

Introduction to Intellectual Property

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Symbols,
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Images**



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Indications**

**Trade
Secrets**

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photographs **books**
 recordings **drawings**
 choreography **paintings**
 poetry **movies**

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- **Exclusive rights**
- **Economic rights**
- **Moral rights**



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(54) **Rooibos and inflammation**

(57) The present invention relates to the field of inflammatory disorders. In particular the present invention relates to rooibos and rooibos extracts as well as to their use to produce health benefits.

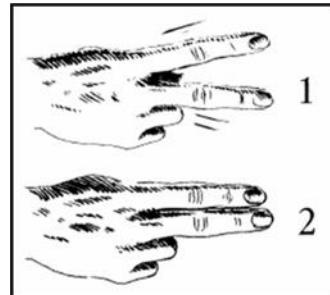
One embodiment of the present invention relates to

the use of a composition comprising *Aspalathus linearis* or an extract thereof for the preparation of a product to treat and/or prevent inflammatory disorders.

Patent

- Novel
- Inventive step (non obvious)
- Industrially applicable





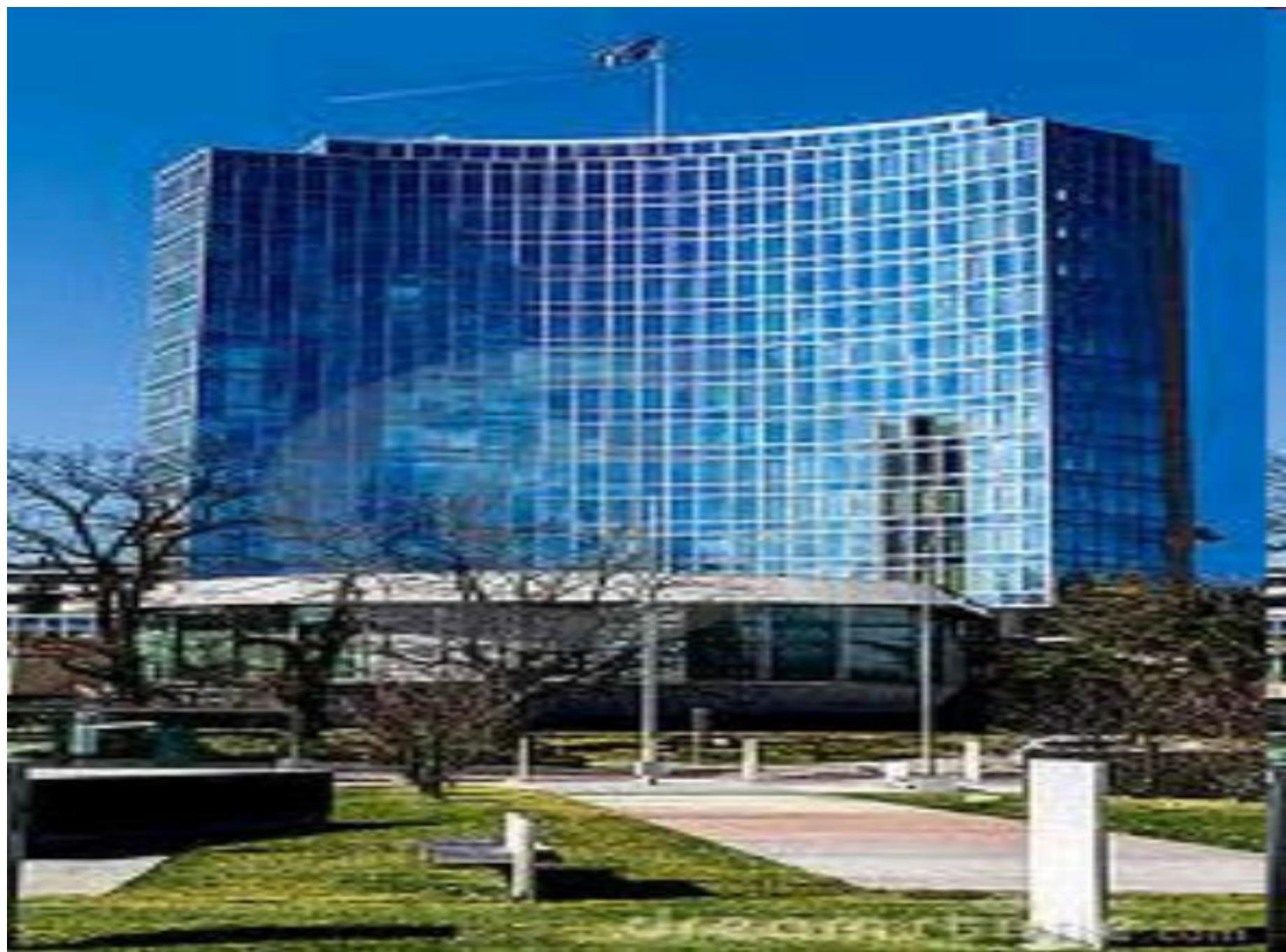
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- **Distinctive**
- **Not deceptive**



Geographical Indicators

- **Sign used on goods that have a specific geographical origin**
- **Possess qualities or a reputation due to that place of origin**



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Related Rights

- Protect people or organisations that add substantial creative, technical or organisational skill in the process of bringing the work to the public
- Associated with copyright
- Protection is automatic

Industrial Design



- Ornamental or aesthetic
- Three dimensional or two dimensional
- Handicrafts, jewelry, electrical appliances, housewares

Industrial Design

- **New or original**
- **Industrial application**

Protecting a Industrial Design

- Registered under industrial design law
- Copyright protection
- Unfair competition