

**Council for Trade-Related Aspects of  
Intellectual Property Rights**

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## **NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE AGREEMENT**

### **BELIZE**

In addition to its notification of 17 May 2000 (see document IP/N/1/BLZ/1), Belize has notified, under Article 63.2 of the Agreement, its enacted legislation in the field of intellectual property, by means of a communication from its Permanent Mission, dated 22 April 2003, as follows:

- Copyright Act, Chapter 252, Revised Edition 2000.<sup>1</sup>  
(The Act replaces the Copyright Bill, 2000 (see document IP/N/1/BLZ/C/1).)
- Trade Marks Act, Chapter 257, Revised Edition 2000.<sup>2</sup>  
(The Act replaces the Trade Marks Bill, 2000 (see document IP/N/1/BLZ/T/1).)
- Trade Marks Rules, No. 3 of 2002.<sup>3</sup>
- Patents Act, Chapter 253, Revised Edition 2000.<sup>4</sup>  
(The Act replaces the Patents Bill, 2000 (see document IP/N/1/BLZ/P/1).)
- Patents Regulations, No. 2 of 2002.<sup>5</sup>
- Industrial Designs Act, Chapter 254, Revised Edition 2000.<sup>6</sup>  
(The Act replaces the Industrial Designs Bill, 2000 (see document IP/N/1/BLZ/D/1).)
- Industrial Designs Regulations, No. 16 of 2001.<sup>7</sup>
- Protection of New Plant Varieties Act, Chapter 255, Revised Edition 2000.<sup>8</sup>  
(The Act replaces the Protection of New Plant Varieties Bill, 2000 (see document IP/N/1/BLZ/P/2).)
- Protection of New Plant Varieties Regulations, No. 116 of 2001.<sup>9</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/C/2.

<sup>2</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/T/2.

<sup>3</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/T/3.

<sup>4</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/P/3.

<sup>5</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/P/4.

<sup>6</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/D/2.

<sup>7</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/D/3.

<sup>8</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/P/5.

<sup>9</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/P/6.

- Protection of Layout-Designs (Topographies) of Integrated Circuits Act, Chapter 256, Revised Edition 2000.<sup>10</sup>  
(The Act replaces the Protection of Layout-Designs (Topographies) Bill, 2000 (see document IP/N/1/BLZ/L/1).)
  - Protection of Layout-Designs (Topographies) of Integrated Circuits Regulations, No. 115 of 2001.<sup>11</sup>
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<sup>10</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/L/2.

<sup>11</sup> See document IP/N/1/BLZ/L/3.