

COOK ISLANDS - CK

Jurisdiction - General Information

The Cook Islands is neither a Contracting Party to the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or to the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT).

More legal information about intellectual property-related laws and regulations of the Cook Islands can be found on [WIPO Lex](#).

Online Patent Register and Online Gazette

The Cook Islands do not have an **Online Register** or an **Online Gazette**.

For further enquiries, please contact the relevant authority as indicated in the [WIPO Directory](#).

Features and search functionalities

Not applicable

Additional Information

Particularities of patent protection in the Cook Islands

The Cook Islands joined the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) in 2016 but does not yet have an independent intellectual property system. Patent protection obtained in New Zealand extends to the Cook Islands according to Sections 627 and 635 of the Cook Islands Act 1915.

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