



K W A Z U L U - N A T A L
SHARKS BOARD
Maritime Centre of Excellence

Specification

The core function of the KZNSB is the protection of bathers against shark attacks at designated protected beaches along the KwaZulu-Natal coastline. This mandate is fulfilled through the installation and maintenance of shark safety gear deployed to prevent shark attacks at 37 protected beaches. The Entity has also been entrusted to conduct Scientific Research on the commonly caught sharks along the KZN Coastline. KZNSB also has the responsibility to enhance Educational Programs based on the Scientific Research related data, both Provincial, National, and International. The Entity contributes immensely towards Beach Tourism in KZN.

The entity has registered its Trademark in various countries, including but not limited to the countries listed below. These trademarks need to be updated periodically.

The following trademark registrations are due for renewal as follows.

Country	Renewal Date	Registration no.	Case no.	Goods & Services
1. Australia Trademark: Shark Device	19/04/2026	706952	TM13381AU09+	(09) Electronic apparatus including apparatus for controlling aquatic animals such as sharks, shark repellent devices and underwater diving gear equipment,

				including accessories for all foregoing. Games and playthings; gymnastic and sporting articles (except clothing)
2. Mexico Trademark: Shark Device	06/06/2026	534397	TM13381MX28	(28) Games and playthings; gymnastic and sporting articles (except clothing)
3. Mexico Trademark: Shark Device	06/06/2026	620121	TM13381MX09	(09) Electronic apparatus including apparatus for controlling aquatic animals such as sharks; shark repellent devices and underwater diving gear equipment, including components and accessories
4. Singapore Trademark: Shark Device	27/05/2026	T96/05365B	TM13381SG28	(28) Sporting articles (except clothing, goggles, and fins); all relating to water sports and scuba diving
5. Thailand	16/10/2026	T67397	TM13381TH09	(09) Apparatus for controlling aquatic animals such as

Trademark: Shark Device				sharks; shark repellent devices and underwater diving gear and equipment.
6. Thailand Trademark: Shark Device	16/10/2026	T71254	TM13381TH28	(28) Games, gymnastic and sporting articles
7. South Africa Trademark: Shark Device	17/04/2026	1996/05095	TM13381ZA09	(09) Electronic apparatus including apparatus for controlling aquatic animals, such as shark repellent devices, and underwater diving gear and equipment, including components and accessories for the foregoing.

PORTFOLIO REPORT

Case Number: TM13381AU09+	Application Date: 19/04/1996	Registration Date: 10/06/1997	Renewal Date: 19/04/2026	Applicant: NATAL SHARKS BOARD
Country: Australia	Application No: 706952	Registration No: 706952	Status: Registered	
	Priority Country:	Priority Date:	Priority No:	

Trade Mark: SHARK Device



Case Number: TM13381MX28	Application Date: 06/06/1996	Registration Date: 28/10/1996	Renewal Date: 06/06/2026	Applicant: NATAL SHARKS BOARD
Country: Mexico	Application No: 264843	Registration No: 534397	Status: Registered	
	Priority Country:	Priority Date:	Priority No:	

Trade Mark: SHARK Device



Goods/Services: (28) Games and playthings; gymnastic and sporting articles (except clothing)

Case Number: TM13381MX09	Application Date: 06/06/1996	Registration Date: 30/08/1999	Renewal Date: 06/06/2026	Applicant: NATAL SHARKS BOARD
Country: Mexico	Application No: 264844	Registration No: 620121	Status: Registered	
	Priority Country:	Priority Date:	Priority No:	

Trade Mark: SHARK Device



Goods/Services: (09) Electronic apparatus including apparatus for controlling aquatic animals such as sharks; shark repellent devices and underwater diving gear and equipment; including components and accessories for all the foregoing

Case Number: TM13381SG28	Application Date: 27/05/1996	Registration Date: 19/02/2001	Renewal Date: 27/05/2026	Applicant: NATAL SHARKS BOARD
Country: Singapore	Application No: T96/05365B	Registration No: T96/05365B	Status: Registered	
	Priority Country:	Priority Date:	Priority No:	

Trade Mark: SHARK Device



Goods/Services: (28) Sporting articles (except clothing, goggles and fins); all relating to water sports and scuba diving

Case Number: TM13381ZA09	Application Date: 17/04/1996	Registration Date: 01/07/1999	Renewal Date: 17/04/2026	Applicant: NATAL SHARKS BOARD
Country: South Africa	Application No: 1996/05095	Registration No: 1996/05095	Status: Registered	
	Priority Country:	Priority Date:	Priority No:	

Trade Mark: SHARK Device



Goods/Services: (09) Electronic apparatus including apparatus for controlling aquatic animals such as sharks; shark repellent devices and underwater diving gear and equipment; including components and accessories for all the foregoing

Case Number: TM13381TH09	Application Date: 17/10/1996	Registration Date: 17/10/1996	Renewal Date: 16/10/2026	Applicant: NATAL SHARKS BOARD
Country: Thailand	Application No: 320064	Registration No: T67397	Status: Registered	
	Priority Country:	Priority Date:	Priority No:	

Trade Mark: SHARK Device



Goods/Services: (09) Apparatus for controlling aquatic animals such as sharks; shark repellent devices and underwater diving gear and equipment.

Case Number: TM13381TH28	Application Date: 17/10/1996	Registration Date: 17/10/1996	Renewal Date: 16/10/2026	Applicant: NATAL SHARKS BOARD
Country: Thailand	Application No: 320065	Registration No: T71254	Status: Registered	
	Priority Country:	Priority Date:	Priority No:	

Trade Mark: SHARK Device



Goods/Services: (28) Games, gymnastic and sporting articles