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**Council for Trade-Related Aspects of
Intellectual Property Rights**

Original: English

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

NEW ZEALAND: COPYRIGHT AMENDMENT ACT 2016

Notifying Member	NEW ZEALAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	Copyright Amendment Act 2016
Subject matter	Copyright and related rights
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/2021/IP/NZL/21_1845_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/NZL/C/1/Add.3 ; IP/N/1/NZL/C/1
Brief description of the notified legal text	
Amends the Copyright Act 1994 to provide for the Copyright Tribunal, when resolving licensing disputes, a power to order an award interest on outstanding or unpaid licensing fees.	
Language(s) of notified legal text	English
Entry into force	1 January 2018
Other date	

Notification details

Submission date of notification	5 March 2021
Other information	

Agency or authority responsible	Ministry for Business, Employment and Innovation (ip.policy@mbie.govt.nz)
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