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DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE FOR THE ADOPTION OF A REVISED TRADEMARK LAW TREATY

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ARTICLE 3

Proposal by the Delegation of Singapore

The Delegation of Singapore proposes to replace Article 3(1)(a)(x) with the following text:

"where applicable, one or more of the following statements, as prescribed in the Regulations, indicating

the type of mark as well as any specific requirements applicable to that type of mark;

that the applicant wishes that the mark be registered and published in the standard characters used by the Office; and

that the applicant wishes to claim color as a distinctive feature of the mark."

Comments: the proposed text is intended to clarify that the elements or indications contained in Article 3(1)(a)(x) are separate elements or indications and that a Contracting Party has the freedom to choose none, one or more of the elements or indications.

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