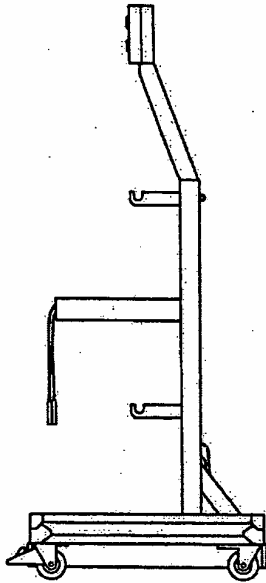


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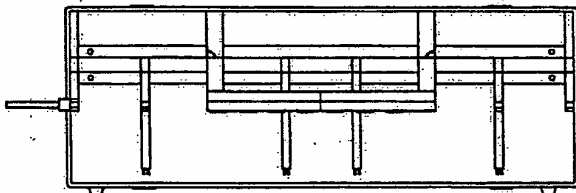


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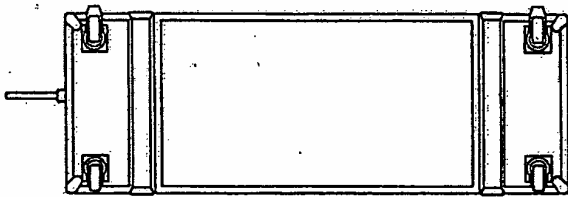


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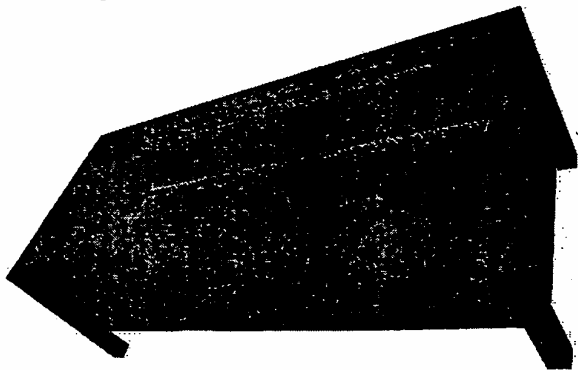


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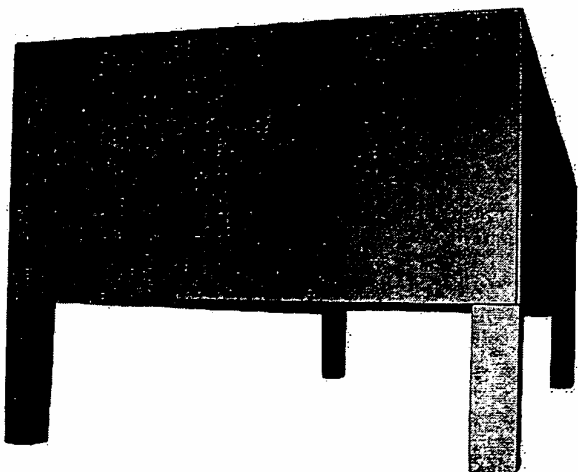


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[Annex VI follows]

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Dear Sir

Proposals for changes in the eighth edition of the International Classification of Industrial Designs (Locarno Classification): Committee of Experts Nov. 2005

Thank you for your letter of July 28, 2004, inviting the United Kingdom office to submit to the International Bureau proposals for the amendment or additions to the current edition of the Locarno Classification.

I have pleasure in enclosing proposals which we think would improve the operation of the Locarno system and they are set out in the following annexes:

- Annex A: New Indications;
- Annex B: Creation of a new class;
- Annex C: Addition to the General Remarks.

You will note that I have proposed a new category of designs to be added to the classification, namely, logos, graphic designs, ornamentation, get-up and surface patterns. In order to achieve this aim I have firstly proposed that such designs are classified under Class 99 as miscellaneous items. However, if the Committee rejects this suggestion then the UK will propose the creation of a new class in order to cater for this category of designs which Locarno does not currently cover.

We look forward to discussing these proposals at the Committee of Experts which is due to meet on November 14th 2005.

Yours faithfully

CHARLES HAMILTON

TRADE MARKS & DESIGNS CLASSIFICATION



ANNEX A



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New Indications

Class/ Sub class	Indication of Goods
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14-01	MP3 players
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Justification for new indication:

These goods are frequently specified in design applications and it would be helpful for the users of the Locarno system to be able to quickly identify the class and sub-class when searching the classification. Although MP3 is only one of various methods of compressing sound into audio files, this is the most commonly identified system.

