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**Madrid Protocol Concerning the International Registration of Marks**

**Change in the Amounts of the Individual Fee: African Intellectual Property Organization (OAPI)**

1. The African Intellectual Property Organization (OAPI) has notified to the Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) a declaration modifying the amounts of the individual fee payable with respect to OAPI under Article 8(7) of the Madrid Protocol.
2. Until **March 22, 2022**, the amounts of the individual fee payable in respect of OAPI are the following:

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| **ITEMS** | | **Amounts**  (*in Swiss francs)* |
| Application or Subsequent Designation | – for **three** classes of goods or services | 704 |
| – for each additional class | 144 |
| Renewal | – for one class of goods or services | 880 |
| – for each additional class | 176 |
| *Where payment is received within the*  *period of grace:* |  |
| – additional amount, independent of the number of classes | 229 |

1. As from **March 23, 2022**, the amounts of the individual fee payable in respect of OAPI will be the following:

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| **ITEMS** | | **Amounts**  (*in Swiss francs)* |
| Application or Subsequent Designation | – for **one** class of goods or services | **572** |
| – for each additional class | **119** |
| Renewal | – for one class of goods or services | **794** |
| – for each additional class | **159** |
| *Where payment is received within the*  *period of grace:* |  |
| – additional amount, independent of the number of classes | **207** |

1. These new amounts will be payable where OAPI

(a) is designated in an international application which is received by the Office of origin on or after March 23, 2022; 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 March 23, 2022, 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 March 23, 2022.

January 24, 2022