



2020 ID5 Annual Meeting Record of Discussion

October 29-30
Virtual Meeting & Exchanges

The China National Intellectual Property Administration (CNIPA), the European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO), the Japan Patent Office (JPO), the Korean Intellectual Property Office (KIPO), and the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) (hereinafter referred to as the “Partners”) held the 2020 ID5 Annual Meeting as a virtual meeting through document exchanges and supplemented with live discussions via the KUDO Platform, on October 29th and 30th.

The World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO) was present at the KUDO meetings as an observer.

Introduction

A video welcome address was given by the Under Secretary of Commerce and Director of the USPTO – Mr. Andrei Iancu.

Opening remarks by the delegation head of each office (CNIPA, EUIPO, JPO, KIPO, USPTO and WIPO) were given.



Update of Current Projects

The Partners took stock of the progress on the following ongoing projects in operation mode:

- ID5 Statistics (JPO)
- ID5 Website (KIPO)

The Partners agreed on the next steps related to ongoing ID5 projects:

- Study of Priority Document Exchange by ID5 Offices (CNIPA/USPTO)
 - All offices have fully implemented WIPO DAS for design PDX
 - Offices will provide feedback on implementation to lead offices for preparation for closure of project with report for 2021 Annual Meeting.
- Study of Quality Management by ID5 Offices (CNIPA/EUIPO)
 - Offices will soon provide final review of report which remains confidential to Partners.
 - EUIPO will prepare quality catalog based off report as soon as practicable in 2021 with intention to publish catalog upon Partner review and approval.
- Study of design Non-Patent literature data resources among ID5 Offices (CNIPA/JPO)
 - Offices will provide a draft report in November 2020 for review by the Partners
 - The Partners will provide comments to the Lead Offices before the 2021 mid-term meeting and agreed to finalize the report by the 2021 Annual meeting.
- Study on the Admissibility of Internet Information as Legitimate Disclosure for Novelty Examinations (CNIPA/JPO)
 - Lead offices will prepare draft recommended practices based off catalog for Partner consideration in 2021
- Remedies and Relief for Industrial Design Infringement (KIPO/USPTO)
 - EUIPO providing contribution to catalog by end of 2020.
 - Lead offices will prepare final version of catalog which will be published on the ID5 website in 2021.
- Recommended Design Practices (JPO/USPTO)
 - Partners agree to identify industrial design topics for potential discussion other than subject matter of the draft DLT in the context of recommended practices.

The Partners reached agreement to open the following new projects. The work on these projects will proceed as outline in the final proposals and will be led by the identified offices:



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- Exchange on New Technology (EUIPO)
 - Deferment of Publication (KIPO/USPTO)
 - Joint Communication Action (EUIPO/KIPO)
 - ID5 5 Year Review (USPTO)
 - A Study of Term of Protection (USPTO)

Discussion of Virtual Protocols

The Partners discussed and reached agreement on a set of model Virtual Protocols and the desire to incorporate more user involvement in future virtual meetings as well as the traditional physical meeting of the ID5.

TM5/ID5 Joint Statement

The Partners agreed to proceed with finalizing a Joint Statement on cooperation related to COVID-19 responses.

2021 Secretariat and Host

The Partners agreed that CNIPA would serve as Secretariat and Host of the 2021 ID5 work and meetings beginning immediately upon closure of the aforementioned 2020 ID5 Virtual Annual Meeting.