

Intellectual Property Rules Update Summaries

Update Summary June 17, 2022:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

No Rules Sets were revised.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Patent: United Arab Emirates

Industrial Design: Antigua and Barbuda

Utility Model: Antigua and Barbuda

Industrial Design: Albania

Utility Model: Albania

Industrial Design: Armenia

Utility Model: Armenia

Industrial Design: Angola

Industrial Design: Argentina

Utility Model: Argentina

Industrial Design: Austria

Utility Model: Austria

Industrial Design: Australia

Industrial Design: Azerbaijan

Industrial Design: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Industrial Design: Barbados

Industrial Design: Bangladesh

Industrial Design: Bulgaria

Utility Model: Bulgaria

Utility Model: Bahrain

Patent: Bahrain

Industrial Design: Brunei Darussalam

Industrial Design: Brazil

Utility Model: Brazil

Industrial Design: Bahamas

Industrial Design: Bhutan

Industrial Design: Botswana

Utility Model: Botswana

Industrial Design: Belarus

Utility Model: Belarus

Industrial Design: Belize

Utility Model: Belize

Industrial Design: Canada

Copyright: Armenia

Copyright: Argentina

Copyright: Australia

Copyright: Canada
Copyright: China
Copyright: Germany
Copyright: France
Industrial Design: Switzerland
Copyright: India
Industrial Design: Chile
Industrial Design: China
Utility Model: China
Industrial Design: Colombia
Industrial Design: Costa Rica
Utility Model: Costa Rica
Industrial Design: Seychelles
Copyright: Singapore
Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority
Patent: PCT Claiming Priority
Industrial Design: Cuba
Industrial Design: Cyprus
Industrial Design: Czech Republic
Utility Model: Czech Republic
Industrial Design: Germany
Utility Model: Germany
Industrial Design: Denmark
Utility Model: Denmark
Industrial Design: Dominica
Utility Model: Dominica
Industrial Design: Dominican Republic
Utility Model: Dominican Republic
Industrial Design: Algeria
Industrial Design: Estonia
Utility Model: Estonia
Industrial Design: Egypt
Utility Model: Egypt
Industrial Design: European Community Design
Industrial Design: Spain
Utility Model: Spain
Industrial Design: Finland
Utility Model: Finland
Industrial Design: France
Utility Model: France
Industrial Design: United Kingdom
Industrial Design: Georgia
Utility Model: Georgia
Industrial Design: Ghana
Utility Model: Ghana
Industrial Design: Gambia
Utility Model: Gambia

Industrial Design: Greece
Utility Model: Greece
Industrial Design: Guatemala
Utility Model: Guatemala
Industrial Design: Honduras
Utility Model: Honduras
Industrial Design: Croatia
Utility Model: Croatia
Industrial Design: Hungary
Utility Model: Hungary
Industrial Design: Indonesia
Utility Model: Indonesia
Industrial Design: Ireland
Industrial Design: Israel
Industrial Design: India
Industrial Design: Iceland
Industrial Design: Italy
Utility Model: Italy
Industrial Design: Jamaica
Utility Model: Jamaica
Industrial Design: Jordan
Industrial Design: Japan
Utility Model: Japan
Industrial Design: Kenya
Utility Model: Kenya
Industrial Design: Kyrgyzstan
Utility Model: Kyrgyzstan
Industrial Design: Cambodia
Utility Model: Cambodia
Industrial Design: South Korea
Utility Model: South Korea
Patent: Kuwait
Industrial Design: Kazakhstan
Utility Model: Kazakhstan
Industrial Design: Laos
Patent: Saint Lucia
Utility Model: Chile
Industrial Design: Liechtenstein
Industrial Design: Sri Lanka
Industrial Design: Liberia
Utility Model: Liberia
Industrial Design: Lesotho
Industrial Design: Lithuania
Industrial Design: Latvia
Industrial Design: Morocco
Industrial Design: Moldova
Industrial Design: Montenegro

Industrial Design: Madagascar
Industrial Design: Mongolia
Utility Model: Mongolia
Industrial Design: Macedonia
Industrial Design: Malta
Utility Model: Mauritius
Industrial Design: Mauritius
Utility Model: Mexico
Industrial Design: Mexico
Industrial Design: Malaysia
Utility Model: Malaysia
Industrial Design: Mozambique
Utility Model: Mozambique
Industrial Design: Namibia
Utility Model: Namibia
Industrial Design: Nigeria
Industrial Design: Nicaragua
Utility Model: Nicaragua
Industrial Design: Norway
Industrial Design: Nepal
Industrial Design: New Zealand
Patent: Oman
Industrial Design: Panama
Utility Model: Panama
Patent: Antigua and Barbuda
Patent: Albania
Patent: Armenia
Patent: Angola
Patent: ARIPO
Patent: Argentina
Patent: Austria
Patent: Australia
Patent: Azerbaijan
Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Patent: Barbados
Patent: Belgium
Patent: Bulgaria
Patent: Brunei Darussalam
Patent: Brazil
Patent: Bahamas
Patent: Bhutan
Patent: Botswana
Patent: Belarus
Patent: Belize
Patent: Canada
Patent: Switzerland
Patent: Chile

Patent: China
Patent: Colombia
Patent: Costa Rica
Patent: Cuba
Patent: Cyprus
Patent: Czech Republic
Patent: Bangladesh
Patent: Germany
Patent: Denmark
Patent: Dominica
Patent: Dominican Republic
Patent: Algeria
Industrial Design: Peru
Patent: Ecuador
Patent: Estonia
Patent: Egypt
Patent: European Patent Convention
Patent: Spain
Patent: Finland
Patent: France
Industrial Design: Papua New Guinea
Patent: United Kingdom
Patent: Gulf Cooperation Council
Patent: Grenada
Patent: Georgia
Patent: Ghana
Patent: Gambia
Patent: Greece
Patent: Guatemala
Industrial Design: Philippines
Utility Model: Philippines
Patent: Hong Kong
Patent: Honduras
Patent: Croatia
Patent: Hungary
Patent: Indonesia
Patent: Ireland
Patent: Israel
Patent: India
Patent: Iceland
Patent: Italy
Patent: Jamaica
Patent: Jordan
Patent: Japan
Industrial Design: Pakistan
Patent: Kenya
Patent: Kyrgyzstan

Patent: Cambodia
Patent: St. Kitts and Nevis
Patent: South Korea
Patent: Kazakhstan
Industrial Design: Poland
Utility Model: Poland
Patent: Laos
Patent: Lebanon
Patent: Liechtenstein
Patent: Sri Lanka
Patent: Liberia
Patent: Lesotho
Patent: Lithuania
Patent: Luxembourg
Patent: Latvia
Patent: Libya
Patent: Morocco
Patent: Monaco
Patent: Moldova
Patent: Montenegro
Patent: Madagascar
Patent: Macedonia
Patent: Mongolia
Patent: Malta
Patent: Mauritius
Patent: Mexico
Patent: Malaysia
Patent: Mozambique
Patent: Namibia
Patent: Nigeria
Patent: Nicaragua
Patent: Netherlands
Patent: Norway
Patent: Nepal
Patent: New Zealand
Patent: OAPI (African IP Union)
Patent: Panama
Patent: Peru
Patent: Papua New Guinea
Patent: Philippines
Patent: Pakistan
Patent: Poland
Patent: Portugal
Patent: Paraguay
Patent: Romania
Patent: Serbia
Patent: Russian Federation

Patent: Rwanda
Patent: Seychelles
Patent: Sweden
Patent: Singapore
Patent: Slovenia
Patent: Slovakia
Patent: San Marino
Patent: El Salvador
Industrial Design: Portugal
Utility Model: Portugal
Patent: Thailand
Patent: Turkmenistan
Patent: Tunisia
Patent: Turkey
Patent: Trinidad and Tobago
Patent: Taiwan
Patent: Tanzania
Patent: Ukraine
Patent: Uruguay
Patent: Uzbekistan
Patent: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Patent: Venezuela
Patent: Vietnam
Patent: South Africa
Patent: Zambia
Patent: Zimbabwe
Patent: Qatar
Industrial Design: Romania
Utility Model: Romania
Industrial Design: Serbia
Industrial Design: Russian Federation
Industrial Design: Rwanda
Utility Model: Rwanda
Patent: Saudi Arabia
Industrial Design: Saudi Arabia
Utility Model: Seychelles
Industrial Design: Sweden
Industrial Design: Singapore
Industrial Design: Slovenia
Industrial Design: Slovakia
Utility Model: Slovakia
Industrial Design: El Salvador
Utility Model: El Salvador
Trademark: United Arab Emirates
Trademark: Antigua and Barbuda
Trademark: Albania
Trademark: Armenia

Trademark: Angola
Trademark: ARIPO
Trademark: Argentina
Trademark: Austria
Trademark: Australia
Trademark: Azerbaijan
Trademark: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Trademark: Barbados
Trademark: Bangladesh
Trademark: Bulgaria
Trademark: Bahrain
Trademark: Brunei Darussalam
Trademark: Brazil
Trademark: Bahamas
Trademark: Benelux
Trademark: Botswana
Trademark: Bhutan
Trademark: Belarus
Trademark: Belize
Trademark: Canada
Trademark: Switzerland
Trademark: Chile
Trademark: China
Trademark: Colombia
Trademark: Costa Rica
Trademark: European Union
Trademark: Cuba
Trademark: Cyprus
Trademark: Czech Republic
Trademark: Germany
Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Dominica
Trademark: Dominican Republic
Trademark: Algeria
Trademark: Ecuador
Trademark: Estonia
Trademark: Egypt
Trademark: Spain
Trademark: Finland
Trademark: France
Trademark: United Kingdom
Trademark: Georgia
Trademark: Ghana
Trademark: Gambia
Trademark: Greece
Trademark: Guatemala
Industrial Design: Thailand

Utility Model: Thailand
Trademark: Hong Kong
Trademark: Honduras
Trademark: Croatia
Trademark: Hungary
Trademark: Indonesia
Trademark: Ireland
Trademark: Israel
Trademark: India
Trademark: Iceland
Trademark: Italy
Trademark: Jamaica
Trademark: Jordan
Trademark: Japan
Trademark: Kenya
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan
Trademark: Cambodia
Trademark: St. Kitts and Nevis
Trademark: South Korea
Trademark: Kuwait
Trademark: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Laos
Trademark: Lebanon
Trademark: Saint Lucia
Trademark: Liechtenstein
Trademark: Sri Lanka
Trademark: Liberia
Trademark: Lesotho
Trademark: Lithuania
Trademark: Latvia
Trademark: Libya
Industrial Design: Turkmenistan
Trademark: Morocco
Trademark: Monaco
Trademark: Moldova
Trademark: Montenegro
Trademark: Madagascar
Trademark: Macedonia
Trademark: Mongolia
Trademark: Madrid Protocol
Trademark: Malta
Trademark: Mauritius
Trademark: Mexico
Trademark: Malaysia
Trademark: Mozambique
Trademark: Namibia
Trademark: Nigeria

Trademark: Nicaragua
Trademark: Norway
Trademark: Nepal
Trademark: New Zealand
Trademark: African Union
Trademark: Oman
Trademark: Panama
Trademark: Peru
Trademark: Papua New Guinea
Trademark: Philippines
Trademark: Pakistan
Trademark: Poland
Trademark: Portugal
Trademark: Paraguay
Industrial Design: Turkey
Utility Model: Turkey
Trademark: Romania
Trademark: Serbia
Trademark: Russian Federation
Trademark: Rwanda
Trademark: Saudi Arabia
Trademark: Seychelles
Trademark: Sweden
Trademark: Singapore
Trademark: Slovenia
Trademark: Slovakia
Trademark: San Marino
Trademark: El Salvador
Utility Model: Trinidad and Tobago
Industrial Design: Trinidad and Tobago
Trademark: Thailand
Trademark: Turkmenistan
Trademark: Tunisia
Trademark: Turkey
Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago
Trademark: Taiwan
Trademark: Tanzania
Trademark: Ukraine
Trademark: Uruguay
Trademark: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Trademark: Venezuela
Trademark: Vietnam
Trademark: Zambia
Trademark: South Africa
Trademark: Zimbabwe
Industrial Design: Ukraine

