Summary of the new fees and revised fees under the new patent system

Please note that upon commencement of the Patents (Amendment) Ordinance 2016 and the Patents (General)(Amendment) Rules 2019 on 19

December 2019, the new fees and revised fees will apply to the following new forms and existing forms if such fees are paid on or after that date.

New forms ¹					
Form No.	Descriptions	New fees (HKD)			
OP1	Request for grant of a standard patent (O)	Paper filing: \$480 or E-filing: \$345			
		• Advertisement fee: \$68			
		Additional fee for late payment of filing fee or			
		advertisement fee: \$95			
OP2	Request for substantive examination of a standard patent (O)	\$4,000			
	application				
OP3	Request to review	\$1,700			
OP4	Request for substantive examination of a short-term patent	\$4,000			
OP5	a) Addition of priority claim	a) \$135			
	b) Restoration of priority right	b) \$405			
OP6	Request for hearing	\$1,700			
OP7	Application to amend specification after grant	\$1,700			
OP8	Notice of intention to appear at hearing	\$1,700			

¹ For the new form with No. OP1A and description "Statement of inventorship in respect of a standard patent (O)", no fee is payable.

Existing forms					
Form No.	Descriptions	New fee/revised fees (HKD)	Remarks		
P2	Opposition notice under section 38B(1) or 81Q(1) of the Patents (General) Rules as amended by the Patents (General)(Amendment) Rules 2019	\$1,525	 This is the new fee for filing such type of opposition notice. The fee of \$325 for the other type of opposition notice/counter-statement remains unchanged. 		
P4	Request to record a designated patent application	Filing fee: • Paper filing: \$380 or • E-filing: \$275	 The existing fee whether for paper filing or e-filing is \$380. The existing advertisement fee (\$68) and additional fee for late payment of filing fee or advertisement fee (\$95) remain unchanged. 		
P5	Request for registration of a designated patent and grant of a standard patent	- ditto -	- ditto -		

Form No.	Descriptions	New fee/revised fees (HKD)	Remarks
P6	Request for grant of a	Filing fee:	The existing fee whether for paper filing or e-filing is
	short-term patent	• Paper filing: \$755 or	\$755.
		• E-filing: \$545	• The existing advertisement fee (\$68) and additional fee
			for late payment of filing fee or advertisement fee (\$95)
			remain unchanged.
P10	Request for renewal of a	• 4 th to 10 th year of the 20-	The existing renewal fee for a standard patent for each
	standard patent	year term: \$450	year after expiry of the 3 rd year concerned is \$540.
		• 11 th to 15 th year of the 20-	The existing additional fee for late payment for renewal
		year term: \$620	of a standard patent or a short-term patent (\$270) and the
		• 16 th to 20 th year of the 20-	existing fee for renewal of a short-term patent (\$1,080)
		year term: \$850	remain unchanged.

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