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### (i) FILING -

This is the act of making an application. When the application is first filed certain details are published.

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Approximately 18 months after first filing of an Australian or a corresponding foreign application, certain application documents, including the complete specification, become available to the public (Open-to-Public-Inspection or "OPI"). Relevant application details are published. In addition, an Abstracts Supplement to the AOJP contains abstracts of the inventive content of the OPI applications.

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### (22) 12.10.91

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A complete list of the INID numbers and the items to which they relate is provided at the end of this Guide.

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1. Provisional Applications are given a number with two characters and four numbers

### e.g. PM1234

A provisional application number is identified by the INID number (21).

2. Complete Applications are given a five-figure application number followed by the last two digits of the year of filing e.g. 12345/93

There are prefixes applied to this number which indicate whether the application has been accepted:

A document corresponding to an unaccepted application has the prefix, AU-A; e.g. AU-A-12345/93.

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Users need to be aware that an accepted document may differ from the corresponding unaccepted document. This is because **amendment** may occur between first publication (OPI) and second publication (acceptance).

A five-figure application number is identified by the INID numbers (11) or (21).

3. When a patent application is **accepted** it is given a six-figure document number in addition to the five-figure application number e.g. 123456

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For each of the categories

- (i) Provisional Applications Filed,
- (ii) Complete Applications Filed
- (iii) Applications Open to Public Inspection, and
- (iv) Applications Accepted

The Journal lists the information published in that category in an alphabetical **Name Index** list based on the name of the applicant. These indices are useful if you wish to find information about applications made by a particular applicant.

In addition to the Name Index there is provided, for each of these categories, a **Numerical Index**. This index lists the applications either in order of their five-figure Application Numbers, in the case of complete applications filed and applications OPI, or in order of their six-figure Document Number in the case of accepted applications. It provides, for each number, the name of the applicant. These indices are useful if you wish to track the progress of a particular patent application.

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### 1. To Find Patent Information If You Know the Name of the Applicant.

Use the Name Indices. They will give you the following information identified by their INID number:

ITEM	<u>INID</u> No.	ITEM	<u>INID</u> No.
<b>A) Provisional applications filed – Name Index</b> The <u>name</u> of the applicant The Provisional application <u>number</u> The <u>date</u> of filing The <u>title</u> of the invention	(71) (21) (22) (54)	<b>B)</b> Complete applications filed – Name Index The <u>name</u> of the applicant The <u>number</u> assigned to the application The <u>date</u> of filing <u>Title</u> of the invention <u>Number</u> of priority document(s) if any <u>Date(s)</u> of filing of priority documents <u>Country</u> in which priority document filed PCT application <u>number</u>	(71) (21) (22) (54) (31) (32) (33) (86)
ITEM	<u>INID</u> <u>No.</u>	ITEM	<u>INID</u> <u>No.</u>
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Priority document <u>number(s)</u>	(31)	International patent <u>classification</u> symbols	(51)
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Country in which priority document filed	(33)	Priority document <u>number(s)</u>	(31)
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		Inventors <u>names</u> if known	(72)
		Patent Attorneys	(74)
		Related by addition	(61)
		Related by division	(62)

You will notice at each stage of following an application through that all applications are in alphabetical order of Applicant, not inventor.

### 2. To Find Information About a Patent Application If You Know Its Number.

Use the appropriate numerical index. This will give you the name of the applicant from the number. You will then need to use the appropriate Name Index as above to find out other information about the Patent Application you are interested in.

The following Numerical Indices are available:

- A) Provisional Applications filed.
- B) Complete Applications filed.
- C) Applications **Open to Public Inspection**.
- D) Applications Accepted (note that this uses six-figure document numbers rather than five-figure application numbers).

# 3. To Find Information About Patent Documents in the Technical Subject that You are Interested in if You Know the International Patent Classification Symbol for that Technical Subject.