Utility Model: Ukraine
Industrial Design: Uruguay
Utility Model: Uruguay
Industrial Design: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Industrial Design: Venezuela
Industrial Design: Vietnam
Utility Model: Vietnam
Industrial Design: South Africa
Industrial Design: Zambia
Industrial Design: Zimbabwe

Update Summary May 16, 2022:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Provisional Patent

Patent: United States Design Patent

Trademark: European Union

Update Summary February 22, 2022:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Plant Patent

Trademark: Paraguay

Trademark: Mexico

Industrial Design: China

Update Summary January 21, 2022:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Jordan

Update Summary December 17, 2021:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Japan

Patent: Norway

Patent: New Zealand

Trademark: US

Update Summary November 19, 2021

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Chile

Trademark: Peru

Update Summary August 13, 2021

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Copyright: United States

Patent: Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 41 Practice)

Patent: Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 42 Trial Practice)

Trademark Prosecution: United States

Trademark Trial and Appeals Board Rules

Taiwan Trademarks

United States Utility Patent

United States Plant Patent

United States Design Patent

United States Provisional Patent

Patent Prosecution: United States Accelerated Examination

Update Summary July 26, 2021:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Dominican Republic

Industrial Design: Dominican Republic

Utility Model: Dominican Republic

Trademark: Dominican Republic

Patent: Honduras

Industrial Design: Honduras

Utility Model: Honduras

Patent: Nepal

Patent: Pakistan

Industrial Design: Pakistan

Trademark: Pakistan

Trademark: Costa Rica

Trademark: China

Trademark: New Zealand

Trademark: Paraguay

Patent: United States Utility

Patent: United States Plant

Patent: United States Design

Update Summary June 18, 2021:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Denmark

Industrial Design: Denmark

Utility Model: Denmark

Trademark: Denmark

Patent: Finland

Industrial Design: Finland

Utility Model: Finland

Trademark: Finland

Patent: India
Industrial Design: India
Trademark: India
Patent: Latvia
Industrial Design: Latvia
Trademark: Latvia
Patent: European Patent Convention

Update Summary May 14, 2021

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Paraguay
Trademark: Paraguay

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

Patent: Saint Lucia
Trademark: Saint Lucia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Barbados
Industrial Design: Barbados
Trademark: Barbados
Patent: Canada
Industrial Design: Canada
Trademark: Canada
Patent: Greece
Industrial Design: Greece
Utility Model: Greece
Trademark: Greece
Patent: Oman
Trademark: Oman
Patent: Saint Lucia
Trademark: Saint Lucia
Trademark: Lebanon
Patent: New Zealand

Update Summary April 16, 2021:

The following new Rules Set was created:

PK Industrial Design: Cyprus

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Azerbaijan
Trademark: Azerbaijan

Patent: Belgium
Patent: Nicaragua
Industrial Design: Nicaragua
Trademark: Nicaragua
Patent: Slovakia
Industrial Design: Slovakia
Utility Model: Slovakia
Trademark: Slovakia
Patent: Zambia
Trademark: Zambia

Update Summary March 19, 2021:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Jamaica
Utility Model: Mauritius

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bulgaria
Industrial Design: Bulgaria
Utility Model: Bulgaria
Trademark: Bulgaria
Trademark: Iceland
Patent: Jamaica
Industrial Design: Jamaica
Trademark: Jamaica
Patent: Japan
Industrial Design: Japan
Utility Model: Japan
Trademark: Japan
Patent: United Kingdom
Industrial Design: United Kingdom
Trademark: United Kingdom

Update Summary February 19, 2021:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: France
Utility Model: Croatia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Albania
Industrial Design: Albania
Utility Model: Albania
Trademark: Albania
Patent: Croatia
Patent: Cyprus
Trademark: Cyprus
Patent: France
Industrial Design: France
Trademark: France
Patent: Panama
Industrial Design: Panama
Trademark: Panama

Update Summary January 22, 2021:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Panama
Industrial Design: Serbia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Liechtenstein
Industrial Design: Liechtenstein
Trademark: Liechtenstein
Patent: Romania
Industrial Design: Romania
Utility Model: Romania
Trademark: Romania
Patent: Switzerland
Industrial Design: Switzerland
Trademark: Switzerland
Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago

Update Summary December 18, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: El Salvador
Utility Model: El Salvador

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Industrial Design: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Trademark: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Patent: Czech Republic
Industrial Design: Czech Republic
Utility Model: Czech Republic
Trademark: Czech Republic
Utility Model: Germany
Trademark: Germany
Patent: Luxembourg
Patent: Saint Kitts and Nevis
Trademark: Saint Kitts and Nevis
Patent: Tunisia
Trademark: Tunisia

Update Summary November 20, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Chile
Utility Model: Chile

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Antigua and Barbuda
Industrial Design: Antigua and Barbuda
Utility Model: Antigua and Barbuda
Trademark: Antigua and Barbuda
Patent: Chile
Trademark Chile
Patent: Germany
Industrial Design: Germany
Trademark: Georgia
Patent: PCT Claiming Priority
Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Design Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent

Update Summary October 16, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Brazil
Utility Model: South Korea

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Cambodia

Industrial Design: Cambodia

Utility Model: Cambodia

Trademark: Cambodia

Patent: Estonia

Industrial Design: Estonia

Utility Model: Estonia

Trademark: Estonia

Patent: Georgia

Industrial Design: Georgia

Utility Model: Georgia

United States Utility Patent

Patent: Australia

Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 42 Trial Practice)

Update Summary September 18, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Brunei Darussalam

Utility Model: Nicaragua

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Colombia

Industrial Design: Colombia

Trademark: Colombia

Patent: El Salvador

Trademark: El Salvador

Patent: Macedonia

Trademark: Macedonia

Patent: Namibia

Trademark: Namibia

Patent: Rwanda

Industrial Design: Rwanda

Utility Model: Rwanda

Trademark: Rwanda

Update Summary July 24, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Saudi Arabia

Industrial Design: Turkmenistan

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Algeria

Trademark: Algeria

Patent: Italy

Industrial Design: Italy

Utility Model: Italy

Trademark: Italy

Patent: Monaco

Patent: Saudi Arabia

Trademark: Saudi Arabia

Patent: Serbia

Trademark: Serbia

Trademark: Turkmenistan

Update Summary June 12, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Costa Rica

Utility Model: Costa Rica

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Botswana

Trademark: Botswana

Patent: Brunei Darussalam

Trademark: Brunei Darussalam

Patent: Cuba

Trademark: Cuba

Patent: Mauritius

Industrial Design: Mauritius

Trademark: Mauritius

Patent: Moldova

Trademark: Moldova

Patent: Zimbabwe

Industrial Design: Zimbabwe

Trademark: Zimbabwe

Update Summary May 15, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Bangladesh

Utility Model: Trinidad and Tobago

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bangladesh

Trademark: Bangladesh

Patent: Costa Rica

Trademark: Costa Rica

Patent: Gambia

Industrial Design: Gambia

Utility Model: Gambia

Trademark: Gambia

Patent: South Korea

Industrial Design: South Korea

Trademark: South Korea

Patent: Trinidad and Tobago

Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago

Patent: ARIPO

Update Summary April 17, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Dominica

Utility Model: Dominica

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Belize

Industrial Design: Belize

Utility Model: Belize

Trademark: Belize

Patent: Dominica

Trademark: Dominica

Patent: Hungary

Industrial Design: Hungary

Utility Model: Hungary

Trademark: Hungary

Patent: Mozambique

Industrial Design: Mozambique

Utility Model: Mozambique

Trademark: Mozambique

Trademark: New Zealand

Update Summary March 13, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Liberia

Utility Model: Liberia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Austria

Industrial Design: Austria

Utility Model: Austria

Trademark: Austria

Patent: China

Update Summary February 14, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

PI Industrial Design: Cuba

PF Industrial Design: Papua New Guinea

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Australia

Industrial Design: Australia

Trademark: Australia

Patent: Bahamas

Industrial Design: Bahamas

Trademark: Bahamas

Industrial Design: European Community Design

Patent: Malaysia

Industrial Design: Malaysia

Trademark: Malaysia

Patent: Mongolia

Industrial Design: Mongolia

Utility Model: Mongolia

Trademark: Mongolia

Update Summary January 17, 2020:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Seychelles

Utility Model: Seychelles

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Madagascar

Industrial Design: Madagascar

Trademark: Madagascar

Patent: Venezuela

Industrial Design: Venezuela

Trademark: Venezuela

Patent: Portugal

Industrial Design: Portugal

Utility Model: Portugal

Trademark: Portugal

Update Summary December 13, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Ghana

Utility Model: Ghana

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bulgaria

Industrial Design: Bulgaria

Utility Model: Bulgaria

Trademark: Bulgaria

Patent: Seychelles

Trademark: Seychelles

Trademark: Sweden

Update Summary November 15, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Uruguay

Utility Model: Uruguay

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Armenia

Industrial Design: Armenia

Utility Model: Armenia

Trademark: Armenia

Patent: Belarus

Industrial Design: Belarus
Utility Model: Belarus
Trademark: Belarus
Patent: Lithuania
Industrial Design: Lithuania
Trademark: Lithuania
Patent: New Zealand
Industrial Design: New Zealand
Trademark: New Zealand

Update Summary October 11, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: China
Utility Model: Vietnam

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Kenya
Industrial Design: Kenya
Utility Model: Kenya
Trademark: Kenya
Patent: Peru
Industrial Design: Peru
Trademark: Peru
Patent: Romania
Industrial Design: Romania
Utility Model: Romania
Trademark: Romania

Update Summary September 13, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Indonesia
Utility Model: Indonesia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Egypt
Industrial Design: Egypt
Utility Model: Egypt
Trademark: Egypt
Patent: Uruguay

Trademark: Uruguay
Patent: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Uzbekistan
Patent: Nigeria
Industrial Design: Nigeria
Trademark: Nigeria
Patent: Vietnam
Industrial Design: Vietnam
Trademark: Vietnam

Update Summary August 20, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Namibia
Utility Model: Namibia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Argentina
Industrial Design: Argentina
Utility Model: Argentina
Trademark: Argentina
Patent: Tanzania
Trademark: Tanzania
Patent: Thailand
Industrial Design: Thailand
Utility Model: Thailand
Trademark: Thailand
Patent: Turkey
Industrial Design: Turkey
Utility Model: Turkey
Trademark: Turkey

Update Summary July 22, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Bhutan
Industrial Design: Brazil

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Angola
Industrial Design: Angola
Trademark: Angola
Trademark: Canada
Trademark: Finland
Patent: Malta
Industrial Design: Malta
Trademark: Malta
Patent: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Industrial Design: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Trademark: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Patent: Spain
Industrial Design: Spain
Utility Model: Spain
Trademark: Spain

Update Summary June 14, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Azerbaijan
Industrial Design: Moldova

