



## 2017 ID5 Midterm Meeting

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Alicante

### Mid Term Meeting Communication

The European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO), the Japan Patent Office (JPO), the Korean Intellectual Property Office (KIPO), the State Intellectual Property Office (SIPO) and the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) (hereinafter referred to as the “Partners”) gathered in Alicante, Spain, on 26 June 2017 for an ID5 Mid Term meeting.

The main objective of the Mid Term meeting was to take stock of progress of all projects and to prepare for the Annual Meeting which will take place on 4-5 Dec 2017 at the EUIPO in Alicante.

The Partners discussed the advancement of the current collaborative projects and agreed on prioritized deliverables.

Discussion of ID5 Projects:

Partners had an in-depth discussion on the following 12 ID5 projects:

- View and Drawing Requirements (EUIPO)
- Emerging Designs (EUIPO & USPTO)
- Forecasting (EUIPO)
- Product Indications (EUIPO)
- Compilation of Industrial Design Statistics (JPO)
- Design Classification Conventions & Practices (JPO & KIPO)
- ID5 Website (KIPO)
- Catalogue of Eligibility for Industrial Design Protection (KIPO)
- Practices of Priority Rights (SIPO)
- Electronic Priority Document Exchanges (SIPO & USPTO)
- Grace Period (JPO & USPTO)
- Partial Designs (JPO & USPTO)

The Partners also discussed the potential closure of View and Drawing Requirements Project at the ID5 Annual Meeting 2017. The Partner Offices went on to exchange ideas on Operational Guidelines for ID5 Cooperation.