## Sunrise Rules - Annex 1

## "Prior Rights" - Country Overviews

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Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Community Trade Marks: <a href="http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&amp;source=Log-in.html&amp;language=en&amp;application=CTMOnline">http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&amp;source=Log-in.html&amp;language=en&amp;application=CTMOnline</a>
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise rules	Affidavit must be signed by a legal practitioner or professional representative.
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	Affidavit must be signed by a legal practitioner or professional representative.
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise rules	Affidavit must be signed by a legal practitioner or professional representative.
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	Affidavit must be signed by a legal practitioner or professional representative.
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Affidavit must be signed by a legal practitioner or professional representative.

BELGIUM Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Benelux Trade Marks: http://register.bmb-bbm.org/SearchMaskMain.asp Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	Protection is only acknowledged for well-known unregistered trade marks, as provided for in Article 6bis of the Paris Convention on the Protection of Industrial Property
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) (for company names) or 16(5) for trade names	A business identifier is only protected if it qualifies as a trade name or a company name
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://kbo-bce- ps.mineco.fgov.be/ps/kbo_ps/kbo_search.jsp?lang=nl&dest= ST
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

CYPRUS Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	<ol> <li>Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5)(i) of the Sunrise Rules or</li> <li>Copy of the publication of the trade name in the Government Gazette</li> </ol>	http://www.mcit.gov.cy/mcit/drcor/drcor.nsf/catalogue_en/catalogue_en?OpenDocument
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.mcit.gov.cy/mcit/drcor/drcor.nsf/catalogue_en/catalogue_en?OpenDocument
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	For Literary Works: 1) Certificate (receipt) issued by the Public Information Office or 2) Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	
		For Artistic Works: Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

CZECH REPUBLIC Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://isdvapl.upv.cz/pls/portal30/oz.OZFRM http://isdvapl.upv.cz/servlet/page?_pageid=233&_dad=portal 30&_schema=PORTAL30 Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBa sic?transition=start&source=Log- in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.justice.cz/ http://wwwinfo.mfcr.cz/ares/ares_fr.html.cz
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.justice.cz/
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.justice.cz/ http://wwwinfo.mfcr.cz/ares/ares_fr.html.cz
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

**DENMARK**Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: <a href="http://onlineweb.dkpto.dk/pvsonline/Varemaerke">http://onlineweb.dkpto.dk/pvsonline/Varemaerke</a>
			Community Trade Marks:  http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.publi-com.dk/ http://www.cvr.dk/
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.publi-com.dk/ http://www.cvr.dk/
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.publi-com.dk/ http://www.cvr.dk/
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

**ESTONIA** Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Community Trade Marks:  http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

FINLAND Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://tavaramerkki.prh.fi/ http://tavaramerkki.prh.fi/default_en.pl Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/en/default.htm
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: <a href="http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm">http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm</a>
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.ytj.fi/yrit_sel2.asp?kielikoodi=1
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

FRANCE Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks:  http://www.plutarque.com http://www.icimarques.com Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/en/default.htm
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.euridile.inpi.fr
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
<b>Company Names</b>	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

GERMANY Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://www.dpma.de/sevice/publikationen.html http://www.dpma.de/service/dpinfo.html Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National: <a href="http://publikationen.dpma.de/">http://publikationen.dpma.de/</a> EU: <a href="http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm">http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm</a>
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	In case the Applicant submits an affidavit as referred to in Section 12(3)(i), such affidavit must be accompanied by at least a report of a marketing association
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	e.g. http://www.handelsregister.de
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	for example www.boersenblatt.net  Extracts from newspapers, magazines may also be used as documentary evidence for the use of the distinctive title

GREECE Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://www.gge.gr/4/search.asp
			Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	Use in the course of trade must be demonstrated; if the mark is not inherently distinctive, the applicant must also prove that the unregistered trade mark is "established in the market".
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	On-line database for trade names of the members of the Athens Chamber of Commerce and Industry: <a href="http://www.ebea.gr/index2.htm">http://www.ebea.gr/index2.htm</a> Public use in the course of trade must be demonstrated.
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules	Use in the course of trade must be demonstrated; if the sign is not inherently distinctive, the applicant must also prove that the business identifier is "established in the market".
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	In addition to Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules public use in the course of trade of the company name must be demonstrated.

GREECE Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	The "competent authority" referred to in Section 18(2)(ii) of the Sunrise Rules can also be a notary public.

HUNGARY Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: in Hungarian: http://pipacsweb.hpo.hu/piaopt/pia05_08.htm?v=hunpia&a=h un\start in English: http://pipacsweb.hpo.hu/piaopt/pia05_08.htm?v=hunpia&a=e ng\start  Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBa sic?transition=start&source=Log- in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National: in Hungarian: http://pipacsweb.hpo.hu/piaopt/pia05_08.htm?v=hunpia&a=h un\start in English: http://pipacsweb.hpo.hu/piaopt/pia05_08.htm?v=hunpia&a=e ng\start EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	

HUNGARY Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	Official database of the Hungarian Ministry of Justice in Hungarian: <a href="http://www.microsec.hu/info/page/unsafe.html">http://www.microsec.hu/info/page/unsafe.html</a>
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

IRELAND Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://www.patentsoffice.ie/eRegister/Query/TMQuery.asp http://www.patentsoffice.ie/eRegister/TMRegNr.asp Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/en/default.htm
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.
Trade Names	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 16 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.
Business Identifiers	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 16 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.

IRELAND Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Company Names	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 16 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 18 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.

