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**Council for Trade-Related Aspects of
Intellectual Property Rights**

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

COSTA RICA: LAW NO. 7975 - LAW ON UNDISCLOSED INFORMATION AND
THE AMENDMENTS THERETO

Notifying Member	COSTA RICA
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	Law No. 7975 - Law on Undisclosed Information and the amendments thereto
Subject matter	Protection of undisclosed information
Nature of the notification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input type="checkbox"/> Other laws or regulations
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2023/IP/CRI/23_1519_00_s.pdf
Notification status	<input type="checkbox"/> First notification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment or revision to notified legal text <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	IP/N/1/CRI/29 , IP/N/1/CRI/C/12 , IP/N/1/CRI/E/9 , IP/N/1/CRI/P/11 , IP/N/1/CRI/U/2 ; IP/N/1/CRI/U/1
Brief description of the notified legal text	
The Law on Undisclosed Information regulates the protection of industrial secrets, test data, as well as the protection of undisclosed information in administrative or judicial proceedings. It conceptualizes the information that is subject to protection. As this standard was amended by means of Law No. 8686, the updated text is being notified.	
Language(s) of notified legal text	Spanish
Entry into force	18 January 2000
Other date	Publication: 18 January 2000

Notification details

Submission date of notification	26 January 2023
Other information	
Agency or authority responsible	Intellectual Property Registry secretariapi@rnp.go.cr

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