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Canada
Patent: Jordan
Industrial Design: Jordan
Patent: Panama
Industrial Design: Panama
Patent: Papua New Guinea
Trademark: Papua New Guinea
Patent: Philippines
Industrial Design: Philippines
Utility Model: Philippines
Trademark: Philippines
Patent: Poland
Industrial Design: Poland
Utility Model: Poland
Trademark: Poland
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary May 10, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Albania

Utility Model: Botswana

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Israel

Industrial Design: Israel

Trademark: Israel

Trademark: Jordan

Patent: Libya

Trademark: Libya

Trademark: Panama

Patent: Singapore

Industrial Design: Singapore

Trademark: Singapore

Patent: Slovakia

Industrial Design: Slovakia

Utility Model: Slovakia

Trademark: Slovakia

Update Summary April 12, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Honduras

Utility Model: Honduras

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Cyprus

Trademark: Cyprus

Patent: South Africa

Industrial Design: South Africa

Trademark: South Africa

Patent: Sri Lanka

Industrial Design: Sri Lanka

Trademark: Sri Lanka

Patent: Taiwan

Trademark – Taiwan

Patent: Ukraine

Industrial Design: Ukraine

Utility Model: Ukraine
Trademark: Ukraine
Copyright: United States
Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 42 Trial Practice)
Trademark: United States

Update Summary March 15, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Botswana

Utility Model: Italy

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Azerbaijan

Trademark: Denmark

Patent: Gulf Co-Operation Council

Patent: Hong Kong

Trademark: Hong Kong

Patent: Indonesia

Trademark: Indonesia

Patent: Ireland

Industrial Design: Ireland

Trademark: Ireland

Patent: OAPI (African IP Union)

Patent: Russian Federation

Trademark: Russian Federation

Patent: United Arab Emirates

Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 41 Practice)

Utility Model: Poland

Update Summary February 15, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Algeria

Utility Model: Kazakhstan

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Canada

Industrial Design: Canada

Trademark: Canada

Patent: Ecuador

Trademark: Ecuador
Trademark: European Union
Patent: Laos
Trademark: Laos
Patent: Mexico
Utility Model: Mexico
Industrial Design: Mexico
Trademark: Mexico
Patent: United Kingdom
Industrial Design: United Kingdom
Trademark: United Kingdom
Patent: Australia

Update Summary January 18, 2019:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Barbados

Industrial Design: Barbados

Trademark: Barbados

Trademark: Kuwait

Patent: Slovenia

Industrial Design: Slovenia

Update Summary December 14, 2018:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Industrial Design: Zambia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Trademark: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Patent: Chile

Trademark: Chile

Patent: Dominican Republic

Industrial Design: Dominican Republic
Utility Model: Dominican Republic
Trademark: Dominican Republic
Patent: Latvia
Industrial Design: Latvia
Trademark: Latvia
Patent: Lesotho
Industrial Design: Lesotho
Trademark: Lesotho
Copyright: France

Update Summary November 16, 2018:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Kyrgyzstan
Utility Model: Kyrgyzstan

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Antigua and Barbuda
Industrial Design: Antigua and Barbuda
Utility Model: Antigua and Barbuda
Trademark: Antigua and Barbuda
Patent: Kyrgyzstan
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan
Patent: San Marino
Trademark: San Marino
Patent: Montenegro
Trademark: Montenegro
Patent: Netherlands
Copyright: Canada

Update Summary October 12, 2018:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Nepal
Industrial Design: Liechtenstein

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: India

Industrial Design: India

Trademark: India

Patent: Kazakhstan

Industrial Design: Kazakhstan

Trademark: Kazakhstan

Patent: Liechtenstein

Trademark: Liechtenstein

Patent: Luxembourg

Patent: Nepal

Trademark: Nepal

Copyright: Argentina

Update Summary September 14, 2018:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Guatemala

Utility Model: Guatemala

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Albania

Industrial Design: Albania

Trademark: Albania

Patent: France

Industrial Design: France

Patent: Guatemala

Trademark: Guatemala

Patent: Honduras

Trademark: Honduras

Patent: Hungary

Industrial Design: Hungary

Utility Model: Hungary

Trademark: Hungary

Copyright: Armenia

Update Summary August 17, 2018:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Cambodia

Utility Model: Cambodia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Cambodia

Trademark: Cambodia

Patent: Finland

Industrial Design: Finland

Utility Model: Finland

Trademark: Finland

Patent: Germany

Industrial Design: Germany

Utility Model: Germany

Trademark: Germany

Patent: Greece

Industrial Design: Greece

Utility Model: Greece

Trademark: Greece

Patent: Brazil

Update Summary July 23, 2018:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Rwanda

Utility Model: Rwanda

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Australia

Patent: Italy

Industrial Design: Italy

Trademark: Italy

Patent: Laos

Industrial Design: Mexico

Trademark: Namibia

Patent: Rwanda
Trademark: Rwanda
Patent: St. Kitts and Nevis
Trademark: St. Kitts and Nevis
Patent: St. Lucia
Trademark: St. Lucia
Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 42 Trial Practice)

Update Summary June 15, 2018:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Austria
Industrial Design: Macedonia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Namibia
Patent: Nicaragua
Industrial Design: Nicaragua
Patent: Norway
Industrial Design: Norway
Trademark: Norway
Patent: Pakistan
Trademark: Pakistan
Patent: Sweden
Industrial Design: Sweden
Patent: Switzerland
Industrial Design: Switzerland
Trademark: New Zealand
Patent: South Korea

Update Summary May 11, 2018:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Bhutan
Trademark: Bhutan

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were renamed:

No Rules Sets were renamed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Industrial Design: Mozambique

Utility Model: Mozambique

Patent: Serbia

Trademark: Serbia

Trademark: Switzerland

Patent: Trinidad and Tobago

Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago

Patent: Tunisia

Trademark: Tunisia

Patent: Zambia

Trademark: Zambia

Patent: Zimbabwe

Trademark: Zimbabwe

Update Summary April 13, 2018

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Turkmenistan

Trademark: Turkmenistan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Czech Republic

Industrial Design: Czech Republic

Trademark: Czech Republic

Patent: Japan

Industrial Design: Japan

Utility Model: Japan

Patent: Macedonia

Patent: Morocco

Industrial Design: Morocco

Patent: PCT Claiming Priority

Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority

Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Trademark: United States

Update Summary March 16, 2018

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Georgia

Industrial Design: Russian Federation

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Estonia

Industrial Design: Estonia
Utility Model: Estonia
Trademark: Estonia
Patent: Georgia
Industrial Design: Georgia
Trademark: Georgia
Patent: Iceland
Industrial Design: Iceland
Trademark: Iceland
Patent: Jamaica
Trademark: Jamaica
Industrial Design: Montenegro
Patent Austria
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary February 16, 2018

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Gambia
Utility Model: Gambia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Belgium
Patent: Denmark
Industrial Design: Denmark
Utility Model: Denmark
Patent: European Patent Convention
Patent: South Korea
Patent: Lebanon
Trademark: Lebanon
Patent: Mexico
Utility Model: Mexico
Industrial Design: Mexico
Trademark: Mexico
Patent: Monaco
Patent: Mozambique

Update Summary January 18, 2018

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Croatia
Industrial Design: Laos

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Jordan
Patent Kuwait
Trademark: Laos

Industrial Design: Mauritius
Patent: Mozambique
Trademark: Mozambique
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary December 15, 2017:
The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Mongolia
Utility Model: Mongolia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Austria
Industrial Design: Austria
Trademark: Austria
Patent: Canada
Industrial Design: Canada
Trademark: Canada
Patent: China
Industrial Design: China
Trademark: China
Patent: Croatia
Trademark: Croatia
Trademark: El Salvador
Industrial Design: European Community Design

Update Summary November 17, 2017:
The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Colombia
Utility Model: Portugal

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Brunei Darussalam
Trademark: Brunei Darussalam
Patent: Nigeria
Trademark: Nigeria
Patent: Peru
Industrial Design: Peru
Trademark: Peru
Patent: Seychelles
Trademark: Seychelles
Patent: Tanzania
Trademark: Tanzania
Patent: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Uzbekistan

Patent: United States Utility Patent

Update Summary October 13, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Thailand

Utility Model: Thailand

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bangladesh

Patent: Thailand

Trademark: Thailand

Patent: Turkey

Industrial Design: Turkey

Utility Model: Turkey

Trademark: Turkey

Update Summary September 15, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Bahrain

Utility Model: Philippines

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Australia

Industrial Design: Australia

Trademark: Australia

Trademark: European Union

Patent: Malaysia

Trademark: Malaysia

Trademark: Malta

Patent: Mauritius

Industrial Design: Mauritius

Trademark: Mauritius

Patent: Mongolia

Trademark: Mongolia

Trademark: Sweden

Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary August 18, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Egypt

Utility Model: Egypt

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Botswana

Trademark: Botswana

Patent: Cuba
Trademark: Cuba
Patent: Egypt
Trademark: Egypt
Patent: Gambia
Trademark: Gambia
Patent: Ghana
Trademark: Ghana
Patent: Liberia
Trademark: Liberia
Patent: Moldova
Trademark: Moldova
Trademark: United States
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary July 24, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Madagascar
Trademark: Madagascar

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Belarus
Industrial Design: Belarus
Utility Model: Belarus
Trademark: Belarus
Patent: Belize
Industrial Design: Belize
Utility Model: Belize
Trademark: Belize
Patent: Madagascar
Patent: Romania
Industrial Design: Romania
Trademark: Romania
Patent: Spain
Utility Model: Spain

Update Summary June 16, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Poland
Utility Model: Poland

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Argentina
Industrial Design: Argentina
Utility Model: Argentina

Trademark: Argentina
Patent: Bahamas
Trademark: Bahamas
Trademark: Barbados
Patent: Portugal
Trademark: Portugal
Patent: Uruguay
Trademark: Uruguay
Trademark: United Kingdom

Update Summary May 12, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Azerbaijan
Trademark: Azerbaijan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Algeria
Patent: Angola
Trademark: Angola
Patent: Costa Rica
Trademark: Costa Rica
Patent: New Zealand
Trademark: New Zealand
Patent: Saudi Arabia
Trademark: Saudi Arabia
Patent: United Arab Emirates
Trademark: United Arab Emirates
Trademark: Morocco

Update Summary April 14, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Bulgaria
Industrial Design: Lesotho

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bahrain
Trademark: Bahrain
Patent: Brazil
Trademark: Brazil
Patent: Bulgaria
Industrial Design: Bulgaria
Trademark: Bulgaria
Patent: Colombia
Trademark: Colombia
Patent: Lithuania

Industrial Design: Lithuania
Trademark: Lithuania
Patent: Malta
Copyright: India
Copyright: Germany

Update Summary March 17, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Romania
Utility Model: Spain

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Dominica
Trademark: Dominica
Patent: Kenya
Industrial Design: Kenya
Utility Model: Kenya
Trademark: Kenya
Patent: South Korea
Trademark: South Korea
Patent: Spain
Industrial Design: Spain
Patent: Vietnam
Industrial Design: Vietnam
Trademark: Vietnam
Trademark: United States
Copyright: China

Update Summary February 17, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Zambia
Trademark: Zambia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: African Union
Patent: ARIPO
Trademark: ARIPO
Patent: Armenia
Industrial Design: Armenia
Utility Model: Armenia
Trademark: Armenia
Trademark: Benelux
Trademark: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Trademark: Canada
Trademark: France

Trademark: Germany
Trademark: Madrid Protocol
Patent: Oman
Trademark: Oman

Update Summary January 20, 2017:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Angola
Industrial Design: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Industrial Design: Venezuela
Trademark: Venezuela
Patent: United States Provisional Patent
Trademark: United States
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary December 16, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Dominican Republic
Industrial Design: Israel

