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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**

**MADAGASCAR: NATIONAL POLICY AND STRATEGY OF INNOVATION
IN THE FIELD OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY FOR MADAGASCAR**

Notifying Member	MADAGASCAR
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	National Policy and Strategy of Innovation in the Field of Intellectual Property for Madagascar
Subject matter	Other; Copyright and related rights; Industrial Property Law
Nature of notification	<input type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
Link to legal text	http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/IP/MDG/16_4849_00_f.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	
The national policy and strategy are designed to make intellectual property a real lever of development for the country. The main objective is thus to transform research results into innovations so that consumers can benefit, while ensuring maximum protection for researchers traders and consumers. This document contains strategic directions that establish the actions to be taken in order to improve Madagascar's intellectual property system.	
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Notification details

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Other information	
Agency or authority responsible	Malagasy Industrial Property Office