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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: CIRCULAR NO 45/2020/TT-BTC DATED 26 MAY 2020 – ON RATES OF FEES FOR
REGISTRATION (CERTIFICATION) OF USE OF FOREIGN BARCODES
AND RATES OF INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY CHARGES

Notifying Member	VIET NAM
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	CIRCULAR No 45/2020/TT-BTC dated 26 May 2020 – ON RATES OF FEES FOR REGISTRATION (CERTIFICATION) OF USE OF FOREIGN BARCODES AND RATES OF INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY CHARGES
Subject matter	Industrial property (general)
Nature of notification	<input type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2021/IP/VNM/21_2244_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/VNM/12 , IP/N/1/VNM/I/10
Brief description of the notified legal text	
In compliance with the Prime Minister's Directive No. 11/CT-TTg dated 4 March 2020 regarding urgent tasks and measures to relieve business and production difficulties as well as assure social security in response to the Covid-19 pandemic, this Circular of Ministry of Finance provides that: from 26 May 2020 to end of 31 December 2020, payers shall pay 50% of the rates of charges specified in the section A of the Schedule of fees and charges for industrial property enclosed with Circular No. 263/2016/TT-BTC dated 14 November 2016.	
Language(s) of notified legal text	English
Entry into force	26 May 2020; From 26 May 2020 to end of 31 December 2020.
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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