All patent applications are classified according to their technical subject matter using the International Patent Classification (**IPC**). Although the system is very detailed and covers all technologies, knowledge of the IPC symbols of the technical subject that you are interested in will allow you to find patent documents in those technologies quite easily. To identify the IPC symbols for the technical subject that you are interested in ville interested in, please consult the official IPC web page at <a href="http://www.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipc8">http://www.wipo.int/classifications/ipc/ipc8</a>. This web page has extra aids to locate the classification symbols such as a catchword index, definitions and illustrations. The IPC symbols may appear in publications in boldface (for "invention information") or regular typeface (for "additional information"). The italic typeface indicates that IP Australia classifies into the advanced level of IPC. The version indicator after each IPC symbol, e.g. (2006.01), indicates the year and the month that the symbol first appeared in IPC.

The indices to use are

- A) Applications **OPI** IPC Index
- B) Applications Accepted IPC Index.

These indices give you the numbers of the applications which are either OPI or Accepted and are listed in order of their IPC symbols.

Once you have the numbers of the documents that interest you, consult the relevant Number Index (see 2. above) to find the applicant's name, and then the Name Index (see 1. above) to find out the details of that application.

# INID NUMBERS in use on Australian Patent Documents

INID is an acronym for ' <u>I</u>nternationally agreed <u>N</u>umbers for the <u>I</u>dentification of <u>D</u>ata '.

### (10) Document Identification

- (11) Number of the document
- (12) Plain language designation of the kind of document.
- (19) WIPO country code, or other identification, of the country publishing the document.

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- (21) The number(s) assigned to the application(s)
- (22) Date(s) of filing application(s)
- (23) Other date(s) of filing, including exhibition filing date of filing complete specification following provisional specification.
- (24) Date from which industrial property rights may have effect.

### (30) Priority date

- (31) Number(s) assigned to priority application(s)
- (32) Date(s) of filing priority application(s)
  - (33) Country (countries) in which the priority application(s) was (were) filed.
- (40) Date(s) of making available to the public

(43) Date of publication by printing or similar process of an unexamined document, on which no grant has taken place on or before the said date.

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### (50) Technical Information

- (51) International Patent Classification.
- (52) Domestic or national classification.
- (54) Title of invention.
- (56) List of prior art documents, if separate from descriptive text.
- (57) Abstract or claim.

### (60) Reference(s) to other legally related domestic document(s)

- (60) Related by cognate(s).
- (61) Related by addition(s)
- (62) Related by division(s).

### (70) Identification of parties concerned with document

- (70) Name(s) of nominated person
- (**71**) Name(s) of applicant(s).
- (72) Name(s) of inventor(s) if known to be such.
- (74) Name(s) of attorney(s) or agent(s).
- (75) Name(s) of inventor(s) who is (are) also applicant(s)

## (80) Identification of data related to International Conventions other than the Paris Convention

- (86) PCT Application Number.
- (87) PCT Publication Number.

### NOTE:

(1) Australian patent documents published on or after 26 October 1978 should be referred to by the application number preceded by the AU-A or AU-B.

AU-A = Pre-examination AU-B = Post-examination

(2) The classification used is the International Patent Classification and is identified by the INID code (51). Further editions of the classification are identified as  $(51)^2$ ,  $(51)^3$ ,  $(51)^4$  and  $(51)^5$ .

(3) INID code 74 provides for the name of patent attorney, or firm of attorneys, prosecuting an application.

(4) No provision is made for addresses for service. Addresses for service of applicants not represented by an independent attorney or firm are viewable at www.ipaustralia.gov.au and on sale at the IP Australia State Offices.

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# **Proceedings under the Patents Act 1990**

# Applications Lapsed, Refused Or Withdrawn Patents Ceased or Expired

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34397 (5C)		

### Change of Name(s) of Applicant(s), Section 104

785278 BHP Steel (AIS) Pty Ltd The name of the applicant(s) has been changed to **Bluescope Steel (AIS) Pty. Ltd.** 

### **Extensions of Time, Section 223**

### **Applications Received**

Notice of opposition under Section 223(6) to the undermentioned application(s) for an extension of time may be lodged at the Patent Office within the prescribed time.

