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**Council for Trade-Related Aspects of
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**NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS
4941 UNDER ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT**

IRELAND: EUROPEAN UNION (COPYRIGHT AND RELATED RIGHTS) REGULATIONS 2012
(S.I. NO. 59 OF 2012)

Notifying Member	IRELAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	European Union (Copyright and Related Rights) Regulations 2012 (S.I. No. 59 of 2012)
Subject matter	Copyright and related rights
Nature of notification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2023/IP/IRL/23_11048_00_e.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/IRL/8
Brief description of the notified legal text	
<p>These Regulations clarify that an injunction may be sought against an intermediary to whom Article 8(3) of Directive 2001/29/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2001 on the harmonisation of certain aspects of copyright and related rights in the information society applies. Article 8(3) requires that rightholders are in a position to apply for an injunction against intermediaries whose services are used by a third party to infringe a copyright or related right. The Regulations amend section 40 and section 205 of the Copyright and Related Rights Act 2000 (No. 28 of 2000).</p>	
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Notification details

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Other information	See also IP/N/1/EU/C/1 (<i>Directive 2001/29/EC</i>)
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