

Munich, 5 February 2025

## **Decision of the Supervisory Board amending Rule 19 of the Implementing Provisions to the Regulation on the European qualifying examination for professional representatives**

The Supervisory Board, having regard to the Regulation on the European qualifying examination for professional representatives which entered into force on 1 January 2025 (Supplementary publication 3 - OJ EPO 2024), and in particular Article 3, paragraph 7, thereof, has decided as follows:

### **Article 1**

Paragraph 3 of Rule 19 of the Implementing Provisions to the Regulation on the European qualifying examination (IPREE) shall be amended as follows:

“(3) Complaints made by a candidate concerning the conduct of the examination are not entertained by the Examination Board unless a written statement of the facts is submitted in accordance with the instructions to candidates on the day of the examination paper in question.”

### **Article 2**

Rule 19 IPREE as amended under Article 1 of this decision will enter into force with immediate effect and also apply to papers A, B, C and D under the IPREE dated 13 December 2018.

Done at Munich, 5 February 2025

For the Supervisory Board

The Chair  
Michael Liebetanz