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# Leaflet Trademarks in Oman

#### **Duration**

The initial duration of your trademark in Oman is 10 years from the date of filing. The trademark is indefinitely renewable for additional periods of 10 years each.

#### **Compulsory use**

Please note that the trademark law of Oman compulsorily requires use of the trademark. Your trademark must be used within the first 5 years from the filing date, and the use must not be interrupted for 5 consecutive years of more. If a trademark has not been so used without legitimate reasons any interested third party who can show that the mark has not been so used for such period may request the cancellation of the registration with the Commercial Court. The registrar is obliged to cancel a registration if a legally binding decision to that effect from the Commercial Court is presented to him.

### **Marking**

There are no provisions on marking of goods distributed under the trademark in Oman, and therefore marking on the goods according to the trademark or the packaging of such goods is not compulsory. Nevertheless marking e.g. by means of the internationally established sign ® or the words "Registered Trademark No..." is commonly used.