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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: EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (PROTECTION OF TOPOGRAPHIES OF
SEMICONDUCTOR PRODUCTS) (AMENDMENT) REGULATION 1999
(S.I. NO. 113 OF 1999)

Notifying Member	IRELAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	European Communities (Protection of Topographies of Semiconductor Products) (Amendment) Regulation 1999 (S.I. No. 113 of 1999)
Subject matter	Layout-designs (topographies) of integrated circuits
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_8749_00_e.pdf
Notification status	<input type="checkbox"/> First notification <input checked="" 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	IP/N/1/IRL/1
Brief description of the notified legal text	
These Regulations amend the European Communities (Protection of Topographies of Semiconductor Products) Regulations, 1988 (S.I. No. 101 of 1988) and give further effect to Council Directive 87/54/EEC of 16 December 1986.	
Language(s) of notified legal text	English
Entry into force	28 April 1999
Other date	Adoption: 28 April 1999

Notification details

Submission date of notification	27 March 2023
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Other information	See also: IP/N/1/EEC/L/1 (<i>Council Directive 87/54/EEC</i>)
Agency or authority responsible	Intellectual Property Unit Department of Enterprise, Trade & Employment Email: trademarks@enterprise.gov.ie

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