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Dear Madam, Dear Sir,

We have the pleasure of sending you herewith no. 7/2011 of our Newsletter "Legal Information". We hope you will enjoy reading it.

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1. Federal Patent Court regulations published

The various regulations organising and administering the Federal Patent Court, enacted by the court administration under PatCA, Article 20, para 3. letter a, have been published on the homepage of the Federal Patent Court as of early October: http://www.bpatger.ch/en/legal-basis.html

Link on the Institute page: https://www.ige.ch/en/legal-info/legal-areas/patents/patent-attorney-act-and-patent-court-act.html

The regulations take effect on 1 January 2012 and will be part of the official compilation of federal law. Two guidelines, one on proceedings before the Federal Patent Court and the other on the court's autonomy, are published separately.

Published on 30.11.2011

2. Copyright infringements on the internet: existing legal framework is sufficient

At its session on 30 November 2011, the Swiss Federal Council adopted the eagerly anticipated report in response to the Savary postulate 10.3263.

Press release:

https://www.ige.ch/fileadmin/user_upload/Juristische_Infos/e/press_releases/Medienmitteilung_Sa_vary_e.pdf

Report in German: https://www.ige.ch/fileadmin/user_upload/Urheberrecht/d/Bericht_Savary_d.pdf
Report in Italian: https://www.ige.ch/fileadmin/user_upload/Urheberrecht/i/Bericht_Savary_i.pdf

Published on 05.12.2011

3. The agreement between Switzerland and the EU on the protection of PDOs and PGIs enters into force

The agreement between Switzerland and the European Union to mutually recognise protected designations of origin (PDO) and geographical indications (PGI) for agricultural products and foodstuffs entered into force on 1 December 2011. For more information:

https://www.ige.ch/en/legal-info/news/news-details/news/inkrafttreten-des-abkommens-zwischen-der-schweiz-und-der-europaeischen-union-ueber-die-gub-und-gga/161.html

4. Annual Report 2010/11

Annual Report for the 15th Business Year is online:

https://www.ige.ch/en/about-us/news/news-details/news/neu-erschienen-jahresbericht-zum-15-geschaeftsjahr/148.html

Training

Course: "Patent licences, patent assignment contracts, confidentiality agreements and cooperation agreements" with Stefan Kohler on 9 December 2011 in Bern:

https://www.ige.ch/en/legal-info/news/news-details/news/kurs-patentlizenzen-patentabtretungsvertraege-geheimhaltungsvereinbarungen-kooperationsvertraeg/161.html

Course: "Intellectual Property Law: A practice-oriented course" in spring of 2012 in Bern and in autumn of 2012 in Lausanne and Bern:

https://www.ige.ch/en/legal-info/news/news-details/news/kurs-immaterialgueterrechte-eine-praxisorientierte-ausbildung-im-herbst-2011-in-lausanne-und-fr/161.html

Module: "In-depth IP rights" in autumn of 2010 and in spring of 2012 in Bern: https://www.ige.ch/en/legal-info/news/news-details/news/modul-vertiefung-schutzrechte-imfruehling-und-herbst-2012-in-bern/161.html

Module: "A basic knowledge of protective rights" in spring and in autumn of 2012 in Bern: https://www.ige.ch/en/legal-info/news/news-details/news/modul-basiswissen-schutzrechte-im-fruehling-und-herbst-2012-in-bern/161/next/1.html

Course: "Patents, Trade Marks & Co." – in February, May and August 2012 in Bern: https://www.ige.ch/en/legal-info/news/news-details/news/kurs-patente-marken-co-im-august-2011-und-im-fruehling-2012-in-bern/161/next/1.html

Yours sincerely,

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