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

REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA: LAW ON THE PROTECTION OF INVENTIONS NO. 50 OF 03.03.2008  
(AS LAST AMENDED BY THE LAW NO. 254 OF 01.12.2017)

<b>Notifying Member</b>	REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA
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**Details of the notified legal text**

<b>Title</b>	Law on the Protection of Inventions No. 50 of 03.03.2008 (as last amended by the Law No. 254 of 01.12.2017)
<b>Subject matter</b>	Patents (including plant variety protection)
<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/2022/IP/MDA/22_3476_00_e.pdf">https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/MDA/22_3476_00_e.pdf</a> <a href="https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/MDA/22_3476_00_x.pdf">https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/MDA/22_3476_00_x.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/MDA/13</a> , <a href="#">IP/N/1/MDA/P/8</a> ; <a href="#">IP/N/1/MDA/P/5</a> , <a href="#">IP/N/1/MDA/5</a>
<b>Brief description of the notified legal text</b>	
This notification represents the consolidated text of the Law on the protection of inventions No. 50 of 03.03.2008, as last amended by the Law No. 254 of 01.12.2017, in force from 05.01.2018.	
<b>Language(s) of notified legal text</b>	English, Romanian
<b>Entry into force</b>	4 October 2008; The Law No. 50 of 03.03.2008 entered into force on 04.10.2008. The notified consolidated text of the Law 50/2008, as last amended by the Law no.254 of 01.12.2017, is in force from 05.01.2018.
<b>Other date</b>	

**Notification details**

<b>Submission date of notification</b>	17 May 2022
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<b>Other information</b>	Law on the protection of inventions No. 50 of 03.03.2008, as amended by Law No. 254 of 01.12.2017, Law No. 101 of 26.05.2016, Law No. 160 of 30.07.2015 and Law No. 173 of 25.07.2014.  Consolidated text available in English at: <a href="https://www.agepi.gov.md/sites/default/files/law/national/l_50-2008_en.pdf">https://www.agepi.gov.md/sites/default/files/law/national/l_50-2008_en.pdf</a>  Consolidated text available in Romanian at: <a href="https://www.legis.md/cautare/getResults?doc_id=107070&amp;lang=ro">https://www.legis.md/cautare/getResults?doc_id=107070&amp;lang=ro</a>
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