ITALY Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Community Trade Marks:  http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National: <a href="http://www.politicheagricole.it/QUALITA/Prodotti">http://www.politicheagricole.it/QUALITA/Prodotti</a> DOP e IG <a href="http://www.politicheagricole.it/produzione/vitevino/pdf/NumlgT04.pdf">http://www.politicheagricole.it/produzione/vitevino/pdf/NumlgT04.pdf</a> EU: <a href="http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm">http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm</a>
Trade Names ("Ditta")	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers ("Insegna")	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

LATVIA Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchB asic?transition=start&source=Log- in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

LITHUANIA Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://www.vpb.lt/db/
			Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules (however documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) shall not be allowed)	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	In particular, use of distinctive trade names must be demonstrated
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	In particular, use of distinctive business identifier must be demonstrated
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.kada.lt/jar/paieska/index.php
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

LUXEMBOURG Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Benelux Trade Marks: http://register.bmb-bbm.org/SearchMaskMain.asp Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	Protection is only acknowledged for well-known unregistered trade marks, as provided for in Article 6bis of the Paris Convention on the Protection of Industrial Property
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.rcsl.lu/extraits/index.html
Business identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.rcsl.lu/extraits/index.html
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

MALTA Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Community Trade Marks:  http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

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Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Benelux Trade Marks: http://register.bmb-bbm.org/SearchMaskMain.asp Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	Protection is only acknowledged for well-known unregistered trade marks, as provided for in Article 6bis of the Paris Convention on the Protection of Industrial Property
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	Use of the trade name in the course of trade must be demonstrated
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	Use of the business identifier in the course of trade must be demonstrated (cf trade names)
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules (and not Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules)	Use of the company name in the course of trade must be demonstrated (cf trade names)
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

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Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://www.uprp.pl/patentwebaccess/databasechoose.aspx?language=polski Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National: http://www.uprp.pl/patentwebaccess/databasechoose.aspx?language=polski EU: http://europa.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4)(i) and 16(4)(ii) of the Sunrise Rules	i.e. Extract from National Court Register, Certificate from the register of business activities
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise rules	

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PORTUGAL Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and CommunityTrade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	Community level: <a href="http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&amp;source=Log-in.html&amp;language=en&amp;application=CTMOnline">http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&amp;source=Log-in.html&amp;language=en&amp;application=CTMOnline</a>
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: <a href="http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm">http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm</a>
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.rnpc.mj.pt/rnpc/pesquisa/frame_pesq_rnpc.htm
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

SLOVAKIA Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: <a href="http://registre.indprop.gov.sk/oz/index_en.htm">http://registre.indprop.gov.sk/oz/index_en.htm</a> Community Trade Marks: <a href="http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&amp;source=Log-in.html&amp;language=en&amp;application=CTMOnline">http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&amp;source=Log-in.html&amp;language=en&amp;application=CTMOnline</a>
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	Documentary evidence must substantiate that the unregistered trade mark is well-known
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	in English: http://www.orsk.sk/default.asp?lan=en in Slovak: http://www.orsk.sk
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

SLOVENIA Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://www2.uil-sipo.si/Squ021.stm  Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	
Business Identifiers	no	N/A	
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.sodisce.si
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

SPAIN Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: in Spanish: http://www.oepm.es/internet/bases_datos/bdsitad.htm in English: http://www.oepm.es/internet/eng/bases_datos/bdsitad.htm Community Trademarks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	in Spanish: http://www.oepm.es/internet/bases_datos/bdsitad.htm in English: http://www.oepm.es/internet/eng/bases_datos/bdsitad.htm
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5) of the Sunrise Rules	in Spanish: http://www.oepm.es/internet/bases_datos/bdsitad.htm in English: http://www.oepm.es/internet/eng/bases_datos/bdsitad.htm
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4) of the Sunrise Rules	
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

SWEDEN Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://www.prv.se/vmi/
			Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/CTMOnline/RequestManager/en_SearchBasic?transition=start&source=Log-in.html&language=en&application=CTMOnline
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules (however documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) shall not be allowed)	
Trade Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5)i of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.bolagsverket.se/index.html
Business Identifiers	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(5)i of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.bolagsverket.se/index.html
Company Names	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 16(4)i of the Sunrise Rules	http://www.bolagsverket.se/index.html
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	yes (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 18(2) of the Sunrise Rules	

UNITED KINGDOM Version 1.1

Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Registered National and Community Trade Marks	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 13(2) of the Sunrise Rules	National Registered Trade Marks: http://www.patent.gov.uk/tm/dbase/index.htm Community Trade Marks: http://oami.eu.int/en/default.htm
Geographical Indications or Designations of Origin	yes (Phase 1 + 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 14(2) of the Sunrise Rules	EU: http://www.eu.int/comm/agriculture/qual/en/1bbab_en.htm
Unregistered Trade Marks	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 15 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of a <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.
Trade Names	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 16 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of a <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.
Business Identifiers	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 16 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of a <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.

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Type of Prior Right	Protection Acknowledged	Documentary Evidence	Link to Official On-Line Database(s), Additional Conditions and/or Remarks (if any)
Company Names	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 16 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of a <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.
Distinctive Titles of Protected Literary and Artistic Works	only to the extent that rights in passing off exist (Phase 2)	Documentary evidence as referred to in Section 12(3) of the Sunrise Rules (and not the documentary evidence referred to in Section 18 of the Sunrise Rules)	Where documentary evidence is submitted as referred to in Section 12(3)(i) of the Sunrise Rules, the documentary evidence must enable the Validation Agent to validate the existence of a protected prior right (under the law of Passing Off) on the basis of a <i>prima facie</i> review of the documentation as set out in Section 21(2) of the Sunrise Rules.