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IPOPHL MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR No. 2020-040A

Subject : AMENDMENTS TO IPOPHL MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 2020-040

IPOPHL Memorandum Circular No. 2020-040 entitled "ADVISORY FOR AUTO-DEBIT PAYMENTS AND U.S. DOLLAR PAYMENTS FOR PATENT COOPERATION TREATY (PCT) AND MADRID PROTOCOL FEES" is hereby amended as follows:

1. The title of IPOPHL Memorandum Circular No. 2020-040 is amended to "ADVISORY FOR AUTO-DEBIT PAYMENTS AND U.S. DOLLAR PAYMENTS FOR PATENT COOPERATION TREATY (PCT) FEES".

2. The paragraph on auto-debit payments is amended as follows:

"Auto-debit payments

"Clients paying through auto-debit arrangement are requested to email a copy of the document or a screenshot showing evidence of the payment made to the email address finance@ipophil.gov.ph. The email shall state the application or registration number **AND THE BREAKDOWN OF THE AMOUNT SPECIFYING THE FEE ITEMS** for which payment is being made. In case of a single payment for multiple applications or registrations, the amount corresponding to each application or registration must be provided."

3. The paragraph on U.S. Dollar payments is amended as follows:

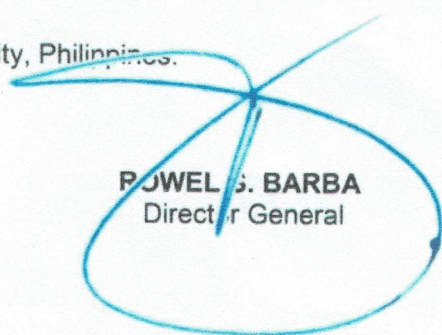
"U.S. Dollar payments

"IPOPHL's online payment facilities are currently unable to accept payments for PCT fees made in U.S. dollars. In this regard, U.S. dollar payments shall be made at the IPOPHL Main Office or through direct deposit."

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately and shall remain effective until further notice. IPOPHL Memorandum Circulars that are inconsistent with the foregoing are deemed modified, superseded, or amended accordingly.

Done this 16th day of September 2020 in Taguig City, Philippines.


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