

MOZAMBIQUE (MZ)

I. LEGISLATIVE PROFILE

1. National Legislation



a. Industrial Property

Capital: Maputo
Population: 18,071,000

Patents:

- Portaria No. 17:043, April 1959, publicação do Código da Propriedade Industrial Português, com alterações, Título II, Capítulo I: Invenções (not applicable where there is no competent authority to register industrial property rights).

Trade Marks:

As above, under Patents: *Portaria No. 17:043, Título II, Capítulo III: Marcas; Capítulo IV: Recompensas; Capítulo V: Nome e insígnia de estabelecimento.*

Industrial Designs:

As above, under Patents: *Portaria No. 17:043, Título II, Capítulo II: Modelos de utilidade e modelos e desenhos industriais.*

b. Copyright and Related Rights

Copyright:

None.

Related Rights:

None.

c. Other Country-Specific Legislation or Activities

Utility Models:

As above, under Industrial Designs.

Appellations of Origin/Geographical Indications/Indications of Origin:

As above, under Patents: *Portaria No. 17:043, Título II, Capítulo VI: Denominações de origem.*

d. Sources for Information on National Laws

Information not available.

2. Membership of International Bodies

a. Membership of WIPO Treaties:

- WIPO Convention, since December 1996.

- Paris Convention (Industrial Property), since July 1998.
 - PCT (Patents), May 2000.
 - Madrid Agreement (International Registration of Marks), since October 1998.
 - Madrid Protocol (International Registration of Marks), since October 1998.
 - Nice Agreement (International Classification of Goods and Services), from January 2002.
- b. WTO: Member and Signatory to TRIPS Agreement, since August 1995.
- c. Membership of Other bodies/treaties: ARIPO.
- Member of ARIPO since May 2000.

II. ADMINISTRATION

1. Industrial Property

Supervisory Ministry:

Ministry of Industry and Commerce
 Av. 25 Setembro, No. 27 447
 Maputo
Title of Head: Minister of Industry and
 Commerce

Fax: (258.1) 43.14.18
 E-mail: asitoe@mic.gov.mz
 (National Director of Industry)
 Internet website: www.ipi.gov.mz

Industrial Property Office:

Industrial Property Institute (IPI)
 Rua Consiglieri Pedroso 165
 P.O. Box 1072
 Maputo.
Title of Head: Director General

Tel.: (258.1) 35.49.00/10
 Fax: (258.1) 35.49.44
 Email: ipi@ipi.gov.mz
 Internet website: www.ipi.gov.mz

2. Copyright and Related Rights

Supervisory Ministry:

Ministry of Culture, Youth and Sports
 Av. 24 de Julho 1921
 P.O. Box 4030
 Maputo
Title of Head: Minister for Culture Youth and
 Sports

Tel.: (258.1) 42.82.57
 42.03.73
 Fax: (258.1) 42.02.09

Copyright Office:

National Institute of Book and Disc (INLD)
 Ministry of Culture, Youth and Sports
 As above, under Supervisory Ministry.
Title of Head: President

Collective Management Societies:
Information not available.

III. AUTHORITIES ENFORCING INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Industrial Property Tribunal

Contact point:

As above, under Supervisory Ministry for Industrial Property. Tel.: (258.1) 42.56.40

Contact Official: Mr. Francisco Miguel Gundo

Copyright Tribunal

Information not available.

Other

Information not available.

IV. EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TEACHING INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Information not available.

V. INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY STATISTICS

Applications filed and/or registered for 2001: Patents and Industrial Designs filed by ARIPO.

| | | Patents | Trade Marks | Industrial Designs |
|------------------|---------------|---------|-------------|--------------------|
| Applications by: | residents | 1 | | |
| | non-residents | 52 | | 12 |
| Grants to: | residents | | | |
| | non-residents | | | 4 |

PCT-2002

Applications by residents and non-residents: 87,953 (non-residents only)

Grants to residents and non-residents: Information not available

Madrid System-2005

International Registrations:

Total applications: 1,137 (non-residents only)

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