### 2000

67568 Eastern Virginia Medical School of the Medical College of Hampton Roads and Old Dominion University Research Foundation An application to extend the time from 4 Feb 2002 to 4 Aug 2006 in which to enter the National Phase has been lodged. . Address for service in Australia - PETER MAXWELL & ASSOCIATES PO Box R1466 Royal Exchange SYDNEY NSW 1225

627954 Australian Vacuum Packing Machines Pty Ltd. An application to extend the time from 20 Nov 2004 to 27 Oct 2006 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - Karen DiBartolo 22-24 Magnesium Drive Crestmead Qld 4132

687353 **President and Fellows of Harvard College** An application to extend the time from 6 Jul 2005 to 11 Oct 2006 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - Cullen & Co GPO Box 1074 BRISBANE QLD 4001

696872 **STI-K Polymers Sdn Bhd** An application to extend the time from 26 Jun 2004 to 26 Aug 2006 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - PHILLIPS ORMONDE & FITZPATRICK 367 Collins Street MELBOURNE VIC 3000

722668 Planet Biotechnology, Inc.; Regents of the University of California, The and King's College London An application to extend the time from 27 Dec 2005 to 27 Aug 2006 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - SPRUSON & FERGUSON GPO Box 3898 SYDNEY NSW 2001

753357 **Galtieri, G.** An application to extend the time from 24 Nov 2005 to 24 Jul 2006 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - SPRUSON &

### Extensions of Time, Section 223 -cont'd

FERGUSON GPO Box 3898 SYDNEY NSW 2001

760638 **Curagen Corp.** An application to extend the time from 10 Nov 2005 to 10 Oct 2006 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - Cullen & Co GPO Box 1074 BRISBANE QLD 4001

773602 Planet Biotechnology, Inc.; King's College London and Regents of the University of California, The An application to extend the time from 27 Dec 2005 to 27 Aug 2006 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - SPRUSON & FERGUSON GPO Box 3898 SYDNEY NSW 2001

777840 **Wavin B.V.** An application to extend the time from 3 Mar 2005 to 3 Sep 2006 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - Davies Collison Cave Level 15 1 Nicholson Street MELBOURNE VIC 3000

782233 Hadasit Medical Research Services & Development Co. Ltd. An application to extend the time from 20 Nov 2005 to 20 Aug 2006 in which to provide search results under S45(3) has been filed . Address for service in Australia - Griffith Hack GPO Box 1285K MELBOURNE VIC 3001

784762 **MFH Hyperthermiesysteme GmbH** An application to extend the time from 26 Apr 2006 to 26 Aug 2006 in which to file the prescribed documents has been lodged. . Address for service in Australia - Davies Collison Cave GPO Box 3876 SYDNEY NSW 2001

### Applications Allowed - Section 223(2)

634423 **E.R. Squibb & Sons, LLC** The time in which to request extension of term has been extended to 12 Nov 2006 . Address for service in Australia - PHILLIPS ORMONDE & FITZPATRICK 367 Collins Street MELBOURNE VIC 3000

### Amendments, Section 104

#### **Amendments Made**

702793 Alam, H. and Teoh, S.T. The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 8 Jun 2006

727861 **Titanox Developments Ltd.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 8 Jun 2006

740344 **Sanofi-Aventis Deutschland GmbH** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 17 Nov 2005

779151 **Respironics, Inc.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 8 Jun 2006

781269 AstraZeneca AB The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 8 Jun 2006

783551 **Lucite International UK Ltd.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 8 Jun 2006

### Applications Accepted Name Index

. The Nominated Person(s) (INID 70) are listed only if they differ from the Applicant(s) (INID 71). Otherwise only the Applicant(s) are listed.

