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ANNEX C

FEES AND CHARGES FOR INTERNATIONAL SEARCH AND PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

Part I: Schedule of Fees and Charges

Kind of fee or charge	Amount Yen
Search fee (Rule 16.1(a))	54,000
Additional fee (Rule 40.2(a))	47,000
Preliminary examination fee (Rule 58.1(b))	20,000
Additional fee (Rule 68.3(a))	13,000
Cost of copies (Rules 44.3(b), 71.2(b) and 94.1)	1,300 per document

Part II: Conditions and Extent of Refunds of the Search Fee and of the Preliminary Examination Fee

- (1) Any amount paid by mistake, without cause, or in excess of the amount due, for fees indicated in Part I shall be refunded.
- (2) Where the international search report can be based to a considerable part on an earlier search, the amount of 23,000 Yen shall be refunded upon request.
- (3) In the cases provided for under Rule 58.3, the amount of the preliminary examination fee paid shall be fully refunded.
- (4) As long as the refund of the search fee (in the case where the international application is withdrawn or is considered withdrawn, under Article 14(1), (3) or (4), before the start of the international search) and the refund of the preliminary examination fee (in the case where the international application or the demand is withdrawn before the start of the international preliminary examination) continue to be not compatible with the national law of the Authority, the. Authority may abstain from refunding the fees.

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Preamble

The USSR State Committee for Inventions and Discoveries and the World Intellectual Property Organization, considering that the Agreement of April 11, 1978, between the State Committee for Inventions and Discoveries of the USSR Council of Ministers and the International Bureau under Articles 16(3)(b) and 32(3) of the Patent Cooperation Treaty was concluded for a period of ten years, desirous to continue the appointment of the USSR State Committee for Inventions and Discoveries as an International Searching and International Preliminary Examining Authority under the Patent Cooperation Treaty,

hereby agree as follows:

Article 1

Terms and Expressions Used in the Agreement

- (1) For the purposes of this Agreement:
 - (a) "Treaty" means the Patent Cooperation Treaty;
 - (b) "Regulations" means the Regulations under the Treaty;
 - (c) "Administrative Instructions" means the Administrative Instructions under the Treaty;
 - (d) "Article" (except where a specific reference is made to an Article of this Agreement) means an Article of the Treaty;
 - (e) "Rule" means a Rule of the Regulations;
 - (f) "Contracting State" means a State party to the Treaty;
 - (g) "Authority" means the USSR State Committee for Inventions and Discoveries.
- (2) All other terms and expressions used in this Agreement which are also used in the Treaty, the Regulations or the Administrative Instructions have, for the purposes of this Agreement, the same meaning as in the Treaty, the Regulations and the Administrative Instructions.

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Kind	of fee or charge	Amount Rouble
Search fee	(Rule 16.1(a))	250
Additional	fee (Rule 40.2(a))	170
Preliminary	y examination fee (Rule 58.1(b)):	
(i)	where the international search report has been established by the Authority	150
(ii)	where the international search report has been established by an International Searching Authority other than the Authority	300
Additional	fee (Rule 68.3(a)):	
(i)	where the international search report has been established by the Authority	100
(ii)	where the international search report has been established by an International Searching Authority other than the Authority	200
Cost of cop	pies of cited documents (Rule 44.3(b) and 71.2(b)	0.20 per page
-	oies of documents contained in the file of the al application (Rule 94.1)	0.50 per page

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- (2) Where the international application is withdrawn or is considered withdrawn, under Article 14(1), (3) or (4), before the start of the international search, the amount of the search fee paid shall be fully refunded.