

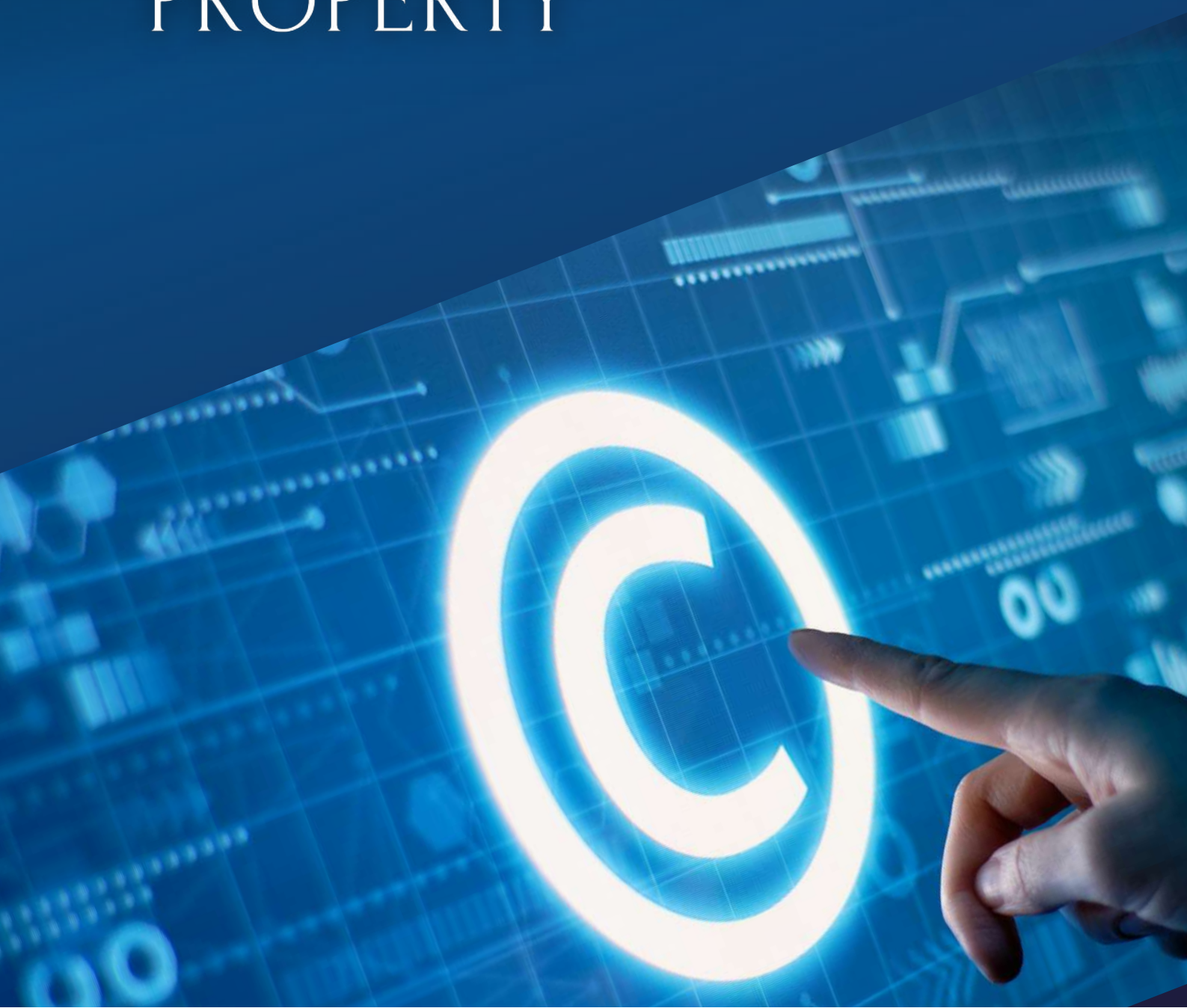


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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY



ABOUT KING STUBB AND KASIVA AND IPR

King, Stubb & Kasiva is a full-service law firm and is supported by a team of able lawyers who have an in-depth understanding of various facets of Intellectual Property Rights in India. The firm is amongst a few of India's best Intellectual Property (IP) firms with a proven track record. broad technical expertise and services covering every aspect of the IP lifecycle stage. For nearly two decades, we've helped our clients protect, commercialize and manage their intangible assets in India and throughout the world.

Our practice groups are organized around our technical expertise in patents, trademarks, copyrights, designs and litigation services. Within these groups we have sector expertise in a range of industries including Biotechnology, Information Technology, Life Sciences, Mechanical and Electrical Engineering, Food and Beverages, Medical Technology, and Fast Moving Consumer Goods.



INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY PRACTICE

This practice group of the firm caters to the requirements of Indian and multinational clients and has assisted them in the management of intellectual property portfolios; preparation of strategies for holistic protection of intellectual property rights; prosecution of applications for trademark, copyright, patent, industrial designs and geographical indications: prosecution of trademark applications through the Madrid protocol: handling oppositions and cancellation actions: conducting intellectual enforcement property actions due diligence; handling against third-party infringers; commissioning investigations to ascertain information about counterfeit products as well as infringing goods/services; assisting with the assignment and licensing of intellectual property, prosecuting domain name disputes and others.

PATENTS

The firm acts in multi-jurisdictional and national patent disputes across a range of sectors, particularly specializing in life sciences, medical devices and technology. In addition to registration and filing of patents, we represent clients in the many different courts and tribunals, leveraging the full range of dispute resolution methods to deliver commercial outcomes for clients.