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Copyright: Australia
Patent: Libya
Trademark: Libya
Patent: Panama
Industrial Design: Panama
Trademark: Panama
Patent: Philippines
Patent: Poland
Trademark: Poland
Patent: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Patent: Saudi Arabia
Trademark: Saudi Arabia

Update Summary November 11, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Turkey
Utility Model: Ukraine

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Chile

Trademark: Chile
Patent: Dominican Republic
Industrial Design: Dominican Republic
Trademark: Dominican Republic
Patent: Ecuador
Trademark: Ecuador
Patent: Ireland
Trademark: Ireland
Patent: Kuwait
Trademark: Kuwait
Patent: Kyrgyzstan
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan
Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 41 Practice)
Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 42 Trial Practice)

Update Summary October 14, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Barbados
Industrial Design: Latvia
Copyright: Singapore

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent Barbados
Patent: India
Industrial Design: India
Trademark: India
Patent: Israel
Trademark: Israel
Patent: Latvia
Patent: Netherlands
Patent: Turkey
Trademark: Turkey
Patent: Ukraine
Industrial Design: Ukraine
Trademark: Ukraine

Update Summary September 16, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Antigua and Barbuda
Industrial Design: Kazakhstan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Antigua and Barbuda
Industrial Design: Antigua and Barbuda
Utility Model: Antigua and Barbuda
Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Patent: Singapore
Industrial Design: Singapore
Trademark: Singapore
Industrial Design: South Africa
Trademark: South Africa
Patent: Sri Lanka
Trademark: Sri Lanka
Patent: Taiwan
Trademark: Taiwan

Update Summary August 12, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Spain
Industrial Design: Sri Lanka

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Albania
Industrial Design: Albania
Trademark: Albania
Patent: Guatemala
Trademark: Guatemala
Patent: Slovenia
Industrial Design: Slovenia
Trademark: Slovenia
Patent: Spain
Trademark: Spain
Trademark: San Marino
Trademark: Slovakia
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary July 20, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Nepal
Trademark: Nepal

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Jordan
Industrial Design: Jordan
Trademark: Jordan
Patent: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Latvia
Trademark: Liechtenstein
Patent: Montenegro
Industrial Design: Morocco

Patent: Netherlands
Trademark: Papua New Guinea
Patent: San Marino
Patent: Thailand

Update Summary June 17, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Saint Kitts and Nevis
Industrial Design: Turkey

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Germany
Industrial Design: Germany
Utility Model: Germany
Trademark: Germany
Patent: Gulf Co-operation Council
Patent: Honduras
Trademark: Honduras
Patent: Saint Kitts and Nevis
Patent: Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 42 Trial Practice)

The following Rules Set was renamed:

Trademark: Community Trademark to Trademark: European Union

Update Summary May 13, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Lesotho
Trademark: Lesotho

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Cyprus
Trademark: Cyprus
Trademark: Hong Kong
Patent: Laos
Trademark: Laos
Patent: OAPI (African IP Union)
Patent: Russian Federation
Trademark: Russian Federation
Trademark: Rwanda
Patent: St. Lucia
Trademark: St. Lucia

Update Summary April 15, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Hungary
Industrial Design: Italy

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Greece
Industrial Design: Greece
Utility Model: Greece
Trademark: Greece
Patent: Hungary
Trademark: Hungary
Patent: Norway
Industrial Design: Norway
Trademark: Norway
Patent: Italy
Trademark: Italy

Update Summary March 18, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Cambodia
Trademark: Cambodia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Finland
Industrial Design: Finland
Utility Model: Finland
Trademark: Finland
Patent: Namibia
Trademark: Namibia
Patent: Nicaragua
Trademark: Nicaragua
Patent: Pakistan
Industrial Design: Pakistan
Trademark: Pakistan
Patent: Sweden

Update Summary February 19, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Zimbabwe
Trademark: Zimbabwe

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Czech Republic
Utility Model: Czech Republic
Patent: Denmark

Industrial Design: Denmark
Utility Model: Denmark
Patent: Trinidad and Tobago
Patent: Zimbabwe
Trademark: Switzerland
Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago
Trademark: Vietnam

Update Summary January 22, 2016:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Mozambique
Utility Model: Mozambique

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Macedonia
Trademark: Serbia
Patent: Tunisia
Patent: United Kingdom
Industrial Design: United Kingdom
Trademark: United States

Update Summary December 18, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Bangladesh
Trademark: Bangladesh
Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 42 Trial Practice)

The following Rule Set was renamed:

Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 41 Practice)

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Croatia
Trademark: Croatia
Patent: Mozambique
Patent: Nigeria
Industrial Design: Nigeria
Trademark: Nigeria
Trademark: Tanzania
Patent Trial and Appeal Board (Part 41 Practice)

Update Summary November 13, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Brunei Darussalam

Trademark: Brunei Darussalam

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Armenia
Trademark: Armenia
Patent: Estonia
Utility Model: Estonia
Trademark: Estonia
Patent: Iceland
Trademark: Iceland

Update Summary October 16, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Jamaica
Industrial Design: Jamaica

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Canada
Industrial Design: Canada
Trademark: Canada
Patent: El Salvador
Trademark: El Salvador
Trademark: Jamaica
Patent: Morocco
Patent: Qatar
Patent: Seychelles
Trademark: Seychelles
Trademark: Thailand
Trademark: Uzbekistan

Update Summary September 11, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: India
Industrial Design: Peru

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Albania
Patent: China
Trademark: China
Patent: Japan
Industrial Design: Japan
Trademark: Japan
Patent: Mexico
Utility Model: Mexico
Industrial Design: Mexico
Trademark: Mexico
Patent: United States Design Patent

Update Summary August 14, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Georgia

Industrial Design: Iceland

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Australia

Industrial Design: Australia

Trademark: Australia

Patent: Austria

Trademark: Austria

Patent: Georgia

Update Summary July 24, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Liberia

Industrial Design: Montenegro

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Gambia

Patent: Ghana

Trademark: Ghana

Patent: Liberia

Patent: Mauritius

Industrial Design: Mauritius

Trademark: Mauritius

Patent: Mongolia

Trademark: Mongolia

Trademark: Montenegro

Update Summary June 12, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Belize

Utility Model: Belize

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Belize

Patent: Cuba

Patent: Dominica

Patent: Egypt

Patent: Lebanon

Trademark: Lebanon

Patent: Madagascar

Patent: Malaysia

Industrial Design: Malaysia

Trademark: Malaysia
Patent: Moldova
Trademark: Moldova

Update Summary May 15, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Argentina
Utility Model: Argentina

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Argentina
Patent: Belarus
Industrial Design: Belarus
Utility Model: Belarus
Patent: Botswana
Patent: China
Patent: Portugal
Industrial Design: Portugal
Trademark: Portugal
Patent: Romania
Industrial Design: Romania
Trademark: Community Trademark

Update Summary April 17, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Bahamas
Industrial Design: Philippines

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Algeria
Patent: Angola
Patent: Bahamas
Trademark: Bahamas
Patent: Barbados
Trademark: Barbados
Patent: Ukraine
Industrial Design: Ukraine
Trademark: Uruguay
Patent: United States Utility

Update Summary March 13, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Bulgaria
Industrial Design: Germany
Patent: Bahrain

Patent: Kuwait
Patent: Oman
Patent: Qatar
Patent: Saudi Arabia
Patent: United Arab Emirates

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Brazil
Trademark: Brazil
Patent: Bulgaria
Trademark: Bulgaria
Patent: Colombia
Patent: Costa Rica
Trademark: Costa Rica
Patent: European Patent Convention
Patent: Japan
Patent: Lithuania
Trademark: Lithuania
Patent: New Zealand
Industrial Design: New Zealand
Trademark: New Zealand

Update Summary February 13, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Lithuania
Industrial Design: Malta

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Malta
Patent: Vietnam
Industrial Design: Vietnam
Trademark: Peru
Trademark: Romania
Trademark: Tunisia
Trademark: United Arab Emirates
Copyright: United States

Update Summary January 23, 2015:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Slovakia
Industrial Design: Slovenia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Industrial Design: South Korea
Patent: Kenya

Utility Model: Kenya
Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Dominica
Trademark: Kenya

Update Summary December 12, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Greece
Utility Model: Greece

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Guatemala
Patent: India
Patent: Indonesia
Industrial Design: Ireland
Utility Model: Japan

Update Summary November 14, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Armenia
Utility Model: Armenia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Albania
Industrial Design: Albania
Patent: Dominican Republic
Patent: Israel
Patent: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Bahrain
Trademark: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Trademark: Czech Republic
Trademark: Greece
Trademark: Guatemala
Trademark: Indonesia

Update Summary October 17, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Antigua & Barbuda
Utility Model: Antigua & Barbuda

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: European Patent Convention
Patent: Antigua & Barbuda
Patent: Morocco
Patent: Panama
Patent: Philippines
Patent: Sri Lanka
Patent: Taiwan
Trademark: Ireland
Trademark: Italy
Trademark: Jamaica
Trademark: Latvia
Trademark: Nicaragua
Trademark: United States

Update Summary September 12, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Trademark: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: African Union (OAPI)
Trademark: Albania
Trademark: Algeria
Trademark: Barbados
Trademark: Belarus
Trademark: France
Trademark: Gambia
Trademark: Georgia
Trademark: Germany
Trademark: United Kingdom
Patent: ARIPO
Patent: Armenia
Patent: PCT Claiming Priority
Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority

Update Summary August 15, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Mozambique
Trademark: Mozambique

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Patent: El Salvador
Industrial Design: European Community Design
Patent: Japan
Patent: Korea (South)
Patent: Kyrgyzstan
Patent: Macedonia
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Design Patent

Update Summary July 25, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Libya
Trademark: Libya

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Iceland
Patent: Latvia
Patent: Lithuania
Patent: Luxembourg
Patent: Monaco
Patent: Netherlands
Patent: Poland
Patent: Slovakia
Patent: Slovenia
Patent: Spain
Trademark: Colombia
Trademark: Argentina
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary June 13, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Honduras
Trademark: Honduras

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Germany
Patent: Gulf Co-operation Council
Patent: Jordan
Patent: Uruguay
Patent: Venezuela
Industrial Design: Venezuela
Trademark: Madrid Protocol

Trademark: ARIPO
Trademark: Benelux
Trademark: Tanzania
Trademark: Venezuela
Copyright: Armenia
United States International Trade Commission

Update Summary May 16, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Liechtenstein
Trademark: Liechtenstein

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Papua New Guinea
Trademark: Saudi Arabia
Trademark: Singapore
Trademark: Slovakia
Trademark: Slovenia
Trademark: South Africa
Trademark: Spain
Trademark: Sri Lanka
Trademark: St. Lucia
Trademark: Sweden
Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago
Trademark: Turkey
Trademark: Ukraine

Update Summary April 18, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: San Marino
Trademark: San Marino

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Hong Kong
Trademark: Hungary
Trademark: Japan
Trademark: Jordan
Trademark: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan
Trademark: Laos
Trademark: Mexico
Trademark: Mongolia

Trademark: Montenegro
Trademark: Pakistan
Trademark: Panama
Trademark: Poland
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Trademark: South Korea

Update Summary March 14, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Rwanda
Trademark: Seychelles

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Cyprus
Patent: OAPI (African IP Union)
Patent: Rwanda
Patent: Seychelles
Patent: St. Lucia
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Accelerated Examination
Patent: United States Design Patent
Trademark: China
Trademark: Croatia
Trademark: Cyprus
Trademark: Dominican Republic
Trademark: Ecuador

Update Summary February 14, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Tanzania
Trademark: Angola

