

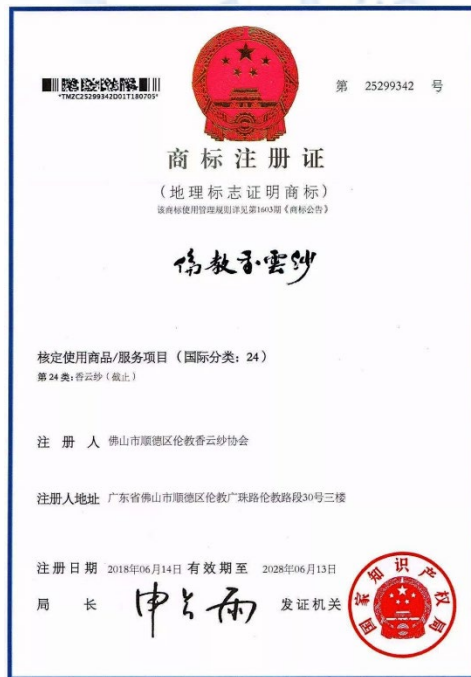


# Recent Developments on the Protection of Geographical Indications in China




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After the institutional reform of China's State Council, a new trademark registration certificate and special signs for GIs were issued.



# Special Signs for GIs Before 2021

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|---|---|--|---|
| <p><b>Administrative Department</b></p> | <p>Trademark Office of former State Administration for Industry and Commerce (now CNIPA)</p>      | <p>former General Administration of Quality Supervision, Inspection and Quarantine (now CNIPA)</p> | <p>former Ministry of Agriculture (currently suspended)</p>                           |
| <p><b>Legislative Level</b></p>         | <p>NPC legislation, Administrative regulations of the State Council, Departmental regulations</p> | <p>Departmental regulations</p>  | <p>Departmental regulations</p>   |
| <p><b>Protection System</b></p>         | <p>trademark system</p>   | <p>sui generis system</p>  | <p>sui generis system</p>   |
| <p><b>Official Logo</b></p>             |                |               |  |



# Some Registered GIs as Trademarks in China



Tea



Herbal  
Medicine



Fruit



Vegetable





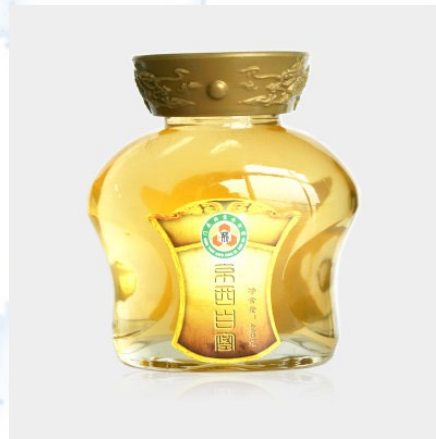
# Grain



武川 荞麦



# Honey



# Slaughtered Animals



锡林郭勒羊肉  
The Mutton Of Xilingol



# Live Animals





# Aquatic Product



# Handicraft



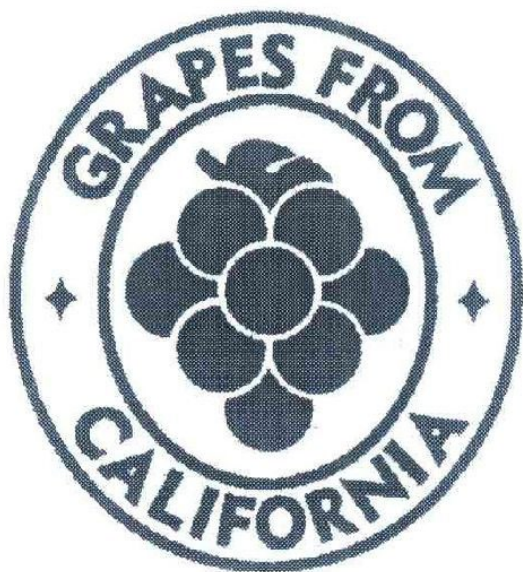
錦雲京南



建水紫陶  
Jianshui Purple Pottery





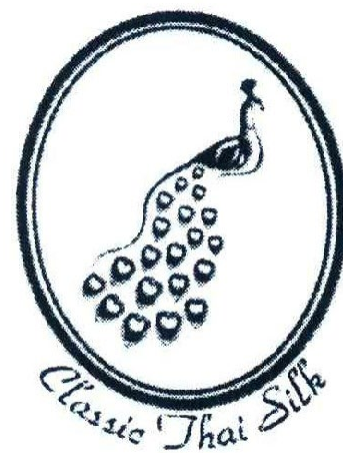


BORDEAUX

波尔多

Scotch Whisky

Tequila







**Thank you**