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**Trade Marks Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 1)
Regulation 2015**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 92 of the Trade Marks Ordinance (Cap. 559))

1. Commencement

This Regulation comes into operation on 27 November 2015.

2. Trade Marks Ordinance amended

The Trade Marks Ordinance (Cap. 559) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule 1 amended (Paris Convention countries and WTO members)

- (1) Schedule 1, list under heading “**Countries which have acceded to the Paris Convention**”, after item “Republic of Korea”—

Add

“The State of Kuwait”.

- (2) Schedule 1, English text, list under heading “**Countries, territories and areas which have acceded to the World Trade Organization Agreement**”—

(a) **Repeal**

“The Republic of Cape Verde”;

- (b) After item “The Republic of Burundi”—

Add

“The Republic of Cabo Verde”.

- (3) Schedule 1, list under heading “**Countries, territories and areas which have acceded to the World Trade Organization Agreement**”, after item “The Socialist Republic of Viet Nam”—

Add

“The Republic of Yemen”.

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Explanatory Note

This Regulation updates the lists of Paris Convention countries and WTO members contained in the Trade Marks Ordinance (Cap. 559).