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Industrial Design: Austria
Patent: Grenada
Patent: Hong Kong
Patent: Laos
Patent: South Africa
Industrial Design: South Africa
Patent: St. Kitts and Nevis
Trademark: Belize
Trademark: Brazil

Trademark: Chile
Trademark: Philippines
Trademark: South Korea
Copyright: Australia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary January 17, 2014:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Costa Rica
Trademark: Costa Rica

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Russian Federation
Trademark: Russian Federation
Patent: Singapore
Industrial Design: Singapore
Utility Model: Slovakia

Update Summary December 13, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Switzerland
Trademark: Taiwan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Switzerland
Industrial Design: Switzerland
Patent: United States Accelerated Examination
Patent: Portugal
Industrial Design: Portugal
Trademark: Portugal
Patent: Romania
Industrial Design: Romania

Update Summary November 15, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Nigeria
Trademark: Papua New Guinea
Patent: Serbia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Australia
Trademark: Australia
Patent: Bulgaria
Trademark: Community Trademark
Patent: France
Industrial Design: United Kingdom
Patent: Thailand
Trademark: Bulgaria
Trademark: Canada
Patent: Italy
Patent: Ireland
Trademark: Lithuania
Patent: Sweden
Industrial Design: Sweden

Update Summary October 18, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Namibia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Copyright: United States
Industrial Design: Dominican Republic
Patent: Finland
Industrial Design: Finland
Utility Model: Finland
Patent: Ghana
Patent: Greece
Patent: Hungary
Industrial Design: Hungary
Patent: United Kingdom

Update Summary September 13, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Montenegro
Trademark: Morocco

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Belgium
Patent: Croatia
Patent: Czech Republic
Industrial Design: Czech Republic

Utility Model: Czech Republic
Patent: Denmark
Industrial Design: Denmark
Utility Model: Denmark
Industrial Design: Estonia
Utility Model: Estonia
Industrial Design: France
Utility Model: Germany
Trademark: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Vietnam

Update Summary August 16, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Moldova
Trademark: Monaco

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Austria
Patent: China
Industrial Design: China
Patent: Colombia
Patent: Trinidad and Tobago
Patent: Tunisia
Trademark: El Salvador
Trademark: Estonia
Trademark: Finland
Trademark: Iceland
Trademark: New Zealand
Trademark: Serbia
Trademark: Thailand
Trademark: Uruguay
Patent: United States Provisional
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Accelerated Examination
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Design Patent
Patent: PCT Claiming Priority
Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority

Update Summary July 22, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Lebanon
Trademark: Macedonia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Nicaragua
Industrial Design: Nicaragua
Patent: Nigeria
Industrial Design: Nigeria
Patent: Norway
Industrial Design: Norway
Patent: Pakistan
Industrial Design: Pakistan
Industrial Design: Panama
Patent: Peru
Trademark: Malaysia
Trademark: Malta
Trademark: Mauritius
Trademark: Namibia

Update Summary June 14, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Cuba
Trademark: Kuwait

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Lebanon
Patent: Liberia
Patent: Madagascar
Patent: Malaysia
Industrial Design: Malaysia
Patent: Mauritius
Industrial Design: Mauritius
Patent: Moldova
Patent: Mongolia
Industrial Design: Morocco
Patent: New Zealand
Industrial Design: New Zealand
Trademark: Australia
Trademark: Bahamas
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
Trademark: United States

Update Summary May 17, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Gambia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Argentina
Patent: Chile
Patent: Mexico
Utility Model: Mexico
Industrial Design: Mexico
Patent: Turkey
Patent: Ukraine
Industrial Design: Ukraine
Patent: Zimbabwe
Trademark: Armenia
Trademark: Austria
Trademark: Egypt
Trademark: Ghana
Trademark: India
Trademark: Israel

Update Summary April 19, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Angola

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Dominica
Trademark: Kenya
Trademark: Oman
Patent: Egypt
Patent: Georgia
Patent: India
Patent: Indonesia
Industrial Design: Ireland
Utility Model: Japan
Industrial Design: Jordan
Patent: Kenya
Industrial Design: Kenya
Utility Model: Kenya
Industrial Design: South Korea

Update Summary March 15, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Cuba

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Antigua & Barbuda
Industrial Design: Australia
Patent: Belize
Patent: Botswana
Patent: Brazil
Patent: Canada
Industrial Design: Canada
Patent: Morocco
Patent: Philippines
Patent: Sri Lanka
Trademark: Bahrain
Trademark: Latvia

Update Summary February 15, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Botswana

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Trial and Appeal Board
Industrial Design: Albania
Patent: Algeria
Patent: Bahamas
Patent: Barbados
Patent: Belarus
Industrial Design: Belarus
Utility Model: Belarus
Patent: Ecuador
Patent: Estonia
Industrial Design: Japan
Patent: Taiwan
ICANN: Domain Name Dispute Resolution Rules

Update Summary January 25, 2013:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Nicaragua
Patent: Guatemala

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Albania
Patent: Dominican Republic
Patent: European Patent Convention
Patent: Israel

Patent: Kazakhstan
Patent: Panama
Trademark: South Korea
Trademark: Norway
Trademark: Philippines

Update Summary December 14, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Patent Trial and Appeal Board

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Utility
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: Bulgaria
Patent: France
Patent: Kyrgyzstan
Patent: PCT Claiming Priority
Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority
Patent: Vietnam
Industrial Design: Vietnam
Trademark: Czech Republic
Trademark: Ireland

Update Summary November 16, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Guatemala

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Greece
Trademark: Indonesia
Trademark: Peru
Trademark: Montenegro
Trademark: Romania
Trademark: United Arab Emirates
Trademark: United States
Industrial Design: European Community Design
Patent: ARIPO
Patent: Armenia
Patent: Australia
Patent: Japan
Patent: Korea

Update Summary October 19, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Bosnia and Herzegovina

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Utility Patent

Patent: United States Plant Patent

Patent: United States Design Patent

Trademark: African Union

Trademark: Albania

Trademark: Algeria

Trademark: Italy

Trademark: Jamaica

Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Trademark: Colombia

Update Summary September 14, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Macedonia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Utility Patent

Patent: Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

Patent: Lithuania

Patent: Latvia

Patent: Malta

Patent: Norway

Trademark: Argentina

Trademark: Barbados

Trademark; Belarus

Trademark: Colombia

Trademark: Community Trademark

Trademark: Tunisia

Trademark: United Kingdom

Update Summary August 17, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Monaco

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Luxembourg

Patent: Netherlands
Patent: Switzerland
Patent: United Kingdom
Patent: Sweden
Patent: Italy
Patent: Spain
Patent: Portugal
Patent: Slovakia
Patent: Slovenia
Patent: Romania
Patent: Poland
Patent: Iceland

Update Summary July 18, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: ARIPO

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Gulf Cooperation Council
Patent: Albania
Patent: Austria
Patent: Belgium
Patent: Bulgaria
Patent: Croatia
Patent: Czech Republic
Patent: Denmark
Patent: Estonia
Patent: Finland
Patent: Germany
Patent: Greece
Patent: Hungary

Update Summary June 15, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Benelux

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Tanzania
Trademark: Madrid Protocol
Trademark: Venezuela
Industrial Design: Austria
Patent: Cyprus
Patent: France

Patent: Ireland
Industrial Design: Japan
Patent: Jordan
Patent: Uruguay
Patent: Venezuela
Patent: United States Design Patent
Patent: United States Provisional Patent
Trademark: Serbia
Trademark: Uruguay
Trademark: Armenia
Trademark: Australia
Trademark: Austria
Trademark: Bahamas
Trademark: Hong Kong
Trademark: Hungary
Trademark: Iceland
Trademark: India
Trademark: Indonesia
Trademark: Ireland
Trademark: Israel
Trademark: Japan
Trademark: Jordan
Trademark: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Kenya
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan
Trademark: Laos
Trademark: Lithuania
Trademark: Malaysia
Trademark: Malta
Trademark: Mauritius
Trademark: Mongolia
Trademark: Montenegro
Trademark: Namibia
Trademark: New Zealand
Trademark: Norway
Trademark: Oman
Trademark: Pakistan
Trademark: Philippines
Trademark: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Vietnam

Update Summary May 18, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Papua New Guinea

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Trademark: Belize
Trademark: Brazil
Trademark: Bulgaria
Trademark: Canada
Trademark: Chile
Trademark: China
Trademark: Croatia
Trademark: Cyprus
Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Dominica
Trademark: Dominican Republic
Trademark: Ecuador
Trademark: Egypt
Trademark: El Salvador
Trademark: Estonia
Trademark: Finland
Trademark: France
Trademark: Gambia
Trademark: Georgia
Trademark: Germany
Trademark: Ghana
Trademark: Greece
Trademark: Saudi Arabia
Trademark: Slovakia
Trademark: Slovenia
Trademark: South Africa
Trademark: Spain
Trademark: Sri Lanka
Trademark: St. Lucia
Trademark: Thailand
Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago
Trademark: Turkey
Trademark: Ukraine

Update Summary April 13, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Rwanda

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Patent: OAPI (African IP Union)
Patent: Slovenia

Patent: Uzbekistan
Patent: South Africa
Trademark: Panama
Trademark: Singapore
Trademark: Peru
Trademark: Poland
Trademark: Portugal
Trademark: Russian Federation
Trademark: Sweden
Trademark: Mexico
Trademark: Latvia
Patent: Croatia
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Design Patent
Patent: United States Utility Patent

Update Summary March 16, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Seychelles

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: St. Lucia
Industrial Design: Venezuela
Copyright: China
Copyright: India
Trademark: Cyprus
Trademark: Dominican Republic
Trademark: Ecuador
Trademark: France
Trademark: Gambia
Trademark: Georgia
Trademark: Germany
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent

Update Summary February 17, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Laos – PCT country

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Greece
Trademark: Hong Kong
Trademark: Hungary

Trademark: Jordan
Trademark: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Kenya
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan
Trademark: Laos
Trademark: Latvia
Trademark: Lithuania
Trademark: Mongolia
Trademark: Pakistan
Patent: Hong Kong
Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority
Patent: PCT Claiming Priority

Update Summary January 20, 2012:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Grenada

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Belize
Trademark: Brazil
Trademark: Chile
Trademark: China
Trademark: Croatia
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

Update Summary December 16, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: St. Kitts and Nevis

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: United States
Trademark: Argentina
Trademark: Belarus
Trademark: Canada
Trademark: Community Trademark
Trademark: Italy
Patent: United States Accelerated Examination
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: Liberia
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
Patent: European Patent Convention
Trademark: Madrid Protocol

Update Summary November 11, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Liberia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Utility

Patent: Ecuador

Patent: Dominica

Patent: Malaysia

Copyright: United States

Copyright: Australia

Copyright: Canada

Trademark: Bulgaria

Trademark: Norway

Trademark: South Korea

Trademark: Tunisia

Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeals Board

Update Summary October 14, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Kyrgyzstan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Bahamas

Patent: Netherlands

Trademark: Bahamas

Industrial Design: Romania

Industrial Design: Singapore

Utility Model: Slovakia

Industrial Design: South Africa

Industrial Design: Sweden

Industrial Design: Switzerland

Patent: Thailand

Industrial Design: Ukraine

Industrial Design: United Kingdom

Trademark: Australia

Trademark: Barbados

Update Summary September 16, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Botswana

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Industrial Design: Mexico
Patent: Morocco
Industrial Design: Morocco
Patent: Netherlands
Industrial Design: New Zealand
Industrial Design: Nicaragua
Industrial Design: Nigeria
Industrial Design: Norway
Patent: Pakistan
Industrial Design: Pakistan
Patent: Panama
Industrial Design: Panama
Industrial Design: Portugal

