



Change of Japan's Official fees for Trademarks

– Official fees reduced for Trademark Registration/Renewal –

It has been 5 years since the previous revision, and the JPO has once again decided to reduce its official fees. As a result of the adjustment, trademark registration fees will be reduced by about 25%, and renewal fees will be reduced by about 20%. The new fees will be effective from April 1, 2016 and will be applied to all registrations and renewal applications thereafter.

Please refer to the table below for the actual fee changes.

Trademark Registration

	Current fees	New fees
Initial 10 years	JPY 37,600 per class	JPY 28,200 per class
Initial 5 years	JPY 21,900 per class	JPY 16,400 per class
The remaining 5 years (*1)	JPY 21,900 per class	JPY 16,400 per class

(*1) ...Only applicable if the initial 5-year registration fee was paid after April 1, 2016.

Trademark Renewal

	Current fees	New fees
10 year renewal	JPY 48,500 per class	JPY 38,800 per class
5 year renewal	JPY 28,300 per class	JPY 22,600 per class
The remaining 5 years (*2)	JPY 28,300 per class	JPY 22,600 per class

(*2) ...Only applicable if 5-year renewal application was filed after April 1, 2016.

Please do not hesitate to contact us for more details.

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