

Survey on intellectual property related activities in chambers of commerce

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1. General comments

Our Chamber created in 2006 a Cabinet of Intellectual Property. The main activity of this cabinet is to promote industrial property issues as well as the registration of industrial property rights.

2. Communication Tools

What kind of communication tools concerning IP do you offer? Please elaborate.

Using e-mail as well as direct contacts we circulate information related to industrial property rights, sensitizing businessmen to protect their trade marks.

d) **Hard copy publications (e.g. guides, newsletters)**

Regularly we produce brochures which are largely distributed amongst the members and non members.

3. Training

Do you offer any training programs in the IP field? Please elaborate.

In collaboration with the National Institute of Industrial Property, we regularly organize training seminars in Maputo capital city of the country and in other Provinces.

4. Consultancy/ Advisory Services

Do you offer any IP-consultancy services? This could include a helpline, legal/ financial/ commercial/consulting services etc. Are intellectual property aspects included in general commercial/business advice provided by your chamber?

n/a

5. Information gathering/ awareness raising

Do you conduct surveys or gather information about IP activities in any other way? Do you carry out any awareness raising activities? Please elaborate.

n/a

6. SME case studies

Do you publish case studies of SMEs who have actively used IP in their businesses? Can you provide us with any such case studies?

n/a

7. Facilitation of IP business opportunities

Do you provide any services to help businesses trade in IP eg IP business matchmaking, marketplaces etc?

n/a

8. Policy advocacy

Do you engage in policy advocacy in the IP field? Please provide details.

n/a

9. Encouragement of innovation and IP asset development

Do you have any initiatives to encourage innovation or the development of IP assets e.g. awards, competitions, technology showcases etc ?

In collaboration with the Ministry of Science and Technology we are undertaking initiatives to encourage innovation.

10. Others

n/a

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We consent to the above information being posted on the ICC (International Chamber of Commerce) website.

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