

Intellectual Property Office of Singapore Registry of Plant Varieties Circular No. 2/2024: Excluded Days from 1 to 16 May 2024

Excluded Days from 1 to 16 May 2024 (Circular No. 2/2024, dated 8 May 2024)

Excluded Days

Further to <u>Circular No. 1/2024</u> dated 1 April 2024 and in response to feedback received from stakeholders, the Registrar has issued <u>Registries Practice Direction No. 2 of 2024</u> (the "PD") to supersede <u>Registries Practice Direction No. 1 of 2024</u>. The PD specifies that the period of 1 to 13 May 2024 (both dates inclusive) are excluded days for all business under the IP Acts and Rules, except for the business listed in Section A, paragraph 6 of the PD. It further specifies that 14 to 16 May 2024 (both dates inclusive) are excluded days for all business under the IP Acts and Rules, where the time for doing the business expires on any of these dates and where the business was not done by the date upon which the time for such business expires.

The additional period of excluded days from 14 to 16 May 2024 will allow users to progressively carry out transactions on IPOS Digital Hub and IPOS Go mobile app following the resumption of these services on 14 May 2024.

For clarification on the above, you may send us an email at ipos_enquiry@ipos.gov.sg.

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