

Meeting of the AIPLA Practice in Japan Committee and JTA

Tuesday, April 12, 2005 from 12pm to 2pm
“Fuji-no-ma”, Tokai Daigaku Koyu Club
33F Kasumigaseki Building,
3-2-5 Kasumigaseki, Chitoda-ku, Tokyo

AGENDA

1. Introductions
2. Opening remarks
3. Consent Agreement
Written answer to questionnaire of Foreign Trademarks Committee of JTA
4. Three Dimensional Trademarks
Written answer to questionnaire of Design Committee of JTA

- Presentation
5. Design Patent
JTA: Brief comment on design infringement system in Japan
(Mr Hiromichi Aoki)
AIPLA: Design Patent Infringement in US
(Mr Tony Venturino)
6. Geographical Indication
JTA: Brief introduction on protection of geographical indication in Japan
(Mr Masanobu Takatori)
AIPLA: Geographical Indication of marks in US
(Mr David Hill)
7. Distinctiveness of trademarks in information technology area
JTA: Brief comment on Japanese situation (Ms Masako Nishimura)
AIPLA: Distinctiveness of trademarks in information technology area in
US (Mr Mark Alleman)
8. Federal anti-dilution Statue or Recent important case law in US
(Mr George Lewis)

9. Closing