

Japan Industrial Imaging Association Procedures for the Handling of Industrial Property Right

Established on October 17, 2006

Limited Liability Non-profit Mutual Benefit Corporation

Japan Industrial Imaging Association

1. Purpose:

Japan Industrial Imaging Association (hereinafter referred to as "JIIA") shall set forth the "Procedures for the Handling of Industrial Property Right" governs the handling and other works, by JIIA members (corporations, public bodies and individuals), of industrial property right (hereinafter referred to as "IPR") relating to the intellectual property in the activities of Working Groups.

2. Intended IPR:

IPR set forth in these provisions shall be essential for implementation of the contents in the activities of each Working Group of JIIA and shall refer to the following rights.

- (1) Patent right
- (2) Utility model right
- (3) Trademark right
- (4) Design right

In addition, copyright shall be specified separately.

3. Scope of Application:

These provisions shall apply to all members who participate in the activities of each Working Group of JIIA. However, the organizations which are approved by the Board of Directors of JIIA and consent to these provisions shall be included in the scope.

4. Presentation of IPR:

If any JIIA member participating in the activities of a Working Group already owns the IPR (including the case of publication before examination of an application. The same shall apply hereinafter.) relating to the discussion theme in the Working Group, said effect shall be presented and described in the minutes.

5. Request for Presentation of IPR:

Each member, when knows that any other member owns IPR relating to the standardization theme deliberated in the Working Group, may request to the owner

member for presentation thereof.

6. Proposal Pertaining to Intellectual Property during Activity Period:

In the case of the standardization being deliberated by utilizing of existing or public domain technology, regarding the IPR already owned and relating to the contents proposed by each member in the Working Group activities, the ownership or application shall be inform in the Working Group .

In the case of the standardization being promoted by new technology or method, or by added those technology or method, the proposer of the ideas shall be desirable to apply for IPR by their own judgment in advance. The handling after having been proposed in the Working Group shall be specified in paragraph 10.

7. Submission of Confirmation Concerning Licensing of Presented IPR:

Regarding the handling of the IPR presented pursuant to the provision of prescribed in paragraph 4, paragraph 5 and paragraph 6, JIIA members shall submit the attached Form (1) "Industrial Property Right Licensing Confirmation", to the Secretariat of JIIA.

8. Licensing of Presented IPR:

Regarding licensing of the IPR presented in the Working Group activities of JIIA, the owner shall select either between two following terms and fill out the "Industrial Property Right Licensing Confirmation" specified in paragraph 7.

(1) Grant license(s) without demanding payment of any consideration or offering any special return.

(2) Grant license(s) with offering to the extent generally deemed acceptable consideration or deemed appropriate terms and conditions as commonly used in license agreements.

9. Response of the Case License(s) is/are not Granted:

Notwithstanding the preceding paragraph, if members decide not to grant license(s) of the IPR owned by their corporation, the members shall promptly submit said effect in writing to the Working Group Leader. The Working Group Leader shall report immediately to the Secretariat, hold the Board of Directors and decide if said IPR is essential for standardization. If necessary, the Board of Directors shall take subsequent measures.

10. Handling of Application for IPR, Property and License:

When JIIA decides to apply for a patent concerning new technology produced from deliberations in each Working Group activity, the invention in which one member participate alone shall be applied for by the member alone, and the invention in which two or more members participate shall be applied for jointly by the members through mutual consultation.

The applicant shall retain ownership, but grant the license(s) to members with fair, non-discriminatory and reasonable terms and conditions in view of the purposes and objects of JIIA and its Working Group activities.

11. Dispute Pertaining to IPR:

By results of industrialization and other works, based on the specifications, guidelines and other bylaws set forth by JIIA, JIIA shall be not obligated to evaluate or confirm whether enforcement of the IPR owned by a member or third party is needed or not.

Any disputes pertaining to the above shall be responded to by said industrialization parties on their own responsibility and at their own expense.

12. Operation of Trademark, Logo and Other Things:

Operation of trademark, logo and other things of JIIA shall be governed by the provisions of the operation of logo and other things set forth separately.

13. Confidentiality:

The members participating in JIIA shall not disclose the subject matters discussed in each Working Group activity to others, except each member's company organization necessary to accomplish its operations.

Each member shall enter into the nondisclosure contract with JIIA pursuant to the attached sheet (2) specified separately.

14. Disclosure of Standards:

If a standard is established through Working Group activities of JIIA, the specification shall be disclosed to the public. However, method of disclosure, grant of license(s) and handling of charge or no charge shall be deliberated separately in each case.

15. Amendment to these Procedures:

Amendment of these provisions shall require a resolution of the Board of Directors.

(Form 1)

To: The Secretariat of the Industrial Imaging Association

Date of submission:

Industrial Property Right Licensing Confirmation

Submitted by:
Corporation
Name

Seal or Signature

Department
Address

Based on the “Procedures for the Handling of Industrial Property Right” of the Industrial Imaging Association, I shall confirm the selection of either of the following handlings prescribed in paragraph “7. Submission of Confirmation Concerning Licensing of Presented IPR:” thereof, concerning the following industrial property right(s) which is/are essential to be used by the standard(s) or specification(s) of the Industrial Imaging Association described herein below.

- () (1) Grant license(s) without demanding payment of any consideration or offering any special return.
- () (2) Grant license(s) with offering to the extent generally deemed acceptable consideration or such deemed appropriate terms and conditions as commonly used in license agreements.

Description

1. Name of the corresponding standard(s) or specification(s) as described in the Annex 1
2. Information of the designated industrial property right(s) as described in the Annex 1
3. Attached documents (if necessary)

List of the Industrial Property Right(s) to be Present

(Annex 1)

Application Filing Date / Creation Date

Application Number

Kokai Publication Date / Announcement Date

Kokai Publication Number) / Registration Number

Name:

Specification:

(Overseas Application/Registration)