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Council for Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights

## NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT

GUATEMALA: GOVERNMENT DECISION NO. 52-2022. AMENDMENTS TO GOVERNMENT DECISION NO. 233-2003 OF 9 APRIL 2003, REGULATIONS UNDER THE LAW ON COPYRIGHT AND RELATED RIGHTS

Notifying Member	GUATEMALA
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## Details of the notified legal text

Title	Government Decision No. 52-2022. Amendments to Government Decision No. 233-2003 of 9 April 2003, Regulations under the Law on Copyright and Related Rights
Subject matter	Copyright and related rights
Nature of notification	[X] Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation [ ] Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/GTM/22 3081 00 s.pdf
Notification status	<ul><li>[ ] First notification</li><li>[X] Amendment or revision to notified legal text</li><li>[ ] Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)</li></ul>
Previous notification(s) referred to	IP/N/1/GTM/C/2

## Brief description of the notified legal text

The notified text sets out necessary amendments to the Regulations under the Law on Copyright and Related Rights. The definitions provided in the Regulations have been amended to include the Marrakesh Treaty to Facilitate Access to Published Works for Persons Who Are Blind, Visually Impaired or Otherwise Print Disabled; the text also incorporates the duties and powers of authorized entities into the chapter on moral and economic rights, through the addition of Articles 30 *bis* and 30 *ter*.

Language(s) of notified legal text	Spanish
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Submission date of notification	25 April 2022
Other information	
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