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The Permanent Mission of the Argentine Republic to the International Organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the World Intellectual Property Organization and has the honour to propose on behalf of Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, Iran, Kenya, Peru, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Tanzania, Uruguay and Venezuela – Group of Friends of Development- the following themes for discussions in the fourth session of the ACE:

- a) The ACE agenda of discussion should tackle how to best ensure the implementation of all TRIPs- related provisions, including those that provide for exceptions and limitations to the rights conferred.
- b) To approach IP enforcement in the context of broader societal interests and development- related concerns, in accordance with Article 7 of the TRIPs Agreement.

The Group of Friends of Development would also like to reiterate that the mandate of WIPO's Advisory Committee on Enforcement has to be maintaining within the limits of a forum for exchange of information on national experience, excluding norm-setting activities.

The Permanent Mission of the Argentine Republic avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the World Intellectual Property Organization the assurances of its highest consideration.

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