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⁻ The expression "industrial design" covers designs and models.

Information related to design patent activities reported by industrial property offices issuing design patents is included in this series of documents.

Annual Technical Report on Industrial Design Information Activities of the Federal Intellectual Property Office of Yugoslavia in 1999

I. Evolution of registration activities:

In 1999, the number of both, national and applications filed under the Hague Agreement has encreased. Due to the fact that during 1999, because of the war situation, Industrial Designs Department of the Yugoslav Federal Intellectual Property Office was not able to work normaly, the number of registered national applications has drammatically decreased in comparation with previous year.

Filed Industrial Design Applications:

Year	Hague Agreement	National	Total
1997	754	177	931
1998	810	131	941
1999	824	154	978

Registered Industrial Design Applications:

Year	Hague Agreement	National	Total
1997	754	70	824
1998	810	129	939
1999	824	24	848

II. Matters concerning the generation, reproduction and distribution of industrial design documents and of secondary sources of industrial design information, i.e., official gazettes:

In the Official Gazette "Intellectual Property Journal" which is published bimonthly by the Federal Intellectual Property Office of Yugoslavia approximattly 200 registered nationaly filed industrial designs were published, in grayscale technique only.

Computerized data base for the nationally applied industrial designs is still under formation. At this moment all data considering nationally applied and registered industrial designs during 1998, 1999 and 2000 are fully operational.

III. Matters concerning classifying, reclassifying and indexing of industrial design information according to the classification systems applied:

Nothing new to report.

IV. Search file establishment and upkeep:

Nothing new to report.

V.	Activities in the field of computerized search systems for industrial designs:
No	othing new to report.
VI	Administration of industrial design services available to the public (relating to facilities, e.g., for lodging applications, registering designs, assisting clients with search procedures, obtaining official publications and registry extracts):
No	othing new to report.

VII. Matters concerning mutual exchange of industrial design documentation and information:

During 1999, the Official Gazette of the Federal Intellectual Property Office of Yugoslavia, "Intellectual Property Journal" has been delivered to the following countries:

AM, AT, AU, BE, BG, BR, BY, CA, CH, CN, CO, CU, CZ, DK, DZ, EG, FI, FR, GB, GR, HU, IN, IT, JA, LI, LT, LY, MK, NL, NO, PL, RO, RU, SE, SI, TR, UA, US.

The Office has received gazettes from the following countries: AM, AT, BG, BR, BY, CH, CZ, DE, FR, GB, HR, HU, JP, LT, MK, NO, PL, RO, RU, SI, TJ, TR, WIPO.

VIII. Matters concerning education and training including technical assistance to developing countries:

Nothing to report.

IX. Other relevant matters.

Nothing to report.