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**Competent International Searching Authority:**

**Competent International Preliminary Examining Authority:**

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- **Currency:** Bahraini dinar (BHD) and US dollar (USD)
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**Is an agent required by the receiving Office?**
- No, if the applicant resides in Bahrain
- Yes, if he is a non-resident

**Who can act as agent?** Any attorney or lawyer registered to practice before the Office

**Waiver of power of attorney:**
- Has the Office waived the requirement that a separate power of attorney be submitted? No
- Has the Office waived the requirement that a copy of a general power of attorney be submitted? No

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