



**International Chamber of Commerce**

*The world business organization*

**Department of Policy and Business Practices**

## Intellectual property related activities in chambers of commerce

Organisation	: Kamer van Koophandel Rotterdam
Country	: The Netherlands
Contact person	:
Contact details	:

### 1. General comments

No

### 2. Communication Tools

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

**a) On-line e.g. website:**

[www.kvk.nl](http://www.kvk.nl)

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

No

**c) Others:**

By phone, little information are provided and referred to our website or other websites ([www.bbie.nl](http://www.bbie.nl) or [www.octrooicentrum.nl](http://www.octrooicentrum.nl)). We example (trade) names and give information about it.

### 3. Training

*Do you offer any training programs? Please elaborate.*

**a) Seminars/ workshops**

No

**b) On-line tutorials**

No

**c) Others**

No

**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?*

Only (trade) name investigation.

**5. Information gathering/ awareness raising**

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

No

**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?*

No

**7. Facilitation of IP business opportunities**

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

No

**8. Policy advocacy**

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

No

**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?*

No

## 10. Others

No

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

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