SOMALIA - SO

Jurisdiction - General Information

Somalia is neither a Contracting Party to the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property nor to the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT).

Somalia is a member of the African Regional Intellectual Property Organization (ARIPO), but only of the Lusaka Agreement, therefore ARIPO patents are not valid in Somalia.

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Online Patent Register and Online Gazette

Somalia has neither an Online Register nor an Online Gazette.

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Particularities of patent protection in Somalia

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