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Follows, bellow, the Brazilian answers for the Questionnaire on the Implementation of Paragraph 12 (a) of WIPO Standard ST.10/C, as it was prepared by our Directorate of Patents:

"Regarding question 1.(a) and question 1.(b), the answer is 'no', with no further comments.

The answer to question 2.(a) is 'no', with the following commentary: Our office makes that document available as according to the attached copy.

The answer to question 2.(b) is 'yes', with the following commentary: Our office is implementing a computing plan that will contemplate the implementation of Paragraph 12(a) regarding the certificate of priority".*

* Translation made by the Coordination of International Cooperation - INPI-BR.

Regards,



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