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ASSEMBLY

Fifth (3rd Extraordinary) Session Geneva, September 22 to 30, 2008

REPORT

adopted by the Assembly

- 1. The Assembly was concerned with the following items of the Consolidated Agenda (document A/45/1): 1, 2, 3, 20, 22, 25 and 26.
- 2. The report on the said items, with the exception of item 20, is contained in the General Report (document A/45/5).
- 3. The report on item 20 is contained in the present document.
- 4. In the absence of the Chair and Vice-Chairs of the PLT Assembly, Mrs. Alexandra Grazioli (Switzerland) was elected *ad hoc* Chair and presided over the meeting.

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ITEM 20 OF THE CONSOLIDATED AGENDA:

MATTERS CONCERNING THE PATENT LAW TREATY ASSEMBLY

<u>Applicability of Certain Amendments and Modifications of the Patent Cooperation Treaty</u> (PCT) to the Patent Law Treaty (PLT)

- 5. Discussions were based on document PLT/A/5/1.
 - 6. The Assembly unanimously:
 - (i) adopted the modified Model International Request Form set out in the Annex to document PLT/A/5/1, and decided that it shall enter into force with immediate effect; and
 - (ii) decided that the modifications of the Administrative Instructions Under the PCT indicated in document PLT/A/5/1 as applicable, apply for the purpose of the PLT and its Regulations, with immediate effect.

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