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**NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER
ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT**

SWITZERLAND: FEDERAL LAW ON MEDICINAL PRODUCTS AND MEDICAL DEVICES

Notifying Member	SWITZERLAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	<i>Loi fédérale sur les médicaments et les dispositifs médicaux</i> (Federal Law on Medicinal Products and Medical Devices)
Subject matter	Protection of Undisclosed Information
Nature of notification	<input type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/CHE/22_0970_00_f.pdf
Notification status	<input type="checkbox"/> First notification <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment or revision to notified legal text <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	IP/N/1/CHE/U/5
Brief description of the notified legal text Appropriate protection for test results submitted by the first applicant (protection for up to 10 years). Most recent amendments: Articles 11a and 11b: - Introduction of document protection in general and in special cases Article 54a: - Introduction of a requirement to draw up a paediatric investigation plan setting out the requirements for the development of the medicinal product for paediatric use.	
Language(s) of notified legal text	French
Entry into force	1 January 2019
Other date	Adoption: 18 March 2016

Notification details

Submission date of notification	20 January 2022
Other information	
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