## **Patent Statistics**

April 2015

Unit: Case

	Total	Invention	Utility Model	Design	
Patent Application	5,818	3,391	1,795	632	
Filed by Residents	3,317	1,244	1,696	377	
Filed by Non-Residents	2,501	2,147	99	255	
Reexamination Filed	526	515	-	11	
Invalidation	39	6	27	6	
Requests for Substantive Examination	3,156	3,156			
Application for Technical Evaluation Report	148		148		
Pre-grant Publication	3,902	3,902			
For Applications Filed by Residents	1,679	1,679			
For Applications Filed by Non-Residents	2,223	2,223			
Patents Issued	6,370	3,922	1,833	615	
Issued to Residents	3,720	1,648	1,733	339	
Issued to Non-Residents	2,650	2,274	100	276	
Rejection	1,967	1,891	10	66	

## **Trademark Statistics**

	April 201	Unit : Case	
	Total	Residents	Non-Residents
Application	6,777	4,966	1,811
Application (no. of classes)	8,630		
Registration	5,784	4,192	1,592
Registration (no. of classes)	7,549		
Rejection	618	541	77
Opposition	85		
Invalidation	20		
Revocation	44		
Renewal	3,471		

## **Copyright Statistics**

April 2015							Unit: Case	
	Application	Approval	Non- Approval	Rejection	Return	Cancellation	Dissolution	Withdrawal
Total	2,500	2,457	25	2		6		
Registration for Plate Right	0							
Compulsory license for a musical work	62							
Copyright Collective Management	0							
Inspection on Copyright Documents	2,438	2,430		2		6		
Registration and Review of Pledges of Copyright	0							
Application for Approval of License of Works of Unknown Owner of Copyrights	0	27	25					

Note: On Jan. 21, 1998 the amended Copyright Act abolished the copyright registration system, thus the

<sup>&</sup>quot; Cancellation of Copyright Registration" here refers to the copyright registration cases approved before the aforesaid date.