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## DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE FOR THE ADOPTION OF A NEW ACT OF THE HAGUE AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL DEPOSIT OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS

**Geneva, June 16 to July 6, 1999**

RULE 18 OF THE DRAFT REGULATIONS UNDER THE DRAFT NEW ACT

*Proposal by the Delegation of the United States of America*

The proposal concerning Article 12 of the draft new Act contained in document H/DC/19 is withdrawn and replaced by the following.

Subparagraph (c) of Rule 18(1) should be amended as follows:

(c) The declaration referred to in subparagraph (b) may also state that the international registration shall produce the effect referred to in Article 12(2)(a) at the latest

(i) at a time specified in the declaration which may be later than the date referred to in that Article but which shall not be more than six months after the said date; or

(ii) at a time at which protection is granted according to the law of the Contracting Party where a decision regarding the grant of protection was unintentionally not communicated within the period applicable under subparagraph (a) or (b).

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