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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**

UKRAINE: LAW OF UKRAINE "ON AMENDMENTS TO THE CUSTOMS CODE OF UKRAINE ON THE PROTECTION OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS DURING THE MOVEMENT OF GOODS THROUGH THE CUSTOMS BORDER OF UKRAINE"

Notifying Member	UKRAINE
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to the Customs Code of Ukraine on the Protection of Intellectual Property Rights during the Movement of Goods through the Customs Border of Ukraine"
Subject matter	Copyright and related rights
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*	https://ip-documents.info/2020/IP/UKR/20_0309_00_x.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/UKR/1

Brief description of the notified legal text

The Law amends the Customs Code of Ukraine, in particular regarding

- expansion of the scope of objects of intellectual property rights that falls under the protection during the movements of goods through the Customs Border of Ukraine;
- definition of terms: "counterfeit goods", "pirated goods", "goods suspected of infringing intellectual property rights";
- non application of the measures to promote the protection of intellectual property rights during the movements of goods through the Customs Border of Ukraine of original goods that have been manufactured with the consent of the right holder or goods made by a person duly authorized by the right holder to produce a certain amount of goods in excess of the amount agreed between that persons ;
- expanding the use of measures related to suspension of customs clearance of goods suspected of infringing intellectual property rights, including at the initiative of the customs authority;

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - reimbursement of costs related to storage, destruction of goods suspected of infringing intellectual property rights; - introduction of the possibility for early release of goods which customs clearance is suspended on suspicion of infringement of intellectual property rights; - establishment of the features of suspension of customs clearance and destruction of small consignments of goods moving (shipped) across the Customs Border of Ukraine in international postal and express dispatches. 	
Language(s) of notified legal text	Ukrainian
Entry into force	14 November 2019
Other date	Adoption: 17 October 2019

Notification details

Submission date of notification	24 December 2019
Other information	https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/202-20
Agency or authority responsible	Ministry for Development of Economy, Trade and Agriculture of Ukraine

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