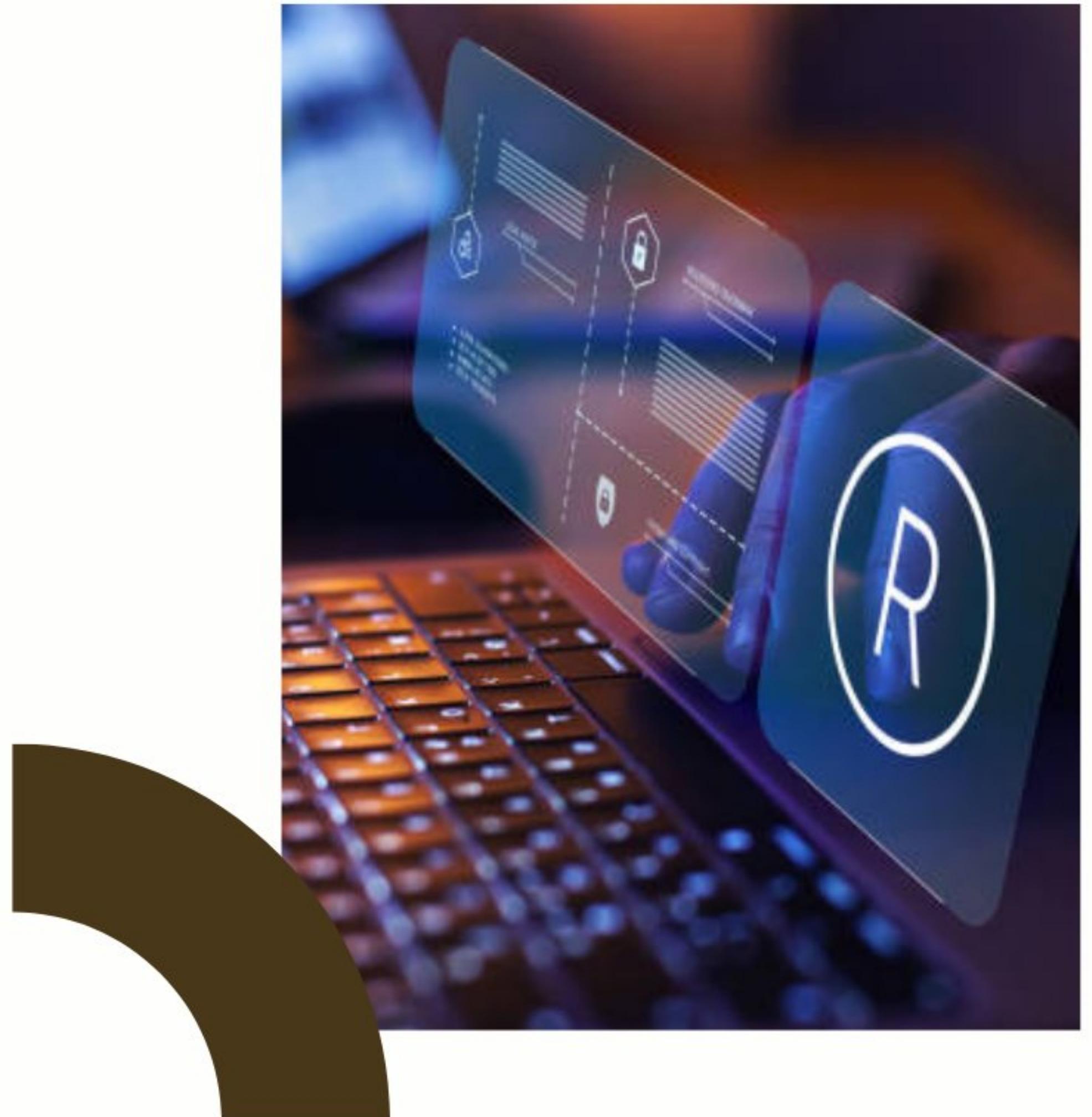


Trade Mark Renewal in Kenya: What the Law Says About Grace Periods and Restoration



Why Trade Mark Renewal Deadlines Matter

For proprietors of trade marks registered in Kenya, timely renewal is essential to ensuring the continued protection of their rights and avoiding unnecessary costs associated with lapses in registration. However, when deadlines are missed, the law provides a limited safety net in the form of a grace period; a critical feature that every trade mark owner should understand.