**Measures to manage the disruptions due to the COVID-19 outbreak**

**Extensions or interruptions of periods**

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**National procedure**

- extensions or interruptions of periods in view of the disruptions to public life caused by the COVID-19 outbreak: no
- Until when are the periods extended or interrupted: /
- Which periods are extended:
  - Periods set by law: /
  - Periods set by the office: /
  - Periods for payments of fees, in particular renewal fees: /
- Extensions or interruptions of periods granted: /

**Validation of European Patents**

- periods covered by the extension/interruption of periods: none
  - Period for the filing of translations after grant pursuant to Article 65 EPC (if required): /
  - Period for the payment of the validation/publication fee (if applicable): /
  - Period for the payment of national renewal fees for European patents: /

The legal basis for the extension/interruptions of periods in proceedings before the Finnish Intellectual Property Office can be found under the following link: