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Does national legislation restrict the filing of international applications with the Eurasian Patent Office (EAPO) or the International Bureau of WIPO? Yes, filing restrictions apply to:

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May the Russian Federation be elected? Yes (bound by Chapter II of the PCT)

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Provisional protection after international publication:

Where the designation is made for the purposes of a national patent: From the time of the international publication (if in Russian) or, where that publication was in a language other than Russian, then from the time of the publication of the translation of that application into Russian by the Federal Service for Intellectual Property (Rospatent) (Russian Federation), the applicant is entitled to provisional protection in conformity with the national legislation (see Articles 1392 and 1396(3) of the Civil Code).2

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Information of interest if the Russian Federation is designated (or elected)

For national protection

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Are there special provisions concerning the deposit of microorganisms and other biological material? Yes (see Annex L)

For a Eurasian patent — See Eurasian Patent Organization (EA) in Annex B2

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