SERVICES OFFERED

We regularly assist our clients with the following services:

- Pre-registration searches and advisory
- Drafting of specifications and preparation of technical and patent drawings
- Preparation, filing and prosecution of Indian and foreign applications
- Oppositions to the grant of patents and revocation proceedings
- Preparation and advisory on and recordal of assignments and licences
- Renewals and restorations
- Enforcement of patent rights including court proceedings
- Advice on exploitation, protection and use of rights
- Infringement avoidance and defence advisory
- Advice on related common Law, statutory rights, trade secrets and confidentiality agreements



TRADE MARK

The Firm's trade mark and design specialists support brand owners in developing, protecting and exploiting their brands at every level: from initial clearance and selection to filing managing complex international portfolios, and dealing with any enforcements or disputes that arise.

SERVICES

We regularly assist our clients with the following services:

- Preparation, filing and prosecution of Indian and foreign applications
- Oppositions to the registration of trademarks and defending oppositions by third parties
- Revocation proceedings, commencement and defence thereof
- Preparation, advice on and recordal of assignments and licenses
- Renewals and restorations
- Advice on the protection and use of trademarks
- Infringement avoidance and defence advice
- Enforcement of statutory and related Common Law rights
- Surveillance services
- Border protection
- Domain name registration



COPYRIGHT

Our team understands copyright and its application in the modern digital environment and traditional sectors such as literature, film, television, and product design. We help those in the creative industries and protect and monetize their original work. This includes protection in relation to software code, music, literature, film, graphics, art and design.

SERVICES

We regularly assist our clients with the following services:

- Pursuing or defending a copyright infringement claim
- IP licensing and can negotiate a license or royalty that protects IP
- Assist with identifying, securing or transferring ownership of copyright across multiple jurisdictions
- To protect copyright from being unlawfully copied and imported/exported, we can arrange customs notices to detain and remove any goods in question.



DESIGN REGISTRATION, RIGHTS AND PROTECTION

At KSK, we understand the importance of protecting your unique designs and innovations. Our team of experienced intellectual property attorneys specializes in design registration services. We assist clients in securing legal protection for their designs, ensuring that they have exclusive rights over their creative works. From preparing and filing design applications to handling the registration process, our experts guide you through the intricacies of design protection laws to safeguard your valuable intellectual property.

SERVICES

We regularly assist our clients with the following services

- Pre-registration searches and advice
- Preparation of design drawings
- Preparation, filing and prosecution of Indian and foreign applications
- Preparation, advice on and recordal of assignments and licenses
- Enforcement and use of design rights and related copynight including court proceedings
- Advice on infringement and validity

IP LITIGATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION SERVICES

Our specialist litigation and dispute resolution teams work across India and are skilled in handling disputes on all kinds of IP, including patents, trademarks, copyright, registered designs and plant variety rights. We regularly appear before the Patent and Trade Mark Office in opposition, objection and revocation proceedings.

- KSK offers comprehensive IP litigation services to protect and defend your intellectual property assets.
- Whether you are dealing with infringement claims, passing off actions or seeking to assert your rights against unauthorized use, our skilled attorneys are equipped to handle a wide range of intellectual property disputes before various courts/ forums throughout India.
- We meticulously analyze your case, develop robust legal strategies, and represent your interests in negotiations, mediation, arbitration, or litigation proceedings before various courts/ forums throughout India.

INTERNATIONAL IP PROTECTION

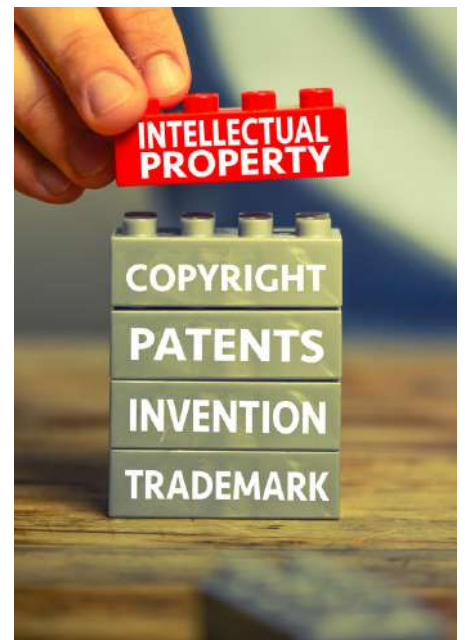
Our attorneys are registered in India and we routinely file and prosecute patents, trademarks and designs directly with India and all the other countries, Through international arrangements such as PCT and the Madrid Protocol, we initiate an international filing plan. When faced with national objections, we turn to our extensive network of international law firms spread across ninety-seven countries.

GEOGRAPHIC INDICATIONS (GI)

KSK provides its members with information concerning the laws and procedures to register GIs in foreign jurisdictions as well as its advocacy support with national, regional and international authorities in case an infringement of rights deriving from a given GI is detected.

TRADE SECRETS AND NON DISCLOSURE

We assist clients to protect their valuable business secrets, via appropriately worded legal contracts, policies and procedures and (where necessary) court proceedings. Our litigators are experienced in ensuring that misuse is prevented and successful outcomes are achieved for our clients.



CUSTOMS PROTECTION

- KSK provides comprehensive customs protection services to prevent the importation or exportation of counterfeit or infringing goods.
- We work closely with customs authorities to develop effective strategies, conduct training sessions for keeping the authorities apprised about the distinction between genuine and counterfeit products and enforce intellectual property rights at national borders.
- Our dedicated team ensures that your intellectual property is shielded from unauthorized use, counterfeiting, and parallel imports, thereby preserving the integrity of your brand and maximizing your market advantage.

CRIMINAL IP ENFORCEMENT

- We have a dedicated team of legal professionals experienced in criminal IP enforcement.
- We collaborate with law enforcement agencies to investigate, conduct raid and seizure activity, arrest the accused and prosecute cases involving copyright infringement, trademark counterfeiting, and trade secret theft.



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