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P4M-IP: Modernisation of the IP System in the Russian Federation

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Background

- "Approximation of EU and RF IPR aspects"– Project with the EPO (2007-2010)

- ROSPATENT applications to the EC Delegation (2010)

- Heads Meetings (Moscow, 2011 – Geneva, 2012)

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OHIM – ROSPATENT: Framework of collaboration

- 2011 – MoU

- 2012 – EU-funded project

P4M-IPFinancial / Admin info

- Service contract

    – 300,000 Euros financed by EC

    – 3 years (Jan 13-Dec15*)*3 month extensión under consideration

    – OHIM must provide a series of deliverables (results)

    – To be approved by the Project Manager

P4M-IP Content

OHIM consultant   ROSPATENTproj.partner

OHIM   ROSPATENT
Experts   FIPS team of
                       experts

· Trade mark and design experts

· Filing / processing experts

· Quality experts

· IT business and technical experts

EC – Delegation

P4M-IP Management

OHIM

ROSPATENT

EU Funded
Projects ICLAD

Moscow
support in
logistics,
means,
infrastructure
and
coordination
of RU expert
groups

Key Expert

· Organizational
· Financial
Communication
· Means/Results

EC – Delegation

Objectives

Modernisation	Integration

Trade Marks & Designs

Objectives

Targets

IP COMMUNITY

ROSPATENT / FIPS staff members

Russian and European Business

Trade mark and designs user groups

- Alignment of Russian and EU trade mark and design regulations Legislation
- Standardization and codification of trade mark and design examination practice
- Modernisation and alignment of quality management and automation processes for trade mark and design prosecution
- Modernisation and alignment of appeal procedures for trademarks and designs
- Improved accessibility to trade mark and design information

Components

C1   Legal *Gap Analysis* and recommendations

C2   Draft TM and DS Examination *Guidelines*

C3   *Quality* Gap Study and Recommendations

C4   *Appeals* Gap Analysis and Recommendations

C5   Integration of TM and DSs into public accessible *Information Tools*

C1 "Legal Gap Analysis"

Results

1.1. Gap analysis of provisions of the EU legal acts and the Civil Code of the Russian Federation, Chapter IV

✓ Completed (Nov 15)

1.2. Seminar and round table in Moscow

✓ Completed (Dec 14)

1.3. Final version and recommendations and proposals

✓ Completed (Mar 15)

1.4. Publication (web site Rospatent site-).

ⱴ *Dec 15 (Russian version); Mar 16 (English translation)*

C2 "Guidelines"

Results

2.1. Trade marks

2.1.1 Draft guidelines

✓ Completed Dec 14

2.1.2 Roundtable on implementation

✓ Completed Nov 15 (Moscow)

2.2. Designs

2.2.1 Draft guidelines

℣ Draft Substantive Guidelines (Dec 15);

℣ Incorporation of related by/laws (which are being approved)

2.2.2. Roundtable on implementation

✓ Completed Nov 15 (Moscow)

C3 "Quality"

Results

3.1. Gap analysis of Russian and OHIM processes and procedures
- ✓ Completed Nov 14

3.2. Recommendations aiming at the alignment of the RF and EU trade mark and design prosecution procedures
- ✓ Completed Nov 14

3.3. Study visit and …
- ✓ Completed Jun 15

3.4 Round Table to establish next steps (Alicante)
- ✓ Completed Jun 15

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C4 "Appeal Procedures"

