



### TRADEMARK

The Trade Marks Act of 2009

### **Types of Trademark Registered**

- ➤ CONVENTIONAL TRADEMARKS including word mark, device mark, series mark and certification mark.
- NON-CONVENTIONAL TRADEMARKS including color mark and shape mark.

### **Edition of Nice Classification Accepted by the Trademark Office**

10<sup>th</sup> Edition

### **Initial Registration Term**

7 years from the Date of Application

#### **Opposition Period**

2 months from the Date of Publication of the Trademark in the Official Gazette

#### **Renewal Term**

Renewable every 10 years

### **Grace Period for Trademark Renewal**

6 months

#### **Non-Use Cancellation Period of a Trademark**

5 years from the Date of Registration





### **PATENT**

The Patent and Design Rules, 1933 (as amended up to 15th June 1946)

### **Types of Patent Protection**

**Process Patent and Product Patent** 

### **Types of Patent Applications**

- Non-Convention Application
- Convention Application

#### **Term for Patent Protection**

16 years

### Time Frame for Examination from the Date of Application

18 months approximately

### Time Frame for Publication from the Date of Acceptance

Minimum 12 months

### **Opposition Period**

Opposition at Pre-grant Stage - Within 2 months approximately

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## **INDUSTRIAL DESIGN**

The Patent & Design Rules, 1933 (as amended up to 15th June, 1946)

## **Types of Industrial Design Applications**

- Non-Convention Application
- Convention Application

### **Registration Term**

15 years from the Date of Application

### **Effective Date of Registration**

The Priority Date

### Time Frame for Examination from the Date of Application

6 months approximately

### **Opposition Period**

Not Applicable in Bangladesh

### **Renewal Term**

First renewal due in the 5th year and subsequent renewal in every 10th year





## **GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATION**

The Geographical Indication of Goods (Registration and Protection) Act, 2013 The Geographical Indication of Goods (Registration and Protection) Rules, 2015

### **Initial Registration Term**

5 years

### **Renewal Term**

3 years

## **COPYRIGHT**

The Copyrights Act, 2000 (amended in 2005)

### **International Copyright Agreements**

- Berne Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works
- Universal Copyright Convention (Geneva)
- Universal Copyright Convention (Paris)
- Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights

#### **Remedies Against Infringement**

- Civil Remedies
- Criminal Remedies
- Administrative Remedies