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PATENTS ACT
(Chapter 262)

PATENTS (AMENDMENT) RULES, 2026

ARRANGEMENT OF RULES

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In exercise of the power conferred by section 112 of the Patents Act, the Attorney General, after consultation with the Registry and with the approval of His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan, hereby makes the following Rules —

Citation and commencement

1. These Rules may be cited as the Patents (Amendment) Rules, 2026 and shall be deemed to have commenced on 1st January 2024.

Amendment of rule 2 of R 1 of Chapter 262

2. Rule 2 of the Patents Rules, in these Rules referred to as the principal Rules, is amended, in subrule (3) —

(a) by deleting "and" where it appears for the second time and by substituting a comma therefor;

(b) by adding "and the Intellectual Property Office of the Philippines".

Amendment of Schedule 1

3. Schedule 1 to the principal Rules is amended, in item 60, by adding the following new paragraph —

"(d) where the Examiner is the Intellectual 2600".

Property Office of the Philippines

Made this 25th. day of Zulhijjah, 1447 Hijriah corresponding to the 11th. day of June, 2026.

**DATIN SERI PADUKA DAYANG HAJAH NOR HASHIMAH
BINTI HAJI MUHAMMED TAIB
Attorney General.**