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Copyright law deficiencies: Burma has been a WTO member since 1995. It is not, however, a member of the Berne Convention nor a signatory thereto, nor has it ratified or implemented the WIPO “Internet” treaties. The country does not have a modern intellectual property rights regime under which piracy may be adequately addressed. Like its Southeast Asian neighbors, the potential for migration into its territory of optical disc plants involved in infringing activities raises concerns.