Update Summary August 19, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Italy
Utility Model: Japan
Industrial Design: Jordan
Industrial Design: Kenya
Utility Model: Kenya
Industrial Design: South Korea
Patent: Latvia
Patent: Lebanon
Industrial Design: Malaysia
Patent: Malta
Patent: Mauritius
Industrial Design: Mauritius
Utility Model: Mexico

Update Summary July 22, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Madagascar

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Argentina
Patent: ARIPO

Patent: Belgium
Industrial Design: Denmark
Utility Model: Denmark
Industrial Design: Estonia
Utility Model: Estonia
Industrial Design: Finland
Utility Model: Finland
Industrial Design: France
Utility Model: Germany
Industrial Design: Hungary
Industrial Design: Ireland

Update Summary June 17, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Antigua and Barbuda

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Taiwan
Patent: European Patent Convention
Trademark: United Kingdom
Trademark: Namibia
Industrial Design: Albania
Industrial Design: Australia
Industrial Design: Belarus
Utility Model: Belarus
Industrial Design: Canada
Industrial Design: China
Industrial Design: Czech Republic
Utility Model: Czech Republic
Patent: Armenia
Patent: Austria
Patent: Australia
Patent: Poland
Trademark: Madrid Protocol

Update Summary May 13, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Dominican Republic

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Albania
Patent: Armenia
Patent: Austria

Patent: Australia
Patent: Barbados
Patent: Bulgaria
Patent: Brazil
Patent: Belarus
Patent: Belize
Patent: Canada
Patent: Switzerland
Patent: Chile
Patent: China
Patent: Colombia
Patent: Czech Republic
Patent: Germany
Patent: Denmark
Patent: Algeria
Patent: Estonia
Patent: Egypt
Patent: Spain
Patent: Finland
Patent: United Kingdom
Patent: Georgia
Patent: Ghana
Patent: Croatia
Patent: Hungary
Patent: Indonesia
Patent: Iceland
Patent: Japan
Patent: Kenya
Patent: Korea (South)
Patent: Kazakhstan
Patent: Sri Lanka
Patent: Lithuania
Patent: Luxembourg
Patent: Israel
Patent: Moldova
Patent: Mongolia
Patent: Mexico
Patent: Malaysia
Patent: Nigeria
Patent: Nicaragua
Patent: Norway
Patent: New Zealand
Patent: Peru
Patent: Philippines
Patent: Poland
Patent: Portugal
Patent: Romania

Patent: Russian Federation
Patent: Sweden
Patent: Singapore
Patent: Slovakia
Patent: El Salvador
Patent: Tunisia
Patent: Turkey
Patent: Trinidad and Tobago
Patent: Ukraine
Patent: Uzbekistan
Patent: Vietnam
Patent: South Africa
Patent: Zimbabwe

Update Summary April 15, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Dominican Republic

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Copyright: United States

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

Trademark: Guatemala
Trademark: Guernsey
Trademark: Jersey
Trademark: Morocco (Ex French Zone)
Trademark: Nicaragua
Trademark: Nigeria
Trademark: Benelux
Trademark: North Korea
Trademark: Palestine

Update Summary March 18, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Serbia

The following Rules Set were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Armenia

Trademark: Bulgaria
Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Estonia
Trademark: Finland
Trademark: Malta
Trademark: Mauritius
Trademark: Norway
Trademark: Sweden
Trademark: Uruguay

Update Summary February 18, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: El Salvador
Trademark: Montenegro

The following Rules Set were removed:

No Rules Sets were removed.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Finland
Patent: Greece
Patent: Hungary
Patent: India
Trademark: Iceland
United States International Trade Commission

Update Summary January 21, 2011:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Austria
Patent: Dominica
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Trademark: Austria

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary December 17, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Vietnam

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: South Africa
Trademark: Colombia
Trademark: Israel
Trademark: Pakistan
Trademark: Romania
Patent: United Kingdom

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary November 12, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Vietnam

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Indonesia
Patent: Jordan
Patent: Mexico
Patent: Nicaragua
Patent: Romania

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary October 22, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Vietnam

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Malaysia
Trademark: Mexico
Trademark: New Zealand
Trademark: Oman
Trademark: Philippines
Patent: United States Utility Patent

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

Patent: Jamaica
Patent: Jersey

Patent: Korea (North)

Update Summary September 24, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Austria

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Dominica

Trademark: Egypt

Trademark: Ghana

Trademark: India

Trademark: Ireland

Trademark: Jamaica

Patent: Japan

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary August 20, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Uzbekistan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Slovenia

Patent: St. Lucia

Patent: Uruguay

Patent: Venezuela

Trademark: Bahrain

Trademark: Community Trademark

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary July 23, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Uzbekistan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Nigeria

Patent: Norway

Patent: OAPI (African IP Union)
Patent: Philippines
Patent: Portugal
Patent: Singapore
Trademark: Japan

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary June 18, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: European Community Design

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: France
Patent: Germany
Patent: Hong Kong
Patent: Japan
Patent: Moldova
Patent: Mongolia
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Design Patent

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary May 20, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Chile
Patent: Cyprus
Patent: Ecuador
Patent: European Patent Convention
Patent: Kazakhstan
Patent: New Zealand
Trademark: Belarus
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary April 23, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Ireland
Patent: Egypt
Patent: United Arab Emirates
Patent: Greece
Patent: Albania
Patent: China
Trademark: United Arab Emirates
Patent: Austria

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

Trademark: Bolivia

Update Summary March 12, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Jordan
Patent: Spain
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Trademark: Albania
Trademark: Madrid Protocol
Trademark: African Union
Patent: Canada
Trademark: Hong Kong
Trademark: United Kingdom

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

Trademark: Afghanistan

The following rules set was renamed:

Trademark: Madrid Protocol

Update Summary February 12, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Dominica
Trademark: Philippines
Trademark: Canada
Patent: European Patent Convention
Patent: India
Patent: PCT Claiming Priority
Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

No Rules Sets were deleted.

Update Summary January 22, 2010:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new Rules Sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Gulf Cooperation Council
Patent: Bahrain
Patent: Qatar
Patent: Oman
Patent: Kuwait
Patent: Saudi Arabia
Patent: United Arab Emirates
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

Trademark: Bermuda

Update Summary December 18, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Copyright: India

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Copyright: Canada
Copyright: Germany
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
Patent: United States Utility Patent

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

Trademark: Costa Rica
Trademark: Cuba

Update Summary November 13, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: South Africa

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Uruguay
Patent: Venezuela
Industrial Design: Venezuela
Patent: Zimbabwe
Patent: Brazil
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
Copyright: Armenia

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

Trademark: El Salvador

Update Summary October 23, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: United Kingdom

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Thailand
Patent: Trinidad and Tobago
Patent: Tunisia
Patent: Turkey
Patent: Ukraine
Patent: United Kingdom

The following Rules Sets were deleted:

Patent: Tanzania

Update Summary September 18, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Japan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: St. Lucia
Patent: Sweden
Industrial Design: Sweden
Patent: Switzerland
Industrial Design: Switzerland
Patent: Taiwan

Update Summary August 21, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Slovakia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Singapore
Patent: Slovakia
Patent: Slovenia
Patent: South Africa
Patent: Spain
Patent: Sri Lanka
Patent United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Design Patent

Update Summary July 24, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Romania

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Philippines
Patent: Poland
Patent: Portugal
Industrial Design: Portugal
Patent: Romania
Patent: Russian Federation
ICANN: Domain Name Dispute Resolution Rules
United States International Trade Commission
Patent: Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Design Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Accelerated Examination
Patent: Brazil
Patent: Ireland

Industrial Design: Japan
Patent: Netherlands
Industrial Design: Ukraine
Trademark: United States
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
Trademark: African Union
Trademark: Albania
Trademark: Armenia
Trademark: Argentina
Trademark: Chile
Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Estonia
Trademark: Gambia
Trademark: Ghana
Trademark: Greece
Trademark: Indonesia
Trademark: India
Trademark: Iceland
Trademark: Italy
Trademark: Jordan
Trademark: Japan
Trademark: Kenya
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan
Trademark: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Lithuania
Trademark: Latvia
Trademark: Mongolia
Trademark: Namibia
Trademark: Norway
Trademark: New Zealand
Trademark: Pakistan
Trademark: Philippines
Trademark: Poland
Trademark: Russian Federation
Trademark: United Arab Emirates
Trademark: South Korea
Trademark: Saudi Arabia
Trademark: Sweden
Trademark: Slovenia
Trademark: Thailand
Trademark: Tanzania
Trademark: Ukraine

Update Summary June 19, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Nigeria

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Norway
Industrial Design: Norway
Patent: OAPI (African IP Union)
Patent: Pakistan
Patent: Panama
Patent: Peru
Patent: Canada
Patent: Gulf Cooperation Council
Patent: Netherlands
Trademark: Malta

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Trademark: Macedonia
Trademark: Madagascar
Trademark: Moldova
Trademark: Monaco
Trademark: Netherlands Antilles

Update Summary May 21, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Malaysia
Industrial Design: New Zealand

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Morocco
Industrial Design: Morocco
Patent: New Zealand
Patent: Nicaragua
Industrial Design: Nicaragua
Patent: Nigeria
Trademark: Namibia
Trademark: Panama

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Trademark: Puerto Rico

Update Summary April 23, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Mauritius

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Latvia
Patent: Lebanon
Patent: Lithuania
Patent: Luxembourg
Patent: Malaysia
Patent: Malta
Patent: Mauritius
Patent: Mexico
Utility Model: Mexico
Industrial Design: Mexico
Patent: Moldova
Patent: Mongolia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary February 12, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Jordan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Jordan
Patent: Kazakhstan
Patent: Kenya
Industrial Design: Kenya
Utility Model: Kenya
Patent: Korea (South)
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Trademark: Switzerland
Trademark: Taiwan

Update Summary January 23, 2009:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Japan

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Hungary
Patent: Indonesia
Patent: Ireland
Industrial Design: Ireland
Patent: Israel
Patent: Italy
Patent: Japan
Trademark: United Kingdom

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary December 19, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Hungary

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Ghana
Patent: Greece
Patent: Hong Kong
Patent: Hungary
Patent: Iceland
Patent: India
Trademark: Trademark U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary November 21, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Germany

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Industrial Design: Finland
Utility Model: Finland
Patent: France
Industrial Design: France
Patent: Georgia
Patent: Germany

Patent: European Patent Convention

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary October 21, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Trademark: Saudi Arabia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Philippines

Patent: Estonia

Industrial Design: Estonia

Utility Model: Estonia

Patent: European Patent Convention

Patent: Finland

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Patent: Dominican Republic

Update Summary September 19, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: China

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Industrial Design: Denmark

Utility Model: Denmark

Patent: Dominica

Patent: Ecuador

Patent: Egypt

Patent: El Salvador

Patent: Slovenia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Patent: Costa Rica

Patent: Cuba

Update Summary August 25, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Croatia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Colombia
Patent: Cyprus
Patent: Czech Republic
Industrial Design: Czech Republic
Utility Model: Czech Republic
Patent: Denmark

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Patent: San Marino

Update Summary July 25, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Canada

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Belize
Patent: Brazil
Patent: Bulgaria
Patent: Canada
Patent: Chile
Patent: China

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary June 20, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Algeria
Trademark: Algeria
Trademark: Bahrain

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Austria
Patent: Barbados
Patent: Belarus
Industrial Design: Belarus
Utility Model: Belarus

