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50 billion

According to a report investigating impact of foreign technical measures to trade on Chinese export by the General Administration of Quality Supervision, Inspection and Quarantine, Chinese companies suffered direct loss of 50 billion USD due to the measures in 2008.

500 亿美元

根据中国国家质检总局公布 的 2008 年国外技术性贸易措施 对中国出口企业影响调查的报告 显示,2008年,中国出口贸易直接 损失超过500亿美元。

29,804

In the first half of 2009, software registrations grew rapidly. The China Copyright Protection Center received 29,804 applications for registration, up 112.9%; approved 28,748, up 100.4%.

2.9804 万件

2009年上半年,中国软件著 作权登记量继续呈现快速增长态 势。中国版权保护中心共受理软 件著作权登记申请 2.9804 万件, 同比增长112.9%;批准软件著作 权登记 2.8748 万件, 同比增长

65 million

Jinan Jicheng Electric Company signed an agreement with Qilu Bank to pledge its 25 software copyrights as collateral and obtained 65 million yuan in loan.

6500 万元

日前,济南积成电子股份有 限公司与齐鲁银行签署协议,以 其拥有的 25 件软件著作权作为 质押物,获得贷款6500万元。

40.25 million

In 2008, Pudong Branch of Shanghai Police took 38 IPR violations worth 40.25 million yuan, recovered 50.97 million yuan of proceeds, apprehended 27 criminal suspects and handed 20 over for prosecution.

4025 万元

2008年,上海市公安局浦东 分局共受理侵犯知识产权类案件 38起,涉案总值达4025万元,追缴 金额 5097 万元, 共抓获犯罪嫌疑 人27人,目前已移送起诉20人。

The molecular immune pharmacology lab of Kunming Institute of Zoology of the Chinese Academy of Sciences made breakthrough progress in essential technology for anti HIV agents. From 2004 to 2008, the project group solely and jointly filed 17 Chinese or foreign applications and obtained 5 invention patents, 1 of which had successfully been assigned at the price of 15 million yuan.

17 件

近日,从中国科学院昆明动 物研究所传来喜讯,该所分子免 疫药理学实验室的"抗 HIV 药物 研发关键技术建立及应用"的项 目取得了突破性进展。2004年至 2008年,该项目组独立和合作申 请国内外发明专利17件,获权 5件发明专利。其中1件发明专利 以 1500 万元成功转让。

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Shanghai courts step up IPR protection for Expo

上海法院将加大涉世博知识产权司法保护

hanghai High People's Court released the Several Opinions on Shanghai Courts' Service and Support to 2010 Expo in Beijing on July 7. Court Vice President Shen Zhixian said, Shanghai court system has established a special proceeding, an Expo tribunal in Pudong New District Court and designated the same court to hear IPR cases during and after the Expo.

Shanghai courts vow to serve and support the 2010 Expo with dedication to all details, according to Shen. The Expo organizers and participants' marks, derivative products, exhibition halls design, creativity, display technology, exhibits, label and promotional documents are among the issues in their crosshairs. Those Expo-related franchising contract disputes and unauthorized sponsorship are also among the issues. Legitimate interests of IPR holders will be upheld. (by Huang Wei)

本报讯 7月7日上午,上海 市高级人民法院在京发布了《上 海法院积极服务保障 2010 年世 博会若干意见》。上海市高级人民 法院副院长沈志先在新闻发布会 上表示, 为更好地服务和保障世 博会,上海法院建立了专项审理 制度,在浦东新区法院成立世博 法庭,并指定浦东新区法院管辖

举办和撤展期间园区内发生的知 识产权等案件。

沈志先表示,上海将服务保障 2010年世博会,要依法认真受理、 裁判、执行好世博会筹办、举办和 撤展期间因世博事项发生的知识 产权等案件。要依法采取证据保 全、财产保全、证据调查、现场勘查 等措施,有效保护世博会组织者、 参展者的标志标识、衍生产品、展 馆设计、布展创意、展示技术、展 品、包装标示、宣传文件等知识产 特许经营合同纠纷,加强对构成侵 权的假冒赞助商营销行为的司法 规制,有效保障涉世博案件相关利

益主体的知识产权等。





PEPSI confronts Henan free rider

百事可乐状告河南百事"傍名牌"

hengzhou (Henan) Intermediate People's Court heard PEPSI's trademark infringement and unfair competition allegation against Henan 百事 (pronounces Bai-shi, PEPSI in Chinese).

PEPSI claims the registration of 百事 as a trade name by the defendant constitutes unfair competi-The defendant's substantial use of 百事 in its website, packaging and promotional materials also infringes PEPSI's trademark right. PEPSI sought injunction and 500,000 yuan in damages.

The defendant argues it legally registered its trade name with Zhengzhou Administration for Industry and Commerce. The trademark on the packaging and bottle label of its beverage products is 甜 在心. On some products, even when 百事甜在心 and 百事饮品 are used, the two words 百事 are used in smaller font to minimize presence. No trademark infringement or unfair competition is constituted.

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We will follow the developments of (by Li Jianwei) the case.

