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

COSTA RICA: EXECUTIVE DECREE NO. 38308-JP - AMENDMENTS TO THE REGULATIONS IMPLEMENTING THE LAW ON PATENTS, INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS AND UTILITY MODELS (EXECUTIVE DECREE NO. 15222-MIEM-J)

Notifying Member Costa RICA

Details of the notified legal text

Title	Executive Decree No. 38308-JP - Amendments to the Regulations implementing the Law on Patents, Industrial Designs and Utility Models (Executive Decree No. 15222-MIEM-J)	
Subject matter	Industrial designs; Patents (including plant variety protection)	
Nature of notification	[X] Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation[] Other law or regulation	
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2023/IP/CRI/23 09389 00 s.pdf	
Notification status	 [X] First notification [] Amendment or revision to notified legal text [] Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s) 	
Previous notification(s) referred to	Not applicable	
Brief description of the notified legal text		
Decree No. 38308-JP of 12 February 2014, amending Articles 1, 2, 5, 6, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21,		

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Language(s) of notified legal text	Spanish
Entry into force	24 April 2014
Other date	

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Notification details

Submission date of notification	7 March 2023
Other information	See also: <u>IP/N/1/CRI/34</u> (Executive Decree No. 34758-J-COMEX - Amendments to the Regulations implementing the Law on Patents, Industrial Designs and Utility Models)
Agency or authority responsible	<i>Registro de Propiedad Intelectual</i> (Intellectual Property Registry) <u>secretariapi@rnp.go.cr</u>

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