AGREEMENT
between the Industrial Property Office of
the Republic of Slovenia and
the State Patent Bureau of the Republic of Lithuania

Recognizing the necessity of effective legal protection of industrial property, to
develop stable relations based on confidence, and wishing to promote the development of
economic, scientific and technical cooperation between the Republic of Slovenia and the
Republic of Lithuania, the Industrial Property Protection Office of the Republic of
Slovenia and the State Patent Bureau of the Republic of Lithuania, hereinafter referred to
as "Parties" have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The Parties shall cooperate in the field of legal protection of industrial property,
paying due respect to international treaties and agreements.

Article 2

The Parties:

- shall establish and seek to improve mutual cooperation related to patents on the
  basis of work programmes set up for a two years period;

- within the scope of this Agreement, the Parties shall render reciprocal assistance
  in dealing with the tasks facing them.

The cooperation under this Agreement will mainly relate to protection of
trademarks, industrial designs, inventions, training of employees, exchange of patent
documentation and information.

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Article 3

Cooperation between the Parties shall take the following forms:

- exchange of visits of experts with the purpose of getting acquainted with the experience gained and methods of work used;

- organization of conferences, seminars, workshops, discussions on the protection of industrial property;

- exchange of Official Bulletins and Annual Reports of both Parties;

- consult each other and share information on the extension of European patents in both countries.

Article 4

This Agreement shall be effective as of from its signing date. With the mutual consent of both Parties, this Agreement can be modified and supplemented.

The duration of this Agreement shall be five years. It can be extended for another five years unless any of the Parties no later than three months until its termination shall announce about its intention to terminate it.

Done in Geneva this 30th day of September 1994 in two copies in English.

For the Industrial Property Protection Office of the Republic of Slovenia

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