Comments by the Government of Sweden on the text of the preliminary draft uniform rules on international financial leasing as this emerged from the second session of governmental experts.

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Commenting on Article 5, the Swedish Government questions the very desirability of having an article regulating relations with third parties in connexion with conflicts over the leased asset. To make the lessee's principal place of business the connecting factor for the purpose of determining the applicable law gives rise to more problems than it solves. The established principle of the *lex_rei_sitae* is therefore to be preferred.