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NEW POLICY OF INDONESIAN PATENT OFFICE REGARDING FILING OF PATENT APPLICATION

The Directorate of Patent, Directorate General of Intellectual Property, Ministry of Law and Human Rights of the Republic of Indonesia ("DGIP") recently issued a new policy pertaining the process of patent registration. During the submission of patent application, DGIP requires the applicant and/or the applicant's attorney to also provide a CD-ROM containing the patent specification (description, claim, abstract and pictures) along with the supporting documents (i.e.: executed power of attorney (applied only for application which is appointing attorneys in submission), statement, assignment of invention and/or certified copy of priority document). The policy is implemented with the aim of having better, faster and accurate process of registration at the DGIP. This new policy has been effectively implemented from 1 September 2017.

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