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NOTICE

The Chair of the Committee on Juridical and Political Affairs (CAJP) has the honor to

address the permanent missions and permanent observer missions to the OAS in connection with

preparations for the Seventh Inter-American Specialized Conference on Private International Law

(CIDIP-VII), the procedure for which was established by the OAS Permanent Council in document

CP/CAJP-2309/05.

The Chair of the CAJP wishes to report that, in order to facilitate the continuation of these

preparations, the Department of Consumer Protection of the Secretariat of Economic Law of the

Ministry of Justice of Brazil (DPDC/SDE/MJ), in collaboration with the Federal University of Rio

Grande do Sul (UFRGS) and the Brazilian Institute of Consumer Policy and Law (BRASILCON), is

organizing a preparatory meeting at the UFRGS, in Porto Alegre, Brazil, on December 2, 3, and 4,

2006.

The following approved working documents will be considered at that meeting: (1) the USA

proposal "Model Law on Monetary Redress for Consumer Transactions"; (2) the Brazilian proposal

on an Inter-American Convention on Law Applicable to Consumer Contracts; and (3) the Canadian

proposal "Model Law on Uniform Jurisdiction and Applicable Law for Consumer Contracts."

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