



Hong Kong Intellectual Property Agent

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INFORMATION SHEET FOR TRADEMARK APPLICATION IN HONG KONG

Filing Language	Chinese / English
Official Search	Available
Power of Attorney	Not required
Applicable	Ordinary Trade Marks, Collective Marks, Certification Marks, and Defensive Marks
Specification of goods/services	Nice Classification 9 th Edition, specification not required to be standardized
Examination	Formality and Substantive Examination
Time from Filing to Registration	6 months for straight forward cases
Publication	After accepted by the Registrar, the trade mark application is published in the Hong Kong Intellectual Property Journal
Opposition Term	3 months from date of publication
Registration Duration	10 years from Filing Date
Renewal	Every 10 years
Renewal Term	Trade Mark can be renewed within 6 months before its expiry date. Extra renewal fees are required if the registration is renewed after the expiry date.
Use Requirements	Continued non-use for 3 years makes the Registration vulnerable to revocation
Assignment	Deed of assignment is required
Licensing	Licensing document is required
Marking Requirement	Use of ® is optional

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