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GUIDE TO THE USE OF THIS JOURNAL

The Australian Official Journal of Patents (AOJP) reports all major events and actions which take place during the life cycle of an Australian patent and provides certain details of these actions as they relate to the patent or patent application involved. This guide sets out to teach the reader how to use the journal to access this information.

While there are many possible actions in the life of a patent, the majority of actions reported relate to the following events, which are the main stages in the progression of a patent application to a sealed patent:

(i) FILING -

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

(ii) OPEN-TO-PUBLIC-INSPECTION (OPI) -

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.

(iii) NATIONAL PHASE ENTRY (NPE) -

For an application filed under the PCT to have full effect, it must move from the international phase of processing into the National phase of processing, by complying with the requirements of s.89(3). For PCT applications that were filed after 1 January 2004 which have entered the National Phase certain details are published.

(iv) ACCEPTANCE -

This is the Commissioner's acceptance of a patent application. Once the Commissioner has accepted a patent application, certain details of the application are published in the AOJP. Notice of opposition may be filed within three months of advertisement of acceptance.

(v) OPPOSITION -

If an opposition action is commenced against the grant of the patent, the six-figure acceptance number and the name of the opponent are published. If the opposition is to the Certification of an Innovation Patent, the patent number and the name of the opponent are published.

(vi) SEALING -

Most accepted applications are not opposed. These proceed to sealing and become granted patents. Of the few that are opposed (less than 1%) most of these, after resolution of the opposition, proceed to sealing and become granted patents. Sealed patents are simply listed in order of their application number.

(vii) CERTIFICATION-

This is the Commissioner's Certification after passing examination of a previously granted unexamined Innovation Patent.

In addition to the actions related to these stages, other actions reported include: assignments, lapsing or withdrawal of applications and ceasing or expiry of patents, voluntary amendments, extensions of time for certain actions and registration of licences.

How To Identify Information Using "INID" Numbers

Patents are published in many different countries and in many different languages. As a result, finding the information that you want (eg the filing date) on a patent document or in a journal can be quite difficult. There is an international system operating, however, which codifies this information in an unambiguous way, by assigning a specific number to each piece of information about the history of a patent. These numbers are called the **Internationally agreed Numbers for the Identification of Data** or INID numbers.

These numbers appear on all published patents and abstracts and are used throughout this journal to identify particular items of information. For example, the date on which a document is filed has the INID number (22), while the name of the applicant has the INID number of (71). These numbers are always expressed in parentheses and always immediately precede the information to which they relate. For example:

(22) 12.10.91

means that the filing date of the document which contains this reference is 12 October 1991. Learning the INID numbers for the information you want will help you find it quickly and easily.

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

How Australian Patent Documents are Numbered

Patent applications in Australia are assigned a number at the filing stage in their processing. Each Australian application will retain the same number throughout its life, though different numbers may be associated to the application. The number will incorporate the year of lodgment then a unique number within the appropriate range.

 There will be number ranges for types of patents:

 100,000 – 199,999
 Innovation

 200,000 – 799,999
 Standard

 800,000 – 899,999
 Petty

 900,000 – 999,999
 Provisional

When searching for information and ordering documents it is vital that you understand the numbering systems.

1. Provisional Applications are given a ten-figure number

e.g. 2002901123

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

2. Complete and Innovation Applications are also given a ten-figure application number

e.g. 2002200345 Standard 2002100123 Innovation

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; eg AU-A-2002200234. A document corresponding to an accepted application carries the prefix AU-B; eg AU-B-2002200234.

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 ten-figure application number is identified by the INID number (21).

NOTE: When ordering any patent document from us, whether accepted or not, please quote the ten-figure application number preceded by the appropriate prefix.

Arrangement of Information in the Journal

For each of the categories

- (i) Provisional Applications Filed,
- (ii) Complete Applications Filed,
- (iii) Applications Open to Public Inspection
- (iv) Applications Entered National Phase
- (v) Applications Accepted, and
- (vi) Innovation Patent Certified.

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.

There are also IPC Indices provided for applications which are OPI, for applications which have entered national phase and for applications which have been accepted. IPC stands for International **P**atent **C**lassification. Each IPC "mark" is an alpha-numerical representation of a particular area of technology. These indices are in order of IPC mark, and within each mark provide either the five-figure application numbers of the application which are now OPI or the six-figure numbers of the cases now accepted. These indices are useful if you wish to check on patent activity in a particular technology.

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Using the Indices

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:

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You will notice at each stage of following 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) Innovation Applications filed.
- D) Applications Open to Public Inspection.
- E) Applications Entered National Phase
- F) Applications Accepted.
- G) Innovation Patent Certified

3. To Find Information About Patent Documents in the Area of Technology in which You are Interested if You Know the International Patent Classification Mark for that Area.

All patent applications are classified according to their subject matter using the International Patent Classification (IPC). Although the system is very detailed and covers all technologies, knowledge of the IPC marks of the technologies you are interested in will allow you to find patent documents in these technologies quite easily. To identify the IPC marks of technologies you are interested in, you can inspect relevant documentation in any of IP Australia's state offices.

The indices to use are

- A) Applications OPI IPC Index
- B) Applications accepted IPC Index
- C) Applications Entered National Phase IPC Index

These indices give you the numbers of the applications which are either OPI, Entered National Phase or Accepted and are listed in order of their IPC marks.

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 'Internationally agreed \underline{N} umbers for the Identification of \underline{D} 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.

(20) Document filing data

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

(30) Priority data

- (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 <u>unexamined</u> document, on which no grant has taken place on or before the said date.
- (44) Date of publication by printing or similar process of an <u>examined</u> document, on which no grant has taken place on or before the said date.
- (45) Date of publication by printing or similar process of a document, on which grant or certification has taken place on or before the said date.

