Official holidays in 2015

The following official holidays will be observed in 2015 in each place of employment:

Munich

| Date | Holiday |
|-------------|------------------|
| 1 January | New Year's Day |
| 6 January | Epiphany |
| 3 April | Good Friday |
| 6 April | Easter Monday |
| 1 May | Labour Day |
| 14 May | Ascension Day |
| 25 May | Whit Monday |
| 4 June | Corpus Christi |
| 24 December | Christmas Eve |
| 25 December | Christmas Day |
| 31 December | New Year's Eve |
| The Hague | |
| Date | Holiday |
| 1 January | New Year's Day |
| 3 April | Good Friday |
| 6 April | Easter Monday |
| 27 April | National Holiday |
| 1 May | Labour Day |
| 5 May | Liberation Day |

| 14 May | Ascension Day |
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| 25 May | Whit Monday |
| 24 December | Christmas Eve |
| 25 December | Christmas Day |
| 31 December | New Year's Eve |
| Berlin | |
| Date | Holiday |
| 1 January | New Year's Day |
| 3 April | Good Friday |
| 6 April | Easter Monday |
| 1 May | Labour Day |
| 14 May | Ascension Day |
| 25 May | Whit Monday |
| 24 December | Christmas Eve |
| 25 December | Christmas Day |
| 31 December | New Year's Eve |
| Vienna | |
| Date | Holiday |
| 1 January | New Year's Day |
| 6 January | Epiphany |
| 3 April | Good Friday |
| 6 April | Easter Monday |

| 1 May | Labour Day |
|-------------|-----------------------|
| 14 May | Ascension Day |
| 25 May | Whit Monday |
| 4 June | Corpus Christi |
| 26 October | National Holiday |
| 8 December | Immaculate Conception |
| 24 December | Christmas Eve |
| 25 December | Christmas Day |
| 31 December | New Year's Eve |

EPO offices closed from 24.12.2014 to 4.1.2015

Please note that all our offices (Munich, The Hague, Berlin and Vienna) will be closed over the holiday period from 24 December 2014, and will open again on 5 January 2015. During this time no customer support will be available, but you may continue to use our <u>contact form</u> to send us an enquiry.

A backlog of enquiries is likely to accumulate while we are closed, and we will do our utmost to respond to them as soon as possible. However, please be aware that our customary response times may be adversely affected for a short while. We would like to apologise for any inconvenience caused.

Please bear in mind that time limits expiring on a day on which at least one EPO filing office is not open for receipt of documents (closing days) are extended until the first day thereafter on which all the filing offices are open for receipt of documents and on which ordinary mail is delivered (Rule 134(1) EPC).