II.7(2) Inadmissible opposition

**legal basis**

R. 56 Implementing Regulations EPC

**data in PRS for**

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**field meaning**

| yymmdd | Date of issue of the European Patent Bulletin in which the notice is published. |
| yymmdd' | Date of decision of the inadmissibility of the opposition. |
| "opp. name" | Name of the person or institution who has filed the opposition. |

**code meaning**

In case the Opposition Division notes that the notice of opposition does not comply with the provision of Art. 99(1), R. 1(1) EPC (notice in written in an official language within 9 months from grant), and R. 55(c) EPC (grounds on which the opposition is based), or does not provide sufficient identification of the patent against which opposition has been filed, it rejects the notice of opposition as inadmissible unless these deficiencies are remedied before expiry of the opposition period.

The inadmissibility of the opposition is advertised in the bulletin, the notice including the opposition serial number (two digits), date on which the decision of the inadmissibility of the opposition has been made, name of the opponent and his address (street, town, country). In INPADOC only the name of the opponent is recorded.

**see related codes**