

INFORMATION NOTICE NO. 16/2015

Madrid Protocol Concerning the International Registration of Marks

Change in the Amounts of the Individual Fee: Benelux

1. In accordance with Rule 35(2)(d) of the Common Regulations under the Madrid Agreement and Protocol, the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) has established the following new amounts, in Swiss francs, of the individual fee that is payable when Benelux is designated in an international application, in a designation subsequent to an international registration or in respect of the renewal of an international registration in which it has been designated:

ITEMS		Amounts (in Swiss francs)
Application or Subsequent Designation	for three classes of goods or services	167
	- for each additional class	17
	Where the mark is a collective mark:	
	- for three classes of goods or services	238
	- for each additional class	17
Renewal	for three classes of goods or services	273
	- for each additional class	48
	Where the mark is a collective mark:	
	- for three classes of goods or services	497
	- for each additional class	48

- 2. This change will take effect on July 4, 2015. Therefore, these amounts will be payable where Benelux
- (a) is designated in an international application which is received, or is deemed to have been received under Rule 11(1)(c), by the Office of origin on or after that date; or
- (b) is the subject of a subsequent designation which is received by the Office of the Contracting Party of the holder on or after that date, or is filed directly with the International Bureau of WIPO on or after that date; or
- (c) has been designated in an international registration which is renewed on or after that date.

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