(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 the document

- (71) Name(s) of applicant(s)
- (72) Name(s) of inventor(s) if know 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 prefix 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 the patent attorney, or firm of attorneys, prosecuting an application.

ABSTRACTS OF DECISIONS

DECISION OF A DELEGATE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS

Application	:	No. 757504 in the name of Beaumont Gregory Lyons
Title	:	A Hammock Stand
Action	:	Opposition under S59 and under S104 opposition to proposed amendments under S102 by Jonathan Charles Albert Noble
Decision	:	Issued 4 May 2007.

Abstract

A joint opposition under S59 and S104 was held.

With regard to the claims as accepted, they were found to lack fair basis, novelty and inventive step. With regard to the claims as proposed to be amended, claims 1 to 12 and 25, 26 lacked either novelty and / or inventive step and claims 1 to 12 of the claims as proposed to be amended lacked fair basis. The amendments were found to be allowable and the patent applicant was given an opportunity to file amendments.

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Applications Lapsed, Refused Or Withdrawn Patents Ceased or Expired

Reference to the application numbers must include the year of the application of the patent, which is shown preceding the numbers.

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1	Application Lapsed Section 142(2	2)(a) \S 47(C)\	587637 (14)	587855 (14)	587860 (14)
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3	Application Lapsed Section 142(2	2)(c) \S 52B(3)\	588362 (14)	588369 (14)	588617 (14)
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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.

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60838 **Gemtech Corp. Ltd.** An application to extend the time from 15 May 2006 to 15 Jan 2007 in which to pay a continuation fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - Shelston IP Level 21 60 Margaret Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

642632 **Health Research, Inc.** An application to extend the time from 6 Jul 2004 to 6 Jan 2007 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - F B Rice & Co Level 23 44 Market Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

660297 **Gillies, S.D.** An application to extend the time from 7 Nov 2003 to 7 Feb 2007 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

714212 **Thorne, P.** An application to extend the time from 3 Oct 2006 to 3 May 2007 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - PIZZEYS PO Box 291 WODEN ACT 2606

718498 **Regents of the University of California, The** An application to extend the time from 20 Feb 2003 to 2 Feb 2007 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - F.B. Rice & Co. Level 23 200 Queen Street MELBOURNE Vic 3000

728269 **Thorne, P.** An application to extend the time from 9 Apr 2006 to 9 May 2007 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - PIZZEYS PO Box 291 WODEN ACT 2606

750938 Norwood Industries Pty Ltd An application to extend the time from 5 Mar 2004 to 5 Apr 2007 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged . Address for service in Australia - PHILLIPS ORMONDE & FITZPATRICK 367 Collins Street MELBOURNE VIC 3000

756450 British American Tobacco Investments Ltd. An

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application to extend the time from 1 Feb 2004 to 1 Mar 2007 in which to provide search results under S45(3) has been filed . Address for service in Australia - Shelston IP Level 21 60 Margaret Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

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783881 **Wiseman, C.A. and Wiseman, C.** The time in which to pay a renewal fee has been extended to 6 Mar 2007 . Address for service in Australia - Cecil & Christopher Wiseman 520 Bucketts Way Wards River NSW 2422

Amendments, Section 104

Applications for Amendment

A person interested in opposing the allowance of the amendment may, at any time within three months from the date of this journal, give notice at the Patent Office using the approved form accompanied by the prescribed fee.

784169 Homeobox gene encoding a protein involved in differentiation **Suntory Ltd.** The nature of the proposed amendment is as shown in the statement(s) filed 27 Oct 2006. Address for service in Australia - Griffith Hack GPO Box 1285K MELBOURNE VIC 3001

785289 Apparatus and methods for coating of the catheter inner lumen **Biosynergetics**, **Inc.** The nature of the proposed amendment is as shown in the statement(s) filed 12 Aug 2002. . Address for service in Australia - SPRUSON & FERGUSON GPO Box 3898 SYDNEY NSW 2001

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679055 **Edwards, P.R.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 16 Nov 2006

680635 **G.D. Searle & Co. and Monsanto Co.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 14 Dec 2006

740396 **Raphael Valves Industries (1975) Ltd.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 25 Sep 2003

742757 **Immunex Corp.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 9 Nov 2006

749606 **Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, The** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 19 Oct 2006

762376 **Henry M. Jackson Foundation, The** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 7 Dec 2006

764803 **C-Pos Pty Ltd** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 4 Jan 2007

782607 Mitsui Chemicals, Inc. The nature of the amendment is as

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783278 Genomic Profiling Systems, Inc. The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 2 Nov 2006

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Alteration Of Name In Register

640245 Pharmacia Aktiebolag The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to Pfizer Health AB

 $690961\$ Kyle Enterprises Pty Limited The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to $Brian\ James\ Prentice$

716813 Sea NG Management Corporation The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Sea NG Corporation**

722634 Sea NG Management Corporation The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Sea NG Corporation**

727439 Helmuth Spath The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to Helmut Spath

770488 Pharmacia Diagnostics AB The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Phadia AB**

779359 American Board of Family Practice, Inc. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to American Board of Family Medicine, Inc.

785307 785313 785319 Extensions of Term of Standard Patents, Section 70

Grant

The following application(s) for Extension of Term have been granted under Section 74.

618989 British Technology Group Ltd.

MABCAMPATH alemtuzumab

Date extended term due to expire on 10/02/2014

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641593	Xstrata	Windimurra	Pty	Limited	The	patent	has	been	
assigned to Windimurra Vanadium Pty Ltd									

784659 International Game Technology The patent has been assigned to **IGT**

Corrigenda

In Vol 13, No 28, Page(s) 4231 under the heading **Patents Ceased** or **Expired** