

Patent Statistics

December 2016

Unit : Case

| | Total | Invention | Utility Model | Design |
|--|-------|-----------|---------------|--------|
| Patent Application | 7,354 | 4,699 | 1,798 | 857 |
| Filed by Residents | 4,224 | 2,079 | 1,699 | 446 |
| Filed by Non-Residents | 3,130 | 2,620 | 99 | 411 |
| Reexamination Filed | 501 | 501 | - | - |
| Invalidation | 56 | 20 | 32 | 4 |
| Requests for Substantive Examination | 3,969 | 3,969 | | |
| Application for Technical Evaluation Report | 116 | - | 116 | |
| Pre-grant Publication | 3,353 | 3,353 | | |
| For Applications Filed by Residents | 1,398 | 1,398 | | |
| For Applications Filed by Non-Residents | 1,955 | 1,955 | | |
| Patents Issued | 6,533 | 4,062 | 1,794 | 677 |
| Issued to Residents | 3,851 | 1,805 | 1,677 | 369 |
| Issued to Non-Residents | 2,682 | 2,257 | 117 | 308 |
| Rejection | 1,185 | 1,096 | 20 | 69 |

Trademark Statistics

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| | Total | Residents | Non-Residents |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----------|---------------|
| Application | 7,474 | 5,486 | 1,988 |
| Application (no. of classes) | 9,643 | | |
| Registration | 8,108 | 5,798 | 2,310 |
| Registration (no. of classes) | 10,371 | | |
| Rejection | 963 | 706 | 257 |
| Opposition | 54 | | |
| Invalidation | 8 | | |
| Revocation | 52 | | |
| Renewal | 3,682 | | |

Copyright Statistics

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| | Application | Approval | Non-Approval | Rejection | Return | Cancellation | Dissolution | Withdrawal |
|---|-------------|----------|--------------|-----------|--------|--------------|-------------|------------|
| Total | 2,349 | 2,347 | | 0 | | 4 | | |
| Registration for Plate Right | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Compulsory license for a musical work | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Copyright Collective Management | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Inspection on Copyright Documents | 2,349 | 2,345 | | 0 | | 4 | | |
| Registration and Review of Pledges of Copyright | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Application for Approval of License of Works of Unknown Owner of Copyrights | 0 | 2 | | | | | | |

Note : On Jan. 21 , 1998 the amended Copyright Act abolished the copyright registration system, thus the " Cancellation of Copyright Registration" here refers to the copyright registration cases approved before the aforesaid date.