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

NEW ZEALAND: PATENT REGULATIONS 2014

Notifying Member	NEW ZEALAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	Patents Regulations 2014
Subject matter	Patents
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	http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2014/IP/NZL/14_5450_00_e.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/NZL/P/2 IP/N/1/NZL/P/2/Add.1
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Date of adoption	11 August 2014
Entry into force	13 September 2014

Notification details

Submission date of notification	4 December 2014
Other information	Patent applications are examined and patents granted under the Patents Act 2013 and the Patents Regulations 2014 by the Intellectual Property Office of New Zealand (IPONZ), a business unit of the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment. <u>Website:</u> http://www.iponz.govt.nz/

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