Patent: Belgium
Patent: United States Utility Patent

The following Rules Sets were removed:
No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary May 23, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:
No new rules sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Argentina
Patent: ARIPO
Patent: Armenia
Patent: Australia
Industrial Design: Australia

The following Rules Sets were removed:
No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary April 18, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:
Patent: Albania

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Copyright: United States
Trademark: United States
Patent: Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences
Patent: United States Provisional Patent
Patent: United States Utility Patent
Patent: United States Plant Patent
Patent: United States Design Patent
Patent: PCT Claiming Priority
Patent: PCT Not Claiming Priority

The following Rules Sets were removed:
No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary March 21, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:
Industrial Design: Venezuela

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: United Arab Emirates
Trademark: United Kingdom
Trademark: Uruguay
Trademark: Venezuela
Trademark: Zimbabwe
Patent: Venezuela

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Trademark: Uganda
Trademark: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Vanuatu
Trademark: Venda
Trademark: Vietnam
Trademark: Western Samoa
Trademark: Yugoslavia
Trademark: Zambia

Update Summary February 15, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Ukraine

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: St. Lucia
Trademark: Sweden
Trademark: Tanzania
Trademark: Thailand
Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago
Trademark: Tunisia
Trademark: Turkey
Trademark: Ukraine

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Trademark: Swaziland
Trademark: Syria
Trademark: Tajikstan
Trademark: Tonga
Trademark: Transkei
Trademark: Turkmenistan
Trademark: Turks & Caicos Islands
Trademark: Tuvalu

Update Summary January 28, 2008:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: South Korea

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Slovenia

Trademark: South Africa

Trademark: South Korea

Trademark: Spain

Trademark: Sri Lanka

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Patent: Anguilla

Patent: Albania

Patent: Angola

Patent: Aruba

Patent: Azerbaijan

Patent: Bosnia & Herzegovina

Patent: Bangladesh

Patent: Burundi

Patent: Bermuda

Patent: Brunei

Patent: Bolivia

Patent: Bophuthatswana

Patent: British Virgin Islands

Patent: Botswana

Patent: Congo

Patent: Ivory Coast (Cote d'Ivoire)

Patent: Commonwealth of Independent States

Patent: Djibouti

Patent: Guernsey

Patent: Guatemala

Patent: Honduras

Patent: Haiti

Patent: Iraq

Patent: Iran

Patent: St. Kitts Nevis

Patent: Laos

Patent: Liechtenstein

Patent: Liberia

Patent: Lesotho

Patent: Libya

Patent: Monaco

Patent: Madagascar

Patent: Macedonia

Patent: Macao
Patent: Montserrat
Patent: Malawi
Patent: Namibia
Patent: Nepal
Patent: Paraguay
Patent: Rwanda
Patent: Solomon Islands
Patent: Seychelles
Patent: Sudan
Patent: St. Helena
Patent: Sierra Leone
Patent: Somalia
Patent: Suriname
Patent: Syria
Patent: Swaziland
Patent: Uganda
Patent: United States (parent set)
Patent: U.S. Utility (Replaced by PUTIL in 2006)
Patent: U.S. Design (Replaced by PDESI in 2006)
Patent: U.S. Plant (Replaced by PPLAN in 2006)
Patent: Uzbekistan
Patent: St. Vincent & The Grenadines

Update Summary December 14, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Pakistan
Industrial Design: Panama
Industrial Design: Singapore

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Utility Patent
Trademark: U.S. Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
Trademark: Poland
Trademark: Portugal
Trademark: Romania
Trademark: Russian Federation
Trademark: Singapore
Trademark: Slovakia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Trademark: Qatar
Trademark: Republic of Yemen
Trademark: Rwanda

Trademark: Saudi Arabia
Trademark: Seychelles
Trademark: Sierra Leone
Trademark: Solomon Islands
Trademark: Somalia

Update Summary November 16, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new rules sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: New Zealand
Trademark: Norway
Trademark: Oman
Trademark: Pakistan
Trademark: Panama
Trademark: Paraguay
Trademark: Peru
Trademark: Philippines

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary October 19, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Albania
Industrial Design: Australia
Trademark: Albania
Trademark: Namibia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Utility Patent
Trademark: Latvia
Trademark: Lithuania
Trademark: Malaysia
Trademark: Malta
Trademark: Mauritius
Trademark: Mexico
Trademark: Mongolia

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary September 14, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent Prosecution: United States Accelerated Examination
Trademark: Laos
Copyright: France
Copyright: Germany

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Provisional Patent
Trademark: Iceland
Trademark: India
Trademark: Indonesia
Trademark: Ireland
Trademark: Israel
Trademark: Italy
Trademark: Jamaica
Trademark: Japan
Trademark: Jordan
Trademark: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Kenya
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary July 20, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Copyright: Australia
Copyright: China
Trademark: Gambia
Trademark: Ghana

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Georgia
Trademark: Germany
Trademark: Greece
Trademark: Hong Kong
Trademark: Hungary

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary June 15, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Copyright: Argentina
Copyright: Armenia

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Utility
Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Dominica
Trademark: Dominican Republic
Trademark: Ecuador
Trademark: Egypt
Trademark: Estonia
Trademark: Finland
Trademark: France

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary May 18, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new rules sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Canada
Trademark: Chile
Trademark: China
Trademark: Colombia
Trademark: Community Trademark
Trademark: Croatia
Trademark: Cyprus
Trademark: Czech Republic

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary April 13, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Patent: Zimbabwe

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: African Union
Trademark: Argentina

Trademark: Armenia
Trademark: Australia
Trademark: Austria
Trademark: Bahamas
Trademark: Barbados
Trademark: Belarus
Trademark: Belize
Trademark: Bolivia
Trademark: Brazil
Trademark: Bulgaria

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary March 16, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Utility Model: Mexico
Industrial Design: Mexico

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Canada
Patent: Mexico
Trademark: African Union
Trademark: Argentina
Trademark: Armenia
Trademark: Australia
Trademark: Austria

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary February 16, 2007:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new rules sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: ARIPO
Patent: Armenia
Patent: Australia
Patent: Austria
Patent: Brazil

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Patent: Bermuda
Patent: Bolivia

Update Summary December 15, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new rules sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Macedonia
Patent: Peru
Patent: Spain
Patent: Taiwan
Patent: United Kingdom
Patent: Uruguay

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary November 17, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new rules sets were created.

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Colombia
Patent: Greece

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Patent: Uzbekistan
Patent: Vanuatu
Patent: Venda
Patent: Vietnam
Patent: Western Samoa
Patent: Yemen
Patent: Yugoslavia
Patent: Zambia
Patent: Zimbabwe
Trademark: Albania
Trademark: Algeria
Trademark: Andorra
Trademark: Angola
Trademark: Anguilla
Trademark: Antigua and Barbuda
Trademark: Aruba
Trademark: Azerbaijan
Trademark: Bahrain

Trademark: Bangladesh
Trademark: Bhutan
Trademark: Bophuthatswana
Trademark: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Trademark: Botswana
Trademark: Brunei
Trademark: Burundi
Trademark: Cayman Islands
Trademark: Congo
Trademark: Democratic Republic of the Congo
Trademark: Djibouti
Trademark: Equatorial Guinea
Trademark: Ethiopia
Trademark: Falkland Islands
Trademark: Fiji
Trademark: Gambia
Trademark: Ghana
Trademark: Gibraltar
Trademark: Grenada
Trademark: Guinea-Bissau
Trademark: Guyana
Trademark: Haiti
Trademark: Honduras
Trademark: Iran
Trademark: Iraq
Trademark: Kiribati
Trademark: Kuwait
Trademark: Laos
Trademark: Lebanon
Trademark: Lesotho
Trademark: Liberia
Trademark: Libya
Trademark: Liechtenstein
Trademark: Macao
Trademark: Malawi
Trademark: Morocco (Tangier Zone)
Trademark: Namibia
Trademark: Nepal
Trademark: Papua New Guinea
Trademark: Paraguay
Trademark: Rwanda
Trademark: Seychelles
Trademark: Sierra Leone
Trademark: Solomon Islands
Trademark: Somalia
Trademark: St. Helena
Trademark: St. Kitts Nevis

Trademark: St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Trademark: Sudan
Trademark: Suriname
Trademark: Swaziland
Trademark: Syria
Trademark: Tajikistan
Trademark: Tonga
Trademark: Transkei
Trademark: Turkmenistan
Trademark: Turks and Caicos Islands
Trademark: Tuvalu
Trademark: Uganda
Trademark: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Vanuatu
Trademark: Venda
Trademark: Vietnam
Trademark: Western Samoa
Trademark: Yugoslavia
Trademark: Zambia
Trademark: Zimbabwe

Update Summary October 13, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Sweden
Industrial Design: Switzerland

The following Rules Sets were revised:

United States Utility Patent
Trademark: United States
Patent: China
Patent: St. Lucia
Patent: Sweden
Patent: Switzerland
Patent: Thailand
Patent: Trinidad and Tobago
Patent: Tunisia
Patent: Turkey
Patent: Ukraine

The following Rules Sets were removed:

Patent: Albania
Patent: Algeria
Patent: Angola
Patent: Anguilla

Patent: Antigua and Barbuda
Patent: Aruba
Patent: Azerbaijan
Patent: Bangladesh
Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Patent: Botswana
Patent: British Virgin Islands
Patent: Brunei
Patent: Burundi
Patent: Cayman Islands
Patent: Commonwealth of Independent States
Patent: Congo
Patent: Djibouti
Patent: Equatorial Guinea
Patent: Ethiopia
Patent: Falkland Islands
Patent: Fiji
Patent: Gambia
Patent: Gibraltar
Patent: Grenada
Patent: Guinea-Bissau
Patent: Guyana
Patent: Haiti
Patent: Honduras
Patent: Iran
Patent: Iraq
Patent: Ivory Coast (Cote d'Ivoire)
Patent: Kiribati
Patent: Laos
Patent: Lesotho
Patent: Liberia
Patent: Libya
Patent: Liechtenstein
Patent: Macao
Patent: Malawi
Patent: Namibia
Patent: Nepal
Patent: Paraguay
Patent: Rwanda
Patent: Seychelles
Patent: Sierra Leone
Patent: Solomon Islands
Patent: Somalia
Patent: St. Helena
Patent: St. Kitts Nevis
Patent: St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Patent: Sudan

Patent: Suriname
Patent: Swaziland
Patent: Syria
Patent: Tajikistan
Patent: Transkei
Patent: Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus
Patent: Turkmenistan
Patent: Turks and Caicos Islands
Patent: Tuvalu
Patent: Uganda

Update Summary September 25, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

No new rules sets were created.

