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NOTE VERBALE FROM THE PERMANENT MISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA TO THE UNITED NATIONS, WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION (WTO), AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN GENEVA TO THE WORLD INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANIZATION (WIPO) GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND THE CHAIR OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE LAW OF TRADEMARKS, INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS AND GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATIONS (SCT)

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The Annex to the present document contains a *Note Verbale* by the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Indonesia to the United Nations, World Trade Organization (WTO), and other International Organizations in Geneva, addressed to the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) General Assembly and the Chair of the Standing Committee on the Law of Trademarks, Industrial Designs and Geographical Indications (SCT), concerning the offer by Indonesia to host the diplomatic conference for the adoption of a Design Law Treaty (DLT), in case WIPO General Assembly takes a decision to convene such diplomatic conference.

[Annex follows]



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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Indonesia to the United Nations, World Trade Organization, and other International Organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and has the honour to refer to the decision of the 59th Assemblies of the Member States of WIPO as reflected in document A/59/13 ADD.5 on matters concerning the convening of a diplomatic conference for the adoption of a Design Law Treaty (DLT).

Indonesia has been and will continue to be a constructive partner in the development of the global intellectual property regime within the framework of WIPO, including in the development of the DLT. Indonesia is committed to contribute further in facilitating the discussion on the DLT towards an agreement to convene a diplomatic conference.

In this context, the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Indonesia has further the honour to reiterate Indonesia's commitment and readiness to host the diplomatic conference of a Design Law Treaty, as conveyed in its statement during the 59th Assemblies of the Member States of WIPO on 30 September 2019.

Indonesia has shown its hosting credentials through numerous international events, including the 2013 APEC Summit, the 2013 WTO Ministerial Conference, the 2018 Asian Games, the 2018 Our Ocean Conference, the 2018 Annual Meeting of the IMF and the World Bank Group, as well as the forthcoming World Economic Forum on East Asia, the ASEAN Summit, and the G-20 Summit.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Indonesia to the United Nations, World Trade Organization, and Other International Organizations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the World Intellectual Property Organization the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 10 December 2019

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