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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**

IRELAND: TRADE MARKS ACT, 1996 (COMMENCEMENT) ORDER 1996
(S.I. NO. 198/1996)

Notifying Member	IRELAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	TRADE MARKS ACT, 1996 (COMMENCEMENT) ORDER 1996 (S.I. No. 198/1996)
Subject matter	Trademarks
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/2023/IP/IRL/23_2082_00_e.pdf
Notification status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First notification <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment or revision to notified legal text <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	Not applicable
Brief description of the notified legal text	
This Order appoints the 1 st of July as the date on which the Trade Marks Act, 1996 comes into operation. The Trade Marks Rules, 1996 come into operation on the same date.	
Language(s) of notified legal text	English
Entry into force	1 July 1996
Other date	Adoption: 27 June 1996

Notification details

Submission date of notification	10 March 2023
Other information	

Agency or authority responsible	Intellectual Property Unit Department of Enterprise, Trade & Employment Email: trademarks@enterprise.gov.ie
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