



SETTLEMENTS IN OPPOSITIONS AND CANCELLATIONS

What should you do next?

The answer depends on the status
of the BOIP procedure.

We discuss 3 situations:

Situation 1

The procedure is still @BOIP. Either already decided or still being treated.

Claimant can simply withdraw the procedure. This can be done until BOIP executes the decision. In general BOIP will carry out the decision approximately 3 months after having taken it (if no appeal is filed of course)

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Situation 2

An appeal was filed at the Benelux Court of Justice

Now parties must ask both the Court to drop the case and BOIP not to execute its decision.

They have to do this jointly!

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Situation 3

The Benelux Court has already taken a decision on appeal

If BOIP still hasn't executed the Court's decision yet...

(Which is only done upon request of (one of) the parties involved)

Then parties can still ask BOIP not to execute!

They have to do this jointly!

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Situation 3

In this situation it is highly recommended to contact BOIP, discuss the situation and the intentions.

BOIP will keep an eye on the case so to prevent accidents

**Which will inevitably happen anyway..
But should, if reasonably possible, be prevented**

We will be happy to take your call!