- (71) Aktiebolaget Electrolux
- (11) AU-B-44469/02 (10) 785242 (21) 44469/02 (22) 30.05.02 (54) DOOR GASKET OF A REFRIGERATOR OR FREEZER (51) Int. Cl. F25D 23/08 (2006.01) E05C 19/16 (2006.01) (31) 0102121 (32) 14.06.01 (33) SE (43) 19.12.02 (44) 30.11.06 (72) Holmqvist, R. (74) Davies Collison Cave (71) Aruze Corp.; Seta Corp. (10) 785246 (11) AU-B-29217/02 (21) 29217/02 (22) 30.03.02 ADVERTISEMENT DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM (54) AND SERVER (51) Int. Cl. G06F 17/40 (2006.01) G06Q 30/00 (2006.01) (31) 2001-105628 (32) 04.04.01 (33) JP (43) 10.10.02 30.11.06 (44) Okada, K.; Fujimoto, J.; Nonaka, N.; (72)Nakagawa, K. SPRUSON & FERGUSON (74)
- (71) Chiang, H. (11) AU-B-72048/01 (10) 785245 (21) 72048/01 (22) 13.09.01 (54) SWIMMING GOGGLES (51) Int. Cl. A63B 33/00 (2006.01) 20.03.03 (43) (44) 30.11.06 (72) Chiang, H. WATERMARK PATENT & TRADEMARK (74)ATTORNEYS (71) Chiang, H. (11) AU-B-77339/01 (10) 785247 (21) 77339/01 (22) 02.10.01 (54) A PAIR OF SWIMMING GOGGLES (51) Int. Cl. A63B 33/00 (2006.01) (43) 03.04.03 (44) 30.11.06 (72) Chiang, H. (74) WATERMARK PATENT & TRADEMARK ATTORNEYS (71) Chiang, H.
- (11) AU-B-70336/01 (10) 785248
- **(21)** 70336/01 **(22)** 12.09.01
- (54) SWIMMING GOGGLES (51) Int. Cl.
  - A63B 33/00 (2006.01)

- (43) 13.03.03
- (44) 30.11.06
- (72) Chiang, H.
- (74) WATERMARK PATENT & TRADEMARK ATTORNEYS
- Seta Corp. see Aruze Corp.
- (11) AU-B-29217/02
- (71) Suomen Kuitulava Oy
- (11) AU-B-57653/01 (10) 785243
- (21) 57653/01 (22) 26.07.01
- (54) PALLET AND METHOD FOR MAKING THE SAME
- (51) Int. Cl.
- **B65D 19/34** (2006.01)
- **(43)** 30.01.03 **(44)** 30.11.06
- (72) Rantanen, K.
- (74) F B Rice & Co
- (71) Toyo Seikan Kaisha, Ltd.
- (11) AU-B-48818/02 (10) 785244
- **(21)** 48818/02 **(22)** 17.06.02
- (54) RESIN-COATED SEAMLESS CAN
- (51) Int. Cl.
  - **B65D 1/12** (2006.01)
  - B32B 15/08 (2006.01)
  - B65D 8/16 (2006.01)
    - B65D 25/14 (2006.01)
    - **B65D 25/34** (2006.01)
    - (31) 2001-192047 (32) 25.06.01 (33) JP

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785242	Aktiebolaget Electrolux	785246	Aruze Corp. Seta Corp.
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785248	B65D 1/-	B65D 19/-	E05C 19/-	G06F 17/-	

### **Opposition Proceedings**

(The name in the parentheses is that of the opponent)