The following rules sets were edited for capitalization (no substantive changes were made)

Copyright: United States
Copyright: Canada
Patent Appeals and Interferences Board Rules
Trademark Prosecution: United States
Trademark Trial and Appeals Board Rules
United States Utility Patent
United States Plant Patent
United States Design Patent
United States Provisional Patent
Court of International Trade
ICANN: Domain Name Dispute Resolution Rules
United States International Trade Commission
Patent: Albania
Patent: Algeria
Patent: Angola
Patent: Anguilla
Patent: Antigua and Barbuda
Patent: Argentina
Patent: ARIPO
Patent: Armenia
Patent: Aruba
Patent: Australia
Patent: Austria
Patent: Azerbaijan
Patent: Bahamas
Patent: Bangladesh
Patent: Barbados
Patent: Belarus
Patent: Belarus Industrial Design
Patent: Belarus Utility Model
Patent: Belgium

Patent: Belize
Patent: Bermuda
Patent: Bolivia
Patent: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Patent: Botswana
Patent: Brazil
Patent: British Virgin Islands
Patent: Brunei
Patent: Bulgaria
Patent: Burundi
Patent: Canada
Patent: Cayman Islands
Patent: Chile
Patent: China
Patent: Colombia
Patent: Commonwealth of Independent States
Patent: Congo
Patent: Costa Rica
Patent: Cuba
Patent: Cyprus
Patent: Czech Republic
Industrial Design: Czech Republic
Utility Model: Czech Republic
Patent: Denmark
Industrial Design: Denmark
Utility Model: Denmark
Patent: Djibouti
Patent: Dominica
Patent: Dominican Republic
Patent: Ecuador
Patent: Egypt
Patent: El Salvador
Patent: Equatorial Guinea
Patent: Estonia
Industrial Design: Estonia
Utility Model: Estonia
Patent: Ethiopia
Patent: European Patent Convention
Patent: Falkland Islands
Patent: Fiji
Patent: Finland
Industrial Design: Finland
Utility Model: Finland
Patent: France
Industrial Design: France
Patent: Gambia
Patent: Georgia

Patent: Germany
Patent: Ghana
Patent: Gibraltar
Patent: Greece
Patent: Grenada
Patent: Guatemala
Patent: Guernsey
Patent: Guinea-Bissau
Patent: Gulf Co-operation Council
Patent: Bahrain
Patent: United Arab Emirates
Patent: Saudi Arabia
Patent: Oman
Patent: Qatar
Patent: Kuwait
Patent: Guyana
Patent: Haiti
Patent: Honduras
Patent: Hong Kong
Patent: Hungary
Patent: Iceland
Patent: India
Patent: Indonesia
Patent: Iran
Patent: Iraq
Patent: Ireland
Industrial Design: Ireland
Patent: Israel
Patent: Italy
Patent: Ivory Coast (Cote d'Ivoire)
Patent: Jamaica
Patent: Japan
Patent: Jersey
Patent: Jordan
Patent: Kazakhstan
Patent: Kenya
Industrial Design: Kenya
Utility Model: Kenya
Patent: Kiribati
Patent: Korea (North)
Patent: Korea (South)
Patent: Laos
Patent: Latvia
Patent: Lebanon
Patent: Lesotho
Patent: Liberia
Patent: Libya

Patent: Liechtenstein
Patent: Lithuania
Patent: Luxembourg
Patent: Macao
Patent: Macedonia
Patent: Madagascar
Patent: Malawi
Patent: Malaysia
Patent: Malta
Patent: Mauritius
Patent: Mexico
Patent: Moldova
Patent: Monaco
Patent: Mongolia
Patent: Montserrat
Patent: Morocco
Industrial Design: Morocco
Patent: Namibia
Patent: Nepal
Patent: Netherlands
Patent: New Zealand
Patent: Nicaragua
Patent: Nigeria
Patent: Norway
Patent: OAPI (African IP Union)
Patent: Pakistan
Patent: Panama
Patent: Paraguay
Patent: PCT Claiming U.S. Priority
Patent: PCT Not Claiming U.S. Priority
Patent: Peru
Patent: Philippines
Patent: Poland
Patent: Portugal
Patent: Romania
Patent: Russian Federation
Patent: Rwanda
Patent: San Marino
Patent: Seychelles
Patent: Sierra Leone
Patent: Singapore
Patent: Slovakia
Patent: Slovenia
Patent: Solomon Islands
Patent: Somalia
Patent: South Africa
Patent: Spain

Patent: Sri Lanka
Patent: St. Helena
Patent: St. Kitts Nevis
Patent: St. Lucia
Patent: St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Patent: Sudan
Patent: Suriname
Patent: Swaziland
Patent: Sweden
Patent: Switzerland
Patent: Syria
Patent: Taiwan
Patent: Tajikistan
Patent: Tanzania
Patent: Thailand
Patent: Transkei
Patent: Trinidad and Tobago
Patent: Tunisia
Patent: Turkey
Patent: Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus
Patent: Turkmenistan
Patent: Turks and Caicos Islands
Patent: Tuvalu
Patent: Uganda
Patent: Ukraine
Patent: United Kingdom
Patent: Uruguay
Patent: Uzbekistan
Patent: Vanuatu
Patent: Venda
Patent: Venezuela
Patent: Vietnam
Patent: Western Samoa
Patent: Yemen
Patent: Yugoslavia
Patent: Zambia
Patent: Zimbabwe
Trademark Prosecution: United States
Trademark Trial and Appeals Board Rules
Trademark: Madrid Protocols (Non-U.S.)
Trademark: Afghanistan
Trademark: African Union
Trademark: Albania
Trademark: Algeria
Trademark: Andorra
Trademark: Angola
Trademark: Anguilla

Trademark: Antigua and Barbuda
Trademark: Argentina
Trademark: Armenia
Trademark: Aruba
Trademark: Australia
Trademark: Austria
Trademark: Azerbaijan
Trademark: Bahamas
Trademark: Bahrain
Trademark: Bangladesh
Trademark: Barbados
Trademark: Belarus
Trademark: Belize
Trademark: Benelux
Trademark: Bermuda
Trademark: Bhutan
Trademark: Bolivia
Trademark: Bophuthatswana
Trademark: Bosnia and Herzegovina
Trademark: Botswana
Trademark: Brazil
Trademark: Brunei
Trademark: Bulgaria
Trademark: Burundi
Trademark: Canada
Trademark: Cayman Islands
Trademark: Chile
Trademark: China
Trademark: Colombia
Trademark: Community Trademark
Trademark: Congo
Trademark: Costa Rica
Trademark: Croatia
Trademark: Cuba
Trademark: Cyprus
Trademark: Czech Republic
Trademark: Democratic Republic of the Congo
Trademark: Denmark
Trademark: Djibouti
Trademark: Dominica
Trademark: Dominican Republic
Trademark: Ecuador
Trademark: Egypt
Trademark: El Salvador
Trademark: Equatorial Guinea
Trademark: Estonia
Trademark: Ethiopia

Trademark: European Community
Trademark: Falkland Islands
Trademark: Fiji
Trademark: Finland
Trademark: France
Trademark: Gambia
Trademark: Georgia
Trademark: Germany
Trademark: Ghana
Trademark: Gibraltar
Trademark: Greece
Trademark: Grenada
Trademark: Guatemala
Trademark: Guernsey
Trademark: Guinea-Bissau
Trademark: Guyana
Trademark: Haiti
Trademark: Honduras
Trademark: Hong Kong
Trademark: Hungary
Trademark: Iceland
Trademark: India
Trademark: Indonesia
Trademark: Iran
Trademark: Iraq
Trademark: Ireland
Trademark: Israel
Trademark: Italy
Trademark: Jamaica
Trademark: Japan
Trademark: Jersey
Trademark: Jordan
Trademark: Kazakhstan
Trademark: Kenya
Trademark: Kiribati
Trademark: Kuwait
Trademark: Kyrgyzstan
Trademark: Laos
Trademark: Latvia
Trademark: Lebanon
Trademark: Lesotho
Trademark: Liberia
Trademark: Libya
Trademark: Liechtenstein
Trademark: Lithuania
Trademark: Macao
Trademark: Macedonia

Trademark: Madagascar
Trademark: Malawi
Trademark: Malaysia
Trademark: Malta
Trademark: Mauritius
Trademark: Mexico
Trademark: Moldova
Trademark: Monaco
Trademark: Mongolia
Trademark: Morocco (Ex-French Zone)
Trademark: Morocco (Tangier Zone)
Trademark: Namibia
Trademark: Nepal
Trademark: Netherlands Antilles
Trademark: New Zealand
Trademark: Nicaragua
Trademark: Nigeria
Trademark: North Korea
Trademark: Norway
Trademark: Oman
Trademark: Pakistan
Trademark: Palestine
Trademark: Panama
Trademark: Papua New Guinea
Trademark: Paraguay
Trademark: Peru
Trademark: Philippines
Trademark: Poland
Trademark: Portugal
Trademark: Puerto Rico
Trademark: Qatar
Trademark: Republic of Yemen
Trademark: Romania
Trademark: Russian Federation
Trademark: Rwanda
Trademark: Saudi Arabia
Trademark: Seychelles
Trademark: Sierra Leone
Trademark: Singapore
Trademark: Slovakia
Trademark: Slovenia
Trademark: Solomon Islands
Trademark: Somalia
Trademark: South Africa
Trademark: South Korea
Trademark: Spain
Trademark: Sri Lanka

Trademark: St. Helena
Trademark: St. Kitts and Nevis
Trademark: St. Lucia
Trademark: St. Vincent and The Grenadines
Trademark: Sudan
Trademark: Suriname
Trademark: Swaziland
Trademark: Sweden
Trademark: Switzerland
Trademark: Syria
Trademark: Taiwan
Trademark: Tajikistan
Trademark: Tanzania
Trademark: Thailand
Trademark: Tonga
Trademark: Transkei
Trademark: Trinidad and Tobago
Trademark: Tunisia
Trademark: Turkey
Trademark: Turkmenistan
Trademark: Turks and Caicos Islands
Trademark: Tuvalu
Trademark: Uganda
Trademark: Ukraine
Trademark: United Arab Emirates
Trademark: United Kingdom
Trademark: Uruguay
Trademark: Uzbekistan
Trademark: Vanuatu
Trademark: Venda
Trademark: Venezuela
Trademark: Vietnam
Trademark: Western Samoa
Trademark: Yugoslavia
Trademark: Zambia
Trademark: Zimbabwe

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary August 18, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Portugal

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Portugal
Patent: Romania
Patent: Russian Federation
Patent: Singapore
Patent: Slovakia
Patent: Slovenia
Patent: South Africa
Patent: Sri Lanka
Patent: United States Utility
Trademark: United States
Trademark: Madrid Protocol

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary July 21, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Nicaragua
Industrial Design: Norway

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: United States Utility
Patent: Netherlands
Patent: New Zealand
Patent: Nicaragua
Patent: Nigeria
Patent: Norway
Patent: OAPI (African IP Organization)
Patent: Pakistan
Patent: Panama
Patent: Philippines
Patent: Poland

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary June 16, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Morocco

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Trademark: Switzerland

Patent: Japan
Patent: Luxembourg
Patent: Malaysia
Patent: Malta
Patent: Mauritius
Patent: Moldova
Patent: Mongolia
Patent: Morocco

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary May 12, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Kenya
Utility Model: Kenya

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Jordan
Patent Kazakhstan
Patent: Kenya
Patent: Republic of Korea (South Korea)
Patent: Latvia
Patent: Lebanon
Patent: Lithuania

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary April 14, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Ireland

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Hungary
Patent: Iceland
Patent: India
Patent: Indonesia
Patent: Ireland
Patent: Israel
Patent: Italy
Patent: Japan

Trademark Prosecution: United States

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary March 17, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Estonia

Utility Model: Estonia

Industrial Design: Finland

Utility Model: Finland

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Estonia

Patent: Finland

Patent: France

Patent: Georgia

Patent: Ghana

Patent: Hong Kong

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary February 17, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Czech Republic

Utility Model: Czech Republic

Industrial Design: Denmark

Utility Model: Denmark

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Cyprus

Patent: Czech Republic

Patent: Denmark

Patent: Dominica

Patent: Egypt

Patent: El Salvador

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The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.

Update Summary January 20, 2006:

The following new Rules Sets were created:

Industrial Design: Belarus

Utility Model: Belarus

The following Rules Sets were revised:

Patent: Barbados

Patent: Belarus

Patent: Belgium

Patent: Belize

Patent: Bulgaria

The following Rules Sets were removed:

No rules sets were removed.