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Reference	Application No./Patent No.
Proprietor	

European patent with unitary effect

Decision to reject the request for unitary effect

The request for unitary effect filed with the European Patent Office on _____ for European patent No. _____ is rejected because it does not satisfy the requirements set out in Rule 5 UPR and/or Rule 6 UPR.

The reasons for the decision are enclosed.

Means of redress

You can challenge this decision by bringing an action under Articles 32(1)(i) and 66 of the Agreement on a Unified Patent Court (UPCA) before the central division of the UPC within **three weeks** of service of the decision. You will have to pay a fee for this to the UPC in accordance with Rule 370 of its Rules of Procedure (RoP UPC). Your attention is also drawn to Rule 97 RoP UPC.

Enclosures: Reasons for the decision

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