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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**

UNITED KINGDOM: THE REGISTERED DESIGNS (FEES) RULES 1998

<b>Notifying Member</b>	<b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>
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**Details of the notified legal text**

<b>Title</b>	The Registered Designs (Fees) Rules 1998
<b>Subject matter</b>	Industrial designs
<b>Nature of notification</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
<b>Link to legal text*</b>	<a href="https://ip-documents.info/2020/IP/GBR/20_5510_00_e.pdf">https://ip-documents.info/2020/IP/GBR/20_5510_00_e.pdf</a>
<b>Notification status</b>	<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)
<b>Previous notification(s) referred to</b>	<a href="#">IP/N/1/GBR/1</a>
<b>Brief description of the notified legal text</b>	
<p>These Rules revoke the Registered Design (Fees) (No. 2) Rules 1995. The also modify a number of fees as follows:</p> <p>(a) the additional fee for extensions of time not exceeding one month is reduced from £24 to no fee (Form 9A);</p> <p>(b) the fee for entries concerning change of proprietorship, mortgagee or licensee (Form 12A) is reduced from £50 to no fee;</p> <p>(c) the fee for inspection of the register in person and a request for information are both reduced from £5 to no fee.</p>	
<b>Language(s) of notified legal text</b>	English
<b>Entry into force</b>	1 October 1998; <a href="http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukxi/1998/1777/contents/made">http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukxi/1998/1777/contents/made</a>
<b>Other date</b>	

**Notification details**

<b>Submission date of notification</b>	19 August 2020
<b>Other information</b>	<a href="http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/1998/1777/contents/made">http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/1998/1777/contents/made</a> - Amends/replaces: The Registered Design (Fees) (No. 2) Rules 1995
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