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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**

VIET NAM: LAW NO. 12/2017/QH14 DATED 20 JUNE 2017 ON
AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL CODE NO. 100/2015/QH13

Notifying Member	VIET NAM
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	LAW No. 12/2017/QH14 dated 20 June 2017 ON AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL CODE NO. 100/2015/QH13
Subject matter	Copyright and related rights; Industrial property (general); Enforcement; Other
Nature of notification	[] Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation [X] Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2021/IP/VNM/21_2238_00_e.pdf
Notification status	[] First notification [X] Amendment or revision to notified legal text [] Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	IP/N/1/VNM/8 , IP/N/1/VNM/C/2 , IP/N/1/VNM/E/7 , IP/N/1/VNM/G/1 , IP/N/1/VNM/O/16 , IP/N/1/VNM/T/1
Brief description of the notified legal text The Law on amendments to the Criminal Code No. 100/2015/QH13 dated 27 November 2015. This amended code stipulates fines for infringements of industrial property rights to a protected trademark or geographical indication in Viet Nam.	
Language(s) of notified legal text	English
Entry into force	1 January 2018
Other date	

Notification details

Submission date of notification	19 March 2021
Other information	

Agency or authority responsible	Intellectual Property Office of Viet Nam vietnamipo@ipvietnam.gov.vn
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