



The Eurasian Patent Organization (EAPO) preparing for the Eurasian Patent Convention for the legal protection of industrial designs

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On August 26, 2019 WIPO representatives visited the Eurasian Patent Organization (EAPO) within the frame of WIPO's support provided to the EAPO in the creation of an industrial design protection system within the Eurasian Patent Convention. The Protocol to the Eurasian Patent Convention is prepared for signing, and will be adopted at the diplomatic conference in Nur-Sultan, Republic of Kazakhstan, on 09 September 2019, which is the 25th anniversary of the Eurasian Patent Convention.

The Protocol shall establish a system of legal protection of industrial designs in the member-states of the Eurasian Patent Convention as a supplement the existing legal protection of patents. The document is expected to introduce a

system similar to the existing system for patents. The EAPO reported that it is also possible that WIPO industrial property automated system IPAS will be implemented into the EAPO industrial design system.

Currently, there are 8 members of the Eurasian Patent Convention, namely Russia, Belarus, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan. A single application for a Eurasian patent can be filed in any language subject to submission of translation of the materials into Russian language in due course. The EAPO grants a single Eurasian patent for the invention being valid in the territory of all member states. After grant of the patent, the owner can designate the member-states where the Eurasian patent is to be maintained in effect.





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