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**DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE
ON THE PROTECTION OF AUDIOVISUAL PERFORMANCES**

Geneva, December 7 to 20, 2000

AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 3

OF THE BASIC PROPOSAL FOR THE SUBSTANTIVE PROVISIONS
OF AN INSTRUMENT ON THE PROTECTION OF AUDIOVISUAL PERFORMANCES
TO BE CONSIDERED BY THE DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE
(IAVP/DC/3)

Proposal by the Delegation of Canada

Article3

BeneficiariesofProtection

(1) [Existingtext]

(2) IfaContractingPartygrantstoitshabitualresidentsthesameprotectionasitsnationals withrespecttoaudiovisualfixationsmadeonitsterritory,forpurposesofthisTreatysuch habitualresidentsshallbeassimilatedtonationalsofthatContractingPartywithrespectto suchaudiovisualfixations.

Comment

ThepresentationofthispossibleamendmentisnotanindicationthattheCanadian Delegationseekstochange thecurrentArticle3(2).However,wewouldbeopposedtothe completedeletionofparagraph(2).Ifthemajorityofdelegations areopposedtothecurrent paragraph(2),wewouldsuggestthisasanalternative.

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