Eisenführ Speiser

Leaflet Designs in Great Britain

Territory

The registered design has protection in Great Britain, Northern Ireland and the Isle of Man, and in most of the remaining British colonies and protectorates.

Duration

The term of protection of the design is 5 years from the filing date or, if priority is claimed, from the priority date. The term of protection can be extended four times by 5 years each time by paying a renewal fee.

Marking

It is recommended that a reference to the registered design be placed on the protected object itself or its packaging. Otherwise, an infringer can defend himself against claims for damages by arguing that he was not aware that it was a protected design. The word "Registered" or its abbreviation "Regd." or "Rd." is usually used as a reference to the existing protection, together with the property right number.