

FIJI - FJ

Jurisdiction - General Information

Fiji is neither a Contracting Party to the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property nor to the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT).

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Online Patent Register and Online Gazette

Fiji does not have an **Online Register** nor an **Online Gazette**.

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Features and search functionalities

Not applicable

Additional Information

Particularities of patent protection in Fiji

According to the Patent Act approved in 2021 the duration of a patent is 20 years from the patent date.

Even if the Patent Act 1879 has been repealed, it still applies to applications filed before the entry into force of the new Act. The Patent Act 1879 allowed the registration in Fiji of a United Kingdom (GB) patent (including a European patent validated in GB) in Fiji within three years of the date of issue of the GB patent.

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