本报讯 7月2日,河南省郑州 市中级人民法院开庭审理了美国百 事公司(以下简称美国百事)状告河 南百事饮品有限公司(以下简称河南 百事)商标侵权及不正当竞争案。

原告代理人认为,被告使用"百 事"作为企业字号登记,构成不正当 竞争,还在其网站、包装物、广告宣传 品上大量使用"百事"标志,侵犯了原 告"百事可乐"的商标专用权。原告请 求法院判令被告河南百事立即停止 商标侵权行为,停止使用含有"百事" 字号的企业名称,赔偿原告经济损失 人民币 50 万元。

被告辩称,其公司名称是在郑州 市工商行政管理局合法登记注册的。 其生产销售的饮品包装箱、瓶贴图案 设等使用的商标为"甜在心",个别品 种上使用了"百事甜在心"、"百事饮 品"字样,也是特意将"百事"二字字 体尽量缩小,并未突出使用,根本不 会构成商标侵权和不正当竞争。法院 未当庭宣判此案。

> 本报将持续关注案件的进展。 (李建伟)

(Courtesy: China Daily) 6月28日,中国建造的世界最先进首座圆筒型超深水海洋钻探储油平台在南通中远船务工程有限公司命名,并 将于8月交付使用。 中国日报 供图 Users satisfy with patent examination quality

veiled during a launching ceremony in Nantong on June 28. It will be put into use in August.

The Sevan Driller, the world's first cylinder-shaped deep sea water crude oil rig and bulky storage platform,

which is constructed by the Nantong Shipyard under China Ocean Shipping (Group) Company (COSCO), is un-

2008年度专利审查质量满意度调查结果发布

中国公众对专利审查质量较为满意

IPO users acknowledging the national patent authority's performance by giving 77.3 points to its patent examination quality, according to a SIPO survey for 2008.

In early 2009, SIPO hired a survey agency to invite patent applicants, right holders, professionals and invalidation petitioners to comment on its patent examination quality in 2008. The survey drew in 2,576 interviews via face-to-face dialogue, telephone and email.

Results show users are satisfied with the comfort, security and accuracy of patent examination and demands improvements in time, cost and consistency. When segmenting different stages of examination, they recognize the quality of PCT international search and international examination, patent reception and procedure management.

(by Zhuo Ma) 本报讯 近日,中国国家知 识产权局 2008 年度专利审查质 量满意度调查结果发布。调查结 果显示,公众对中国国家知识产 权局的专利审查工作十分关注, 对当前的审查质量较为满意,满 意度指数为77.3。

据了解,2009年初,中国国家 知识产权局委托专业调查机构,开 展了 2008 年度专利审查质量满意 度调查活动。调查对象包括专利申 请人、专利权人、专利代理机构以及 无效请求人等,通过面访、电话和电 子邮件等多种调查形式, 共访问 2576 人次。

调查总体结果显示, 受访者对 专利审查的舒适性、安全性和正确 性比较满意,对时间性、经济性和一 致性仍有改进需求; 从专利审查各 阶段来看,PCT 国际检索和国际初 审、专利受理和事务处理的满意度 较高,得到受访者的充分认可。

Principles of Asset Appraisal-Intangible Asset effective from July 《资产评估准则——无形资产》 7月起正式实施

he new principles for appraisal of IP assets- Principles of Asset Appraisal-Intangible Asset became effective from July.

It defines intangible assets which include recognizable ones, such as patent right, trademark right, copyright, know-how, sales network, client list, franchising right, contract interests, and unrecognizable ones such as business reputation. Among them, sales network and client list are newly added. The new principles require evaluators to choose one or several methods of evaluation (analysis of return, market or cost) based on objective of evaluation, objects of evaluation, types of value and collected materials.

The two aforementioned provisions of China's Anti-monopoly Law, the Procedural Provisions for Industrial and Commercial Authorities Handling Cases Involving Monopoly Agreements or the Abuse of a Dominant Position and the Procedural Provisions for Industrial and Commercial Authorities Restricting Activities that Limit Free Competition by Abusing Their Powers, have became effective since Ju-

7月1日,涉及中国知识产权资 产评估的新准则——《资产评估准 则——无形资产》正式实施。

《资产评估准则——无形资产》 科学界定了无形资产内涵,既包括专 利权、商标权、著作权、专有技术、销 售网络、客户关系、特许经营权、合同 权益等可辨认无形资产,又包括商誉 等不可辨认无形资产,同时将销售网 络、客户关系等新型无形资产纳入规 范范围。该规则要求自测资产评估师 执行无形资产评估业务,应当根据评 估目的、评估对象、价值类型、资料收 集情况等相关条件,分析收益法、市 场法和成本法的实用性,恰当选择一 种或者多种资产评估方法。

此外,中国反垄断法两个配套规 章《工商行政管理机关查处垄断协 议、滥用市场支配地位案件程序规 定》和《工商行政管理机关制止滥用 行政权力排除、限制竞争行为程序规 定》已于7月1日起施行。

Financial crisis shrinks trademark international filings 金融危机致商标国际注册申请量下降

ccording to the Trademark Office (TMO) under the State Administration for Industry and Commerce, applications international registration of trademarks sank between January and May 2009 compared with the same period last year. Chinese users filed 712 applications for international registration via the TMO, down 11.2% from 802 of the same period in 2008. Foreign users filed 6,018 applications for territorial extension of international

registration via the World Intellectual Property Organization, down 5.8% from 6,391.

Financial crisis is the most direct factor causing the drop. If the situation does not improve, it is inevitable that major countries across the world will see negative

(by Che Wenqiu) 本报讯 近日,记者从中国国 家工商行政管理总局商标局获悉, 2009年1月至5月,商标国际注册 申请量与去年同期相比出现了下

降。其中,中国国内申请人通过商标 局提出的国际注册申请为712件, 比去年同期(802件)下降 11.2%;国 外申请人通过世界知识产权组织国 际局转交的马德里商标国际注册领 土延伸申请为6018件,比去年同期 (6391件)下降 5.8%。

有关专家表示,金融危机是影 响商标国际注册申请量下降的最直 接因素。如果这种趋势在下半年没 有根本改观,2009年全年各主要国 家的商标国际注册申请量与去年同 期相比出现负增长将在所难免。

(车文秋)