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

MONTENEGRO: LAW ON AMENDMENTS TO THE LAW ON COPYRIGHT AND RELATED RIGHTS

Notifying Member Montenegro

Details of the notified legal text

Title	Law on Amendments to the Law on Copyright and Related Rights			
Subject matter	Copyright and related rights			
Nature of notification	[X] Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation[] Other law or regulation			
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/MNE/22_2614_00_e.pdf			
Notification status	 First notification Amendment or revision to notified legal text Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s) 			
Previous notification(s) referred to	<u>IP/N/1/MNE/C/2, IP/N/1/MNE/4</u>			

Brief description of the notified legal text

The law regulates in detail the issue of collective management of copyright and related rights, in terms of the rights of authors and holders of related rights, as well as in terms of obligations and powers of organizations for collective management of rights and users of those rights. The most important novelties brought by the Law are increased transparency of the work of collective management organizations, more detailed supervision procedure over the work of collective management organizations by the competent authority, enhanced inspection supervision over unauthorized use of copyrighted works and subject matter of related rights and stricter misdemeanour policy.

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