This is an unofficial translation of the amendments in the Norwegian Regulation on Fees, that will enter into force 1. March 2024.

Should there be any differences between this translation and the authentic Norwegian text, the decision will be made on the basis of the authentic Norwegian text.

The original regulation on change in Norwegian: <u>Forskrift om endring i</u> betalingsforskriften - Lovdata

Section 9. The following fees shall be paid to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office for an application for registration of a trademark, cf. the Trademarks Act Section 12:

application fee, trademark
 NOK 3,800, and

2. additional fee for each class in excess of one, trademark NOK 1,000.

Section 14. The following fees shall be paid to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office for a request for renewal of a trademark, cf. the Trademarks Act Section 33:

1. renewal fee NOK 3,400, and

2. additional fee for each class in excess of one NOK 1,300.

Section 21. For an applications for a patent, cf. the Patents Act Section 8 fifth paragraph, and for a European patent application that is converted into a national application, cf. the Patents Act Section 66 m second paragraph, the following fees shall be paid to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office:

1. application fee NOK 6,050, and

2. additional fee for each patent claim in excess of ten NOK 325.

When the applicant is an individual or a small business, or several such jointly when, combined, they do not have more full-time equivalents than specified in the third paragraph first sentence, the following fees shall be paid to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office:

1. application fee NOK **1,100**, and

2. additional fee for each patent claim in excess of ten NOK **325.**

Section 25. A grant fee pursuant to the Patents Act Section 20 first paragraph first sentence shall be paid for the granting of a patent. The grant fee covers up to 14 pages. An additional fee shall be paid for each page in excess of 14. If new patent claims have been received after the application's filing date or the date on which the application is deemed to have been filed, so that the number of claims exceeds the number for which application fees have been paid pursuant to Section 21 of this Regulation, an additional fee shall also be paid for each such new patent claim.

The following fees shall be paid to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office for the granting of a patent:

1. grant fee **NOK 1,600,**

2. additional fee for each new patent claim NOK 330, and

3. additional fee for each page in excess of 14, with the exception of sequence lists, which are exempt from the page fee

Section 29. Annual fees for patent applications and patents, cf. the Patents Act Section 8 fifth paragraph, cf. Sections 33 and 40, shall be paid at the following rates:

1st fee year	NOK 910
2nd fee year	NOK 910
3rd fee year	NOK 910
4th fee year	NOK 1,760
5th fee year	NOK 2,150
6th fee year	NOK 2,600
7th fee year	NOK 2,860
8th fee year	NOK 3,320
9th fee year	NOK 3,710
10th fee year	NOK 4,160
11th fee year	NOK 4,550
12th fee year	NOK 5,010
13th fee year	NOK 5,460
14th fee year	NOK 5,850
15th fee year	NOK 6,310
16th fee year	NOK 6,760
17th fee year	NOK 7,150
18th fee year	NOK 7,540
19th fee year	NOK 8,060
20th fee year	NOK 8,450

Section 32. Upon submission of a translation as mentioned in the Patents Act section 66 c first paragraph, cf. second paragraph, the patent holder must pay a fee of **NOK 7,150** if the patent is to have effect or be maintained in amended form in this country.

If the prescribed fee is not paid within the time limit set by the Norwegian Industrial Property Office, the European patent shall not be valid in this country or shall cease to be valid.

Section 36. For international patent applications that are forwarded pursuant to the Patents Act Section 31, cf. Section 8 fifth paragraph, the following fees shall be paid to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office:

1. application fee NOK 6,050, and

2. additional fee for each patent claim in excess of ten **NOK 330.**

For applicants as mentioned in Section 21 second and third paragraphs, the following rates shall nonetheless apply:

1. application fee NOK 1,110, and

2. additional fee for each patent claim in excess of ten NOK 330.

If the application enters the national phase in accordance with the Norwegian Patents Act Section 31 first paragraph and it includes one or more inventions that have not been subject to an international novelty search, cf. the Patents Act Section 36, or if the application includes one or more invention that have not been subject to a preliminary international examination, cf. the Patents Act Section 37, a specific additional fee of **NOK 6,050** shall be paid.

Section 43. The following fees shall be paid to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office for an application for registration of a design, cf. the Designs Act Section 13:

1. application fee NOK 2,470,

2. multiple registration fee for each design in excess of one NOK 1,690,

Section 49. The following fees shall be paid to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office for the renewal of the registration of a design pursuant to the Designs Act Section 24:

renewal fee for first renewal
 NOK 3,770.

2. renewal fee for second renewal NOK 4,550,

3. renewal fee for third renewal NOK 5,330,

4. renewal fee for fourth renewal NOK 6,500,

6. multiple registration fee for each design in excess of one for which **NOK 1,690**, the registration is renewed