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

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

SWITZERLAND: ORDINANCE ON THE PROTECTION OF THE SWISS COAT OF ARMS
AND OTHER PUBLIC SIGNS

Notifying Member	SWITZERLAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	<i>Ordonnance sur la protection des armoiries de la Suisse et des autres signes publics</i> (Ordinance on the Protection of the Swiss Coat of Arms and Other Public Signs)
Subject matter	Trademarks; Industrial designs
Nature of notification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/CHE/22_0952_00_f.pdf
Notification status	<input type="checkbox"/> First notification <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment or revision to notified legal text <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	IP/N/1/CHE/1
Brief description of the notified legal text The Ordinance replaces the Implementing Regulations of 5 January 1932 for the protection of coats of arms and other public signs. Jurisdiction of the <i>Institut Fédéral de la Propriété Intellectuelle</i> , IPI (Federal Institute of Intellectual Property); use of the Swiss coat of arms; other Swiss emblems; list of protected signs; intervention of the Federal Customs Administration	
Language(s) of notified legal text	French
Entry into force	1 January 2017
Other date	

Notification details

Submission date of notification	20 January 2022
Other information	
Agency or authority responsible	<i>Institut Fédéral de la Propriété Intellectuelle</i> , IPI (Federal Institute of Intellectual Property) Stauffacherstrasse 65/59g CH – 3003 Berne Switzerland Telephone: +41 31 377 77 77 Email: info@ipi.ch

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