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Re: Citation of Industrial property documents other than patent documents
Within WIPO Standard ST 14 (Task No.40)

Dear Mr.Wittig,

In reply to your letter C.SCIT 2456/03 of August 2, 1999 I would like to express the approval of the Bulgarian Patent Office on the approach taken and the proposed amendments in Standard ST.14 in general. However we have noticed that on page 5, Annex 1 (page 3.14.1 of the Standard ST.14) in item (b) the kind of the industrial design document is not included. As this information on our opinion is necessary for data completeness and clarity in the search process we feel that it should be inserted into this item. According to our proposal item (b) may be changed as follows:

"(b) In the case of an industrial design document

- (i) the industrial property office that issued the cited document*
- (ii) the serial number of the registration of the number*
- (iii) the kind of industrial design document (plain language designation)
- (iv) the name of the applicant or owner*
- (v) the date of publication of the cited document*
- (vi) where applicable, the pages*"

We think that in this form item (b) is more appropriate for the needs of industrial property information.

Thank you very much for your kind attention and our good cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

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Documentation Department