

**KAZAKHSTAN (KZ)****I. LEGISLATIVE PROFILE****1. National Legislation****a. Industrial Property**

**Capital:** Astana  
**Population:** 14,826,000

Patents :

- Patent Law No. 427-3PK, July 1999.

Trade Marks :

- Law on Trademarks, Service Marks and Appellations of Origin, July 1999.

Industrial Designs :

As above, under Patents.

**b. Copyright and Related Rights**Copyright :

- Law on Copyright and Related Rights, June 1996.

Related Rights :

As above, under Copyright.

**c. Other Country-Specific Legislation or Activities**Appellations of Origin / Geographical Indications / Indications of Source :

As above, under Trade Marks.

**d. Sources for Information on National Laws**

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**2. Membership of International Bodies****a. Membership of WIPO treaties :**

- WIPO Convention, since December 1991.
- Paris Convention (Industrial Property), since December 1991.
- Berne Convention (Literary and Artistic Works), since April 1999.
- PCT (Patents), since December 1991.
- Madrid Agreement (International Registration of Marks), since December 1991.
- Nice Agreement (International Classification of Goods and Services), from April 2002
- Locarno Agreement (International Classification for Industrial Designs) since November 2002.
- Strasbourg Agreement (International Patent Classifications), from January 2003.

- Geneva Convention (Unauthorized Duplication of Phonograms), since August 2001.
- Budapest Treaty (Deposit of Micro-organisms), from April 2002.
- TLT (Trademarks), since November 2002
- WCT (WIPO Copyright Treaty), since November 2004.
- WPPT (WIPO Phonograms and Performances Treaty), since November 2004.

b. WTO: Observer.

c. Membership of other bodies/treaties: EAPO, UCC.

- Member of EAPO since September 1994.
- Member of UCC since August 1992.

## II. ADMINISTRATION

### 1. Industrial Property

#### Supervisory Ministry:

Ministry of Justice  
47, Omarov Street  
Astana 473000  
*Title of Head*: Minister

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#### Industrial Property Office:

Committee for Intellectual Property Rights  
Office 1016, 8A (3) 35<sup>th</sup> Street  
Left Bank  
Astana 010000  
*Title of Head*: President

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### 2. Copyright and Related Rights

#### Supervisory Ministry:

As above, under Supervisory Ministry for Industrial Property

#### Copyright Office:

As above, under Industrial Property Office

#### Collective Management Societies:

Kazakh Authors' Society

Tel.: (73.272) 67.79.02

## III. AUTHORITIES ENFORCING INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

#### Industrial Property Tribunal

Civil Court

#### Copyright Tribunal

Civil Court

Other

Information not available.

**IV. EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TEACHING INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

Kazpatent Center for Qualification  
Improvement & Specialists' Retraining  
50, Kazybek Bi Street  
Almaty 480091  
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**V. INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY STATISTICS**

Applications filed and/or registered for 2002 and 2005:

		Patents (direct filings)	Trade Marks	Industrial Designs
		<u>2005</u>		
Applications by:	residents	1,920	1,809	60
	non-residents	20	761	9
Grants to:	residents		1,079	45
	non-residents		791	13

**PCT- 2005**

Applications by residents and non-residents: 50 (National Phase Entries)

Grants to residents and non-residents: Information not available.

**Madrid System - 2005****International Registrations:**

Total applications: 3,106 (non-residents only)

Total registrations: 2,236 (non-residents only)