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Application for Appointment of National ISRC Agencies

BACKGROUND

Since its appointment in 1989 as the International Registration Authority for the International Standard Recording Code (ISRC) by ISO (International Organisation for Standardisation), IFPI Secretariat has appointed 48 national ISRC Agencies. A complete list of these is available at www.ifpi.org

Having read and agreed to the IFPI Procedure for Appointment of National ISRC Agencies, please complete the following form.

Once completed please return the form to the International ISRC Registration Authority (IFPI Secretariat) at isrc@ifpi.org or fax +44 (0) 20 7878 7950 marked for the attention of Rosemary Nolan.

PART 1 – CONTACT INFORMATION

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PART 2 – RATIONALE FOR APPOINTMENT

Provide a concise reason why your organisation should be appointed as the National ISRC Agency for your country.

Fonotica is the Music Licensing Company for Costa Rica representing the collectively-managed rights of producers in Costa Rica. Fonotica has a central role with Costa Rican record companies large and small. Fonotica is the best-placed entity to manage the implementation of ISRC in Costa Rica.

PART 3 – CAPACITY TO FULFIL THE ROLE

Why do you feel that your organisation can fulfil the role of National ISRC Agency? What will you do to ensure the full implementation of the ISRC system in your country?

Fonotica is striving to develop the market for recorded music in Costa Rica. National ISRC Agencies provide an important support for the market, since producers need ISRC to take advantage of digital distribution and ISRC is vital in developing good documentation. Fonotica is committed to providing access to ISRC for all producers of recordings in Costa Rica. Fonotica stands ready to promote and support ISRC implementation in Costa Rica.

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