



WORLD INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANIZATION

34, chemin des Colombettes, P.O. Box 18, CH -1211 Geneva 20 (Switzerland)
☎ (41-22) 3389111 – Facsimile (International Industrial Design Registry): (41 -22) 3389738
e-mail: intreg.mail@wipo.int – Internet: <http://www.wipo.int>

THE HAGUE AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL REGISTRATION OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS: GENEVA ACT (1999)

Ratification by Switzerland

1. On September 11, 2002, the Government of Switzerland and deposited with the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) its instrument of ratification of the Geneva Act of the Hague Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Industrial Designs, adopted at Geneva on July 2, 1999.
2. This brings to seven the number of States that have ratified or acceded to the Geneva Act of the Hague Agreement (namely Estonia, Iceland, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovenia, Switzerland and Ukraine).
3. However, the conditions for the entry into force of the Geneva Act, as defined in Article 28 of the treaty, have not yet been fulfilled.

September 17, 2002