

Trademark and Copyright Flat Fee Charges

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(All fees in US\$)

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	<u>Legal Fee</u>	<u>USPTO fees; disbursements</u>
<u>CLEARANCE FOR USE AND REGISTRATION</u>		
<u>Recommended</u> comprehensive full trademark search (Federal, state and common law) with Opinion Letter on use and registration	\$1000	\$850 (est. to search firm)
“Knock out” search: Limited database scan of identical or similar mark and limited comments on potential use/registration	\$500	
U.S. TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS²		
Electronic preparation and filing of trademark application for trademark or service mark	\$500 (per class) (additional charge if drawing needed)	\$250 (per class) (TEAS Plus)
Electronic preparation and filing of intention to use trademark application for trademark or service mark	\$600 (per class) (additional charge if drawing needed)	\$250 (per class) (TEAS Plus)
Preparation and filing of Amendment to Allege Use or Statement of Use (Intent to Use Applications only)	\$250 (per class)	\$100 (per class)
Preparation and filing of Request for Extension of Time to File Statement of Use (Intent to Use Applications only)	\$350	\$150 (per class)
Preparation and filing of Request for Extension of Time to File Notice of Opposition	\$500	\$100 (per class)

^{1 2} See <http://www.knullpc.com/getting-a-trademark-step-by-step/> for a more detailed discussion of the trademark application process.

Preparation and filing of Response to an Examiner's Office Action	Hourly rate \$400 But we will quote a flat fee beforehand	
Dividing Application (We do not file applications which should ever need division; this applies only to applications taken over)	\$800	\$100 (per newly created application)
Additional fee for late filing when permitted by USPTO	\$100	\$100 (per class)
Preparation and filing of Affidavit of Continued Use or excused use (Section 8) (to be filed during 5 th to 6 th year after registration--the earlier, the better)	\$350	\$225 (per class)
Preparation and filing of Declaration of Incontestability (Section 15) (to be filed during 5 th to 6 th year after registration--the earlier, the better)	\$500	\$200 (per class)
Preparation and filing of Combined Section 8 and 15 Declaration (to be filed during 5 th to 6 th year after registration--the earlier, the better)	\$750	\$425 (per class)
Preparation and filing of Combined Renewal and Section 8 Declaration (Must be filed between 9 th and 10 th year after registration and every 10 years thereafter)	\$650	\$525 (per class)
Additional fee for most late filings	\$200	\$100 (per class) but \$200 for combined 8&9 or 8&15
Preparation and filing of Opposition or Cancellation proceeding ³	Official Fee Varies	Hourly rates

COPYRIGHT OFFICE FILING FEES

Electronic filing of application and deposit (not website)	\$250	\$55 (expediting, add \$800+)
Electronic filing of application with physical deposit of work (necessary for books, etc.)	\$300	\$55
Responding to Copyright Office queries, appeals, etc.	Hourly rates	Variable official fees
Filing to have Knull PC act as DMCA agent for your websites	\$75 for filing & hourly rates for handling any complaints	\$6 and up, depending on number of websites covered

³ See <http://www.knullpc.com/trademark-opposition-101/> for a general discussion of Trademark Trial and Appeal Board cases and their potential costs.