

SEP-related Legislative and Policy Measures Adopted by Member States, including Notable Case Law

Singapore

The Intellectual Property Office of Singapore (“IPOS”) and the Competition and Consumer Commission of Singapore (“CCCS”) conducted a review and in 2022, provided an update of the CCCS’ Guidelines on the Treatment of IP Rights. The review focused largely on the interplay between the competition regime and the different intellectual property rights, including SEPs, licensing and franchising agreements. The revised guidelines, which provides more clarity to definitions on IP rights and guidance to issues relating to SEP and FRAND within the framework of Singapore’s Competition Act 2004, is available at https://isomer-user-content.by.gov.sg/45/1654f332-1435-4dad-830b-dc4a1edbb961/CCCS%20Guidelines%202022_Interactive.pdf.