Results

4.1 Comparison of the EU and Russian approaches to appeal procedures (Gap analysis).

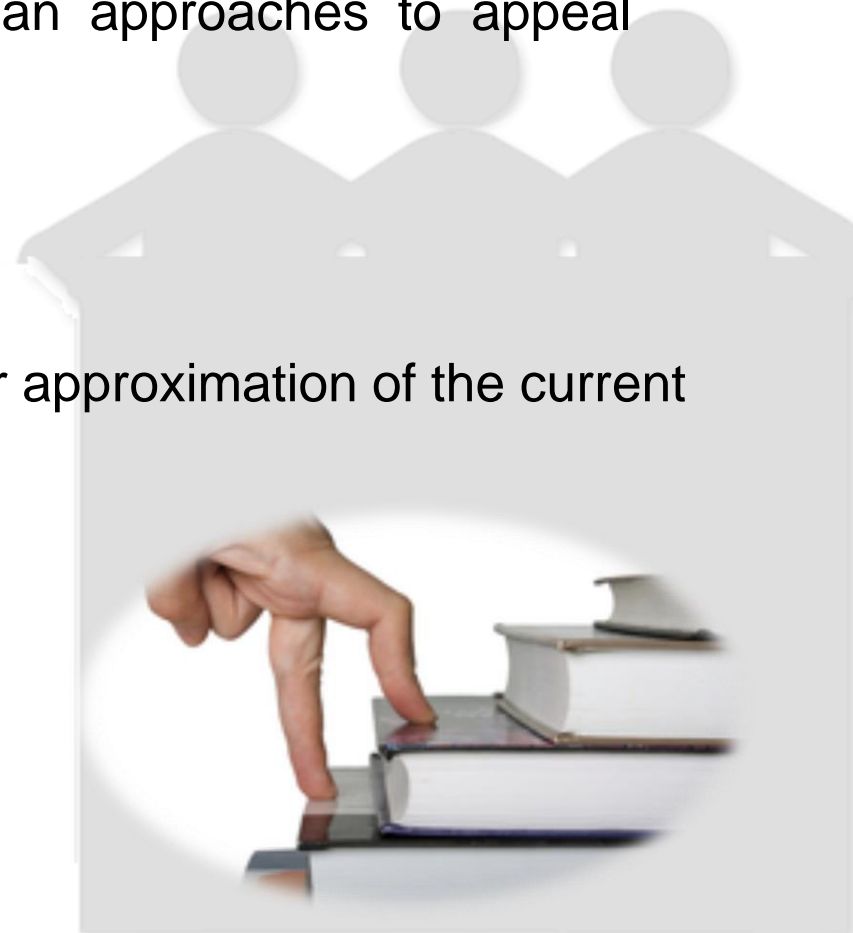✓ Completed Draft (Nov 15)

ᶹ Final (Dec 15);

4.2 Recommendations and proposals for approximation of the current Russian system
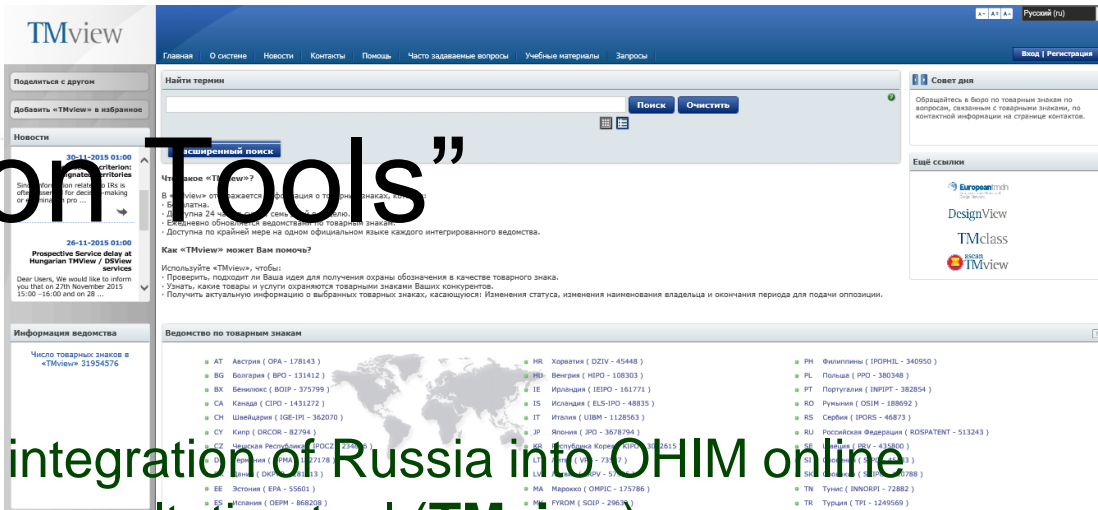
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ᶹ Final (Dec 15);

4.3 Seminar

✓ Completed –Today- (Dec 15)

C5 "Information Tools"

Results

5.1.1. Feasibility study for the integration of Russia into OHIM online Trade Mark public trade mark consultation tool (**TMview**)

5.2.1. Feasibility study for the integration of Russia into OHIM online public designs consultation tool (**Designview)**

5.3. Classification of goods and services

5.3.1. **TMclass** integration document

5.3.2. Access of ROSPATENT to TMclass

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Reporting

- 1 Inception Report
- 5 Progress Reports
- 6 SCM

- Next:
  - Final Report
  - Closing Event

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