Class/ Sub class	Indication of Goods
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14-03	Global positioning systems [GPS]
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14-03	Satellite navigational apparatus
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Justification for new indication:

These goods are frequently specified in design applications and it would be helpful for the users of the Locarno system to be able to quickly identify the class and sub-class when searching the classification. Commonly known by the abbreviation "GPS", these goods are used mainly for the purpose of identifying the precise location of individuals as well as for navigating.



ANNEX A



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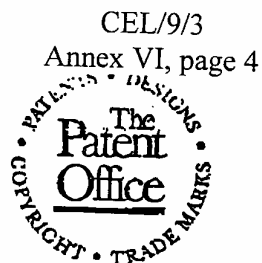
New Indications

Class/ Sub class	Indication of Goods
99-00	Get-up
99-00	Get-up [arrangement of the interior of a room]
99-00	Graphic designs [two-dimensional]
99-00	Graphic designs for applied to packaging
99-00	Logos applied to clothing
99-00	Ornamentation applied to surfaces
99-00	Surface patterns

Justification for new indications:

The European Directive (Directive 98/71/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 October 1998) requires that European Union member states broaden the scope of the term "design" to include ornamentation. Consequently, it would seem that the current Locarno classification for industrial designs lacks the provision to classify designs which are not, in themselves, a type of industrial product falling within the current Locarno classes. Because of the changes in design law, which reflects the diversity in the use of designs, there is a need to provide for the categorisation of two dimensional designs within the Locarno Classification. Examples of such designs are listed above.

Note: if the Committee rejects these new indications for inclusion in Class 99, the United Kingdom recommends that a new class be created for this new category of designs. Details are shown under Annex B.



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ANNEX B

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Creation of a new class

CLASS 32

Graphic symbols and logos; surface patterns; ornamentation

Note: These two dimensional symbols, logos, patterns and ornamentations fall in the subclasses as listed below and are classified according to the goods to which they are applied.

- 32-01 Celestial bodies, natural phenomena, geographical maps
- 32-02 Human beings
- 32-03 Animals
- 32-04 Supernatural, fabulous, fantastic or unidentifiable beings
- 32-05 Plants
- 32-06 Landscapes
- 32-07 Constructions, structures for advertisements, gates or barriers
- 32-08 Foodstuffs
- 32-09 Textiles, clothing, sewing accessories, headwear, footwear
- 32-10 Tobacco, smokers' requisites, matches, travel goods, fans, toilet articles
- 32-11 Household utensils
- 32-12 Furniture, sanitary installations
- 32-13 Lighting, wireless valves, heating, cooking or refrigerating equipment, washing machines, drying equipment
- 32-14 Ironmongery, tools, ladders
- 32-15 Machinery, motors, engines
- 32-16 Telecommunications, sound recording or reproduction, computers, photography, cinematography, optics



- 32-17 Horological instruments, jewellery, weights and measures
- 32-18 Transport, equipment for animals
- 32-19 Containers and packing, representations of miscellaneous products
- 32-20 Writing, drawing or painting materials, office requisites, stationery and booksellers' goods
- 32-21 Games, toys, sporting articles, roundabouts
- 32-22 Musical instruments and their accessories, music accessories, bells, pictures, sculptures
- 32-23 Arms, ammunition, armour
- 32-24 Heraldry, coins, emblems, symbols
- 32-25 Ornamental motifs, surfaces or backgrounds with ornaments
- 32-26 Geometrical figures and solids
- 32-27 Forms of writing, numerals
- 32-28 Inscriptions in various characters
- 32-29 Colours

Justification for new Class:

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Note: In the event that this new category of designs are accepted by the Committee under Class 99, the United Kingdom will withdraw this proposal to create the new Class 32.



Addition to the General Remarks

GENERAL REMARKS

New paragraph (f):

Designs that take the form of two-dimensional graphic symbols, logos, ornamentation or patterns which are applied to the surfaces of materials and objects, are classified under Class ___.

Justification for new General Remark:

The general remark is required in order to make it clear that these designs are do not fall in same class or classes as the goods to which they are applied. The class number has been left blank because it will be for the Committee to decide whether this new category of designs should fall under Class 99 or in a new Class 32.