#### **Opposition Withdrawn**

758954 EWT Trade and Business Consultants NZ Limited (Fast Art Bureau Pty Ltd)

#### **Assignments Registered**

691473 Ali Guryel The patent has been assigned to Frontline Technology Ltd

694604 Fluor Corporation The patent has been assigned to **Fluor Technologies Corporation** 

698461 Kevin Francis Patrick Barry Jr. The patent has been assigned to Matthew John Bell

733306 Exxon Chemical Patents Inc. The patent has been assigned to **Univation Technologies, LLC** 

747698 Carlos Vonderwalde Freidberg The patent has been assigned to **Design & Performance - Cyprus Limited** 

748793 Fluor Corporation The patent has been assigned to Fluor Technologies Corporation

749285 Carlos Vonderwalde Freidberg The patent has been assigned to **Design & Performance - Cyprus Limited** 

758934 Fluor Corporation The patent has been assigned to Fluor Technologies Corporation

761588 Research Association for Reforestation of Tropical Forest The patent has been assigned to **OJI Paper Co., Ltd.** 

763045 Bruce Medical AB The patent has been assigned to Tigran Technologies AB (publ)

763105 SeaPro Theranostics International The patent has been assigned to Inzinta Trading Co. Ltd

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784516	784918	784930	784932	784933	784934	
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### Assignments Registered - cont'd

767442 Fluor Corporation The patent has been assigned to Fluor Technologies Corporation

774837 Fluor Corporation The patent has been assigned to Fluor Technologies Corporation

780149 Carlos Vonderwalde Freidberg The patent has been assigned to **Design & Performance - Cyprus Limited** 

783060 Richard Amadio The patent has been assigned to Richard Amadio Holdings (Aust) Pty Limited

#### Licences Registered

(The name in parentheses is that of the licensee)

606992 Les Laboratoires Servier (Servier Laboratoires (Australia) Pty Ltd)

607260 Les Laboratoires Servier (Servier Laboratoires (Australia) Pty Ltd)

608363 Les Laboratoires Servier (Servier Laboratoires (Australia) Pty Ltd)

618752 Les Laboratoires Servier (Servier Laboratoires (Australia) Pty Ltd)

542611 Adir (Servier Laboratoires (Australia) Pty Ltd)

### Alteration Of Name In Register

684327 Crompton GmbH The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to  $Chemtura\ Organometallics\ GmbH$ 

684867 Crompton GmbH The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to Chemtura Organometallics GmbH

684868 Crompton GmbH The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to Chemtura Organometallics GmbH

689171 Crompton GmbH The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to  $\mbox{Chemtura Organometallics GmbH}$ 

736707 Borean Pharma A/S The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to Roche Bio Denmark A/S

757265 Pharmagene Laboratories Ltd. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Asterand UK Limited** 

766850 QSF Acquisitions Inc. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Quality Steel Limited** 

766917 QSF Acquisitions Inc. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Quality Steel Limited** 

768370 Excel Corporation The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to Cargill Meat Solutions Corporation

### **Extensions of Term of Standard Patents, Section 70**

#### Application filed

The following application(s) for Extension of Term under Section 70 have been filed.

634423 E.R. Squibb & Sons, LLC

BARACLUDE entecavir monohydrate

#### Application accepted

Notice of opposition under Section 75(1) to the undermentioned application(s) for an extension of term may be lodged at the Patent Office within the prescribed time.

613314 Genetics Institute, LLC

Bone Morphogenic Protein (rhBMP)

Address for Service: Freehills Patent & Trade Mark Attorneys MLC Centre Martin Place SYDNEY NSW 2000

Date extended term due to expire on 30/06/2012

### Corrigenda

In Vol 20, No 41, Page(s) 1081 under the heading **Applications Accepted - Name Index** in the name of Nintendo Co., Ltd., Serial No. 785188, INID (31), amend the Number to read 2001-271915

In Vol 20, No 31, Page(s) 1021 under the heading Extension of Term of Standard Patents, Section 70 Please delete all reference to Patent No. 580151

In Vol 20, No 36, Page(s) 1055 under the heading **Extension of Term of Standard Patents, Section 70** Please delete all reference Patent No. 710564