

**B1****Information on Contracting States****B1****GT****GUATEMALA****GT****General information**

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Competent receiving Office for nationals and residents of Guatemala:	Registry of Intellectual Property (Guatemala) or International Bureau of WIPO, at the choice of the applicant (see Annex C)
Competent designated (or elected) Office if Guatemala is designated (or elected):	Registry of Intellectual Property (Guatemala)
May Guatemala be elected?	Yes (bound by Chapter II of the PCT)
Types of protection available via the PCT:	Patents, utility models
Provisions of the law of Guatemala concerning international-type search:	None
Provisional protection after international publication:	None

**Information of interest if Guatemala is designated (or elected)**

Time when the name and address of the inventor must be given if Guatemala is designated (or elected):	Must be in the request. If not already complied with within the time limit applicable under PCT Article 22 or 39(1), the Office will invite the applicant to comply with the requirement within a time limit of three months from the date of the invitation.
Are there special provisions concerning the deposit of microorganisms and other biological material?	Yes (see Annex L)