

**Government of India
Department of Industrial
Policy and Promotion
Ministry Of Commerce and
Industry**



**Office of the Controller
General of Patents, Designs &
Trademarks**

Trademark Registration in India

The Trademarks page on the website of the Intellectual Property Office, India can be accessed
at http://ipindia.nic.in/tmr_new/default.htm



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL http://ipindia.nic.in/tmr_new/default.htm. The page header includes the Government of India logo, the Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, and the Ministry of Commerce and Industry. The main header features the Intellectual Property India logo and the Office of the Controller General of Patents, Designs & Trademarks. The page title is "Trademarks". A navigation menu at the top includes links for Home, Madrid Protocol, Comprehensive eFiling Services for Trade Marks, Trade Marks Journal, Public Search, Trade Mark Status, Current News, Other Related Links, and Help Desk. The left sidebar contains a list of links under "General Information" and "Other Information". The main content area is titled "BRIEF BACKGROUND" and contains three paragraphs of text. Below the text are two links: "Proposed Trade Marks Manual for Comments" and "Revised Draft Manual Of Trademarks Practice and Procedure". At the bottom of the page, there are two images of the office building and the text "भारत सरकार व्यापार चिन्ह रजिस्ट्री". The footer includes links for Patents, Designs, Trade Marks, and Geographical Indications.

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BRIEF BACKGROUND

The Trade Marks Registry was established in India in 1940 and presently it administers the Trade Marks Act, 1999 and the rules thereunder. It acts as a resource and information centre and is a facilitator in matters relating to trade marks in the country.

The objective of the Trade Marks Act, 1999 is to register trade marks applied for in the country and to provide for better protection of trade mark for goods and services and also to prevent fraudulent use of the mark.

The main function of the Registry is to register trade marks which qualifies for registration under the Act and Rules.

Proposed Trade Marks Manual for Comments
- Comments on Trade Marks Manual

Revised Draft Manual Of Trademarks Practice and Procedure

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REGISTER YOUR TRADE MARK

And

Secure Your Goodwill By Registering Your Mark

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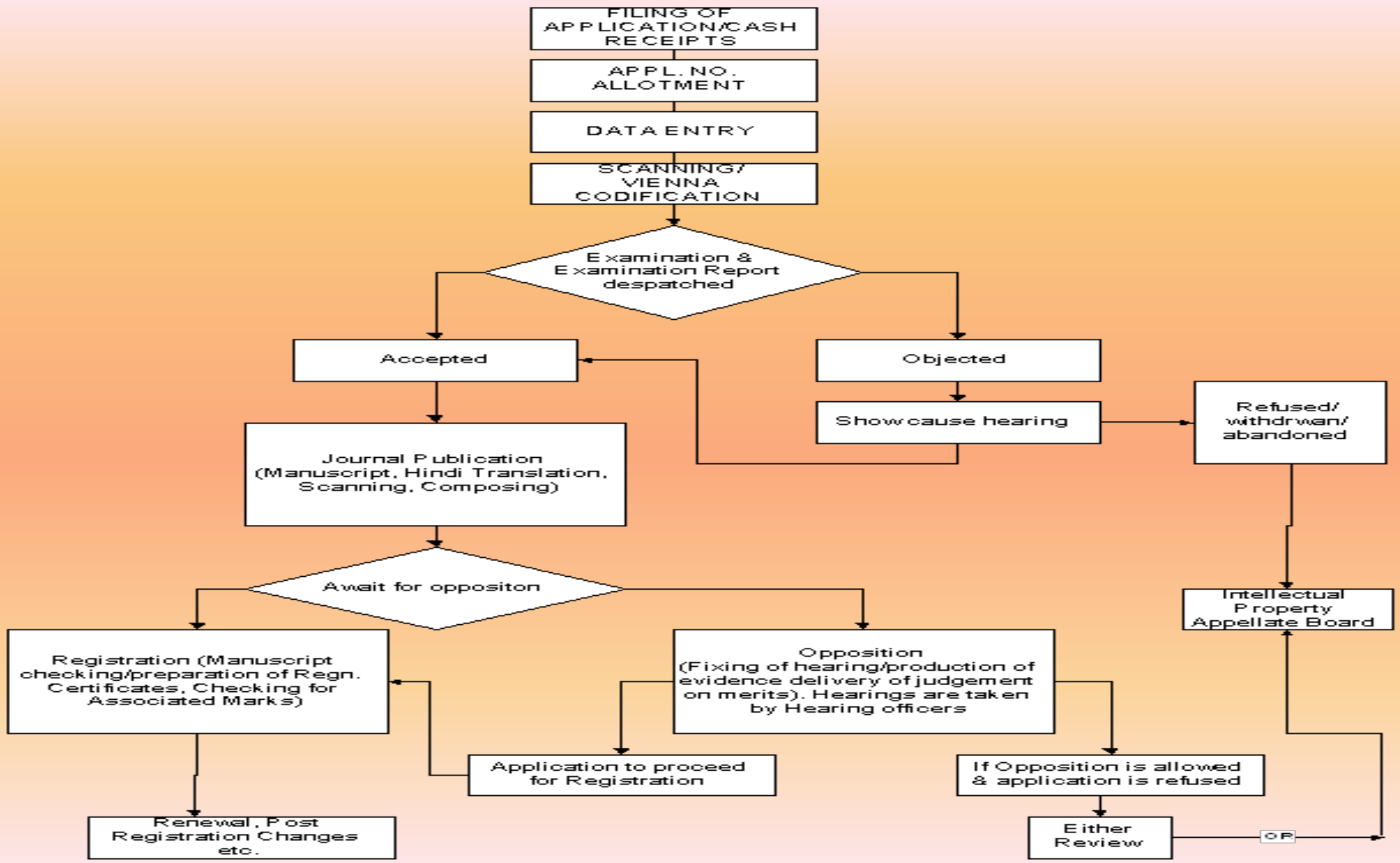
Trade Marks Registry,

**(Govt. Of India, Ministry Of Industry &
Commerce)**

ADOPT REGISTRATBLE MARK FOR BETTER PROTECTION

- **Choose your trade mark after making a thorough search of market and prior registered/ pending applications for registration .**
- **Search of registered/pending applications for registration can be made free of charge 24 x 7 from website ipindia.Nic.In.**

Steps of registration



INTERNATIONAL REGISTRATION SYSTEM

- **You can file an application in India for registration of your trade marks in member countries of WIPO Madrid system**
- **Such applications can only be filed online through official website www.ipindia.nic.in**

TYPES OF TRADE MARKS

- Device
- label
- numerals or
- combination of colours



Don't let others acquiesce the mark

- If you allow others to use your mark without protest or remedial action, your right may be *acquiesced*

You may loose the right to seek remedial action for infringement.

For Further information Please Contact:



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