

SUPPLEMENTARY PROTECTION CERTIFICATES AND PATENT TERM EXTENSIONS

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1. Country code page

1. Please enter the two-letter country code corresponding to your Office or Organization.

MD

2. Questions page

2. 1. Does your Office/Organization provide SPCs or PTEs?

Yes

2. If you have answered "NO" to Question 1, will your Office/Organization start providing SPCs or PTEs in the future?

Comments:

3. 3. Please specify for which products an SPC or PTE can be obtained (or are planned to be introduced):

medicinal products

4. 3a. Please describe the requirements for granting SPCs or PTEs.

Examples:

the product has been protected by a patent,

the product has been subject to a regulatory review procedure before its commercial marketing or use,

an SPC or PTE has never been granted on the product.

If available, please provide a link to guidelines on filing applications for SPCs or PTEs.

LAW on the Protection of Inventions No. 50-XVI of March 7, 2008 Article 71. Conditions for Grant of a Certificate a) the product is protected by a basic patent valid in the Republic of Moldova; b) the product was granted an effective authorization for marketing as a medicinal or phytopharmaceutical product; c) the product is not yet a subject-matter of a certificate in the Republic of Moldova; d) the authorization mentioned in letter b) is the first authorization for marketing in the Republic of Moldova of the respective product as a medicinal or phytopharmaceutical product.

http://agepi.gov.md/sites/default/files/law/national/l_50_2008-en.pdf

5. 4. Please specify the legal basis for granting SPCs or PTEs. For example, relevant provisions of the national law (article or rule number), regional regulation, decrees, ordinances etc.

If legal grounds are different for the objects indicated in Question 3, please list all of them, indicating corresponding products.

LAW on the Protection of Inventions No. 50-XVI of March 7, 2008 Article 69-72 and REGULATIONS on the Procedure of Filing and Examination of a Patent Application and of Grant of a Patent article 426-440

6. 5. Please give the name(s) of the SPCs or PTEs granted by your Office/Organization in both English and the original language.

Example: DE – Supplementary Protection Certificate (in German: "Ergänzendes Schutzzertifikat").

If names are different for the products indicated in Question 3, please list all of the protections, indicating corresponding products.

7. 6. If your Office/Organization assigns (or intends to assign) a specific application and/or grant/registration number to SPCs or PTEs, please give examples and details of:

the numbering system for applications:: c 2019 0001

the numbering system for registration or grant (if different from the above):: MD M 0001

Comments:

8. 7. Does your Office/Organization or other relevant national authority publish, or intend to publish, one or more of the following events for an SPC or PTE?

	MEDICINAL PRODUCTS	PLANT PROTECTION PRODUCTS	ALL PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO REGULATORY APPROVAL FOR MARKETING	OTHER
Request (application) for an SPC or PTE filed				
SPC or PTE granted	X			
SPC or PTE not granted				
SPC or PTE opposed by third parties				
SPC or PTE came into force	X			
SPC or PTE ceased because of a lapse or expiry	X			
Extension of SPC term requested				
Extension of SPC term granted	X			
Extension of SPC term not granted				

Comments:

9. 8a. In what form is the corresponding event published?

as part of an Official Gazette

by opening the document for public inspection

10. 8b. What are the minimum elements that this publication must contain?

application number

filing date

name and address of the applicant

number of the relevant patent

title of the invention

name of the product

authorization details

date of the SPC or PTE authorization

11. 8c. What is the planned timetable for publishing this information?

within 2 months from the date of sending of the decision of grant the supplementary protection certificate

12. 8d. Please attach an example(s) of published events and/or of corresponding announcements.

Comments: In the Republic of Moldova at the moment we do not have any medicinal products protected by a complementary protection certificate

13. 9. Does your Office/Organization or other relevant national authority publish (or intend to publish) the announcement of state changes for an SPC or PTE as defined in WIPO Standard ST.27?

	MEDICINAL PRODUCTS	PLANT PROTECTION PRODUCTS	ALL PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO REGULATORY APPROVAL FOR MARKETING	OTHER
Changed to "Active"				
Changed to "Not active"				
Changed to "Terminated"				

14. 10a. In what form is the announcement related to the state change published?

15. 10b. What are the minimum elements that this publication must contain?

16. 10c. What is the planned timetable for publishing this information?

17. 10d. Please attach a specimen(s) of corresponding announcements.