

法規名稱：MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING REGARDING COOPERATION BETWEEN TAIWAN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY OFFICE AND INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY OFFICE OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC

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Ms. Wang Mei-Hua, Director General of the Taiwan Intellectual Property Office, hereinafter referred to as the TIPO, as representative of the same pursuant to her appointment as Director General of the Taiwan Intellectual Property Office by decree Jing-ren NO 09603523230 of the Ministry of Economy Affairs of November 28, 2007

and,

Mr. Josef Kratochvil, President of the Industrial Property Office of the Czech Republic, hereinafter referred to as the IPO CZ, as representative of the same and in accordance with Act No.14/1993 of December 20, 1992 on Measures concerning the Protection of Industrial Property that regulates the IPO CZ and in whose Article 1, the representative authority is entrusted to its President.

Considering the mission of the protection and promotion of intellectual property, entrusted to TIPO in accordance with Article 2, of the IPO Organization Act promulgated on November 4, 1998 and amended on July 7, 2002,

Considering the mission of the protection and promotion of industrial property, entrusted to the IPO CZ in accordance with Article 1 and Article 2 of the Act No. 14 of December 20, 1992 that regulates the same.

Considering that TIPO ' s as well as the IPO CZ ' s objectives include the promotion of industrial property by means of agreements with counterpart bodies.

Considering an exchange of the skills and experiences acquired by TIPO and IPO CZ with regard to documentation and information or any other issue that could be of interest or use to either institution,

TIPO and IPO CZ (hereinafter referred to as “ the Parties ” ) have hereby agreed as following:

FIRST: Objectives.

This Memorandum of Understanding has the following objectives:

- a) To promote the exchange of relevant documents between the Parties
- b) To promote the exchange of experiences between the Parties.
- c) To co-operate on those matters relating to industrial property that may be of mutual interest.

SECOND: Exchange of documentation and of experiences.

With the exception to confidential documents, the Parties shall exchange published documents on a regular basis; the publication to be exchanged should be in English when possible.

The Parties shall equally organise the exchange of experiences on their related activities.

The list of relevant documents, which should be exchanged and the practical forms of these exchanges shall be determined by mutual agreement.

THIRD: Reciprocal invitations.

The Parties shall, inform each other of meetings, round-table discussions, as well as conferences, seminars and workshops relating to industrial property. Each Party shall invite the other to participate when such events may be of interest for them.

FOURTH: Technical assistance.

Each Party shall be able to request technical assistance from the other, with respect to questions that represent a specific interest to them.

The form and modalities of such assistance shall be defined by mutual agreement between the Parties.

FIFTH: Costs.

The commitments shall be assumed within the ordinary budgetary arrangements of each Party. Either Party shall bear the travel costs of its representatives to the other Party ' s country (plane tickets, accommodation, daily allowances).

SIXTH: Entry into force and Termination

This Memorandum of Understanding shall come into force upon signature, and remain valid for a period of 3 years. This Memorandum of Understanding may be extended for equal period following assessment by the Parties.

Either Party may terminate this Memorandum of Understanding by giving a one-year prior written notice to the other Party.

In Witness Whereof, the Undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective governments, have signed this Memorandum of Understanding.

Done in Prague on Sept 13, 2010 in duplicate in the English language.

FOR THE TAIWAN  
INTELLECTUAL  
PROPERTY OFFICE  
Wang, Mei-Hua  
Director General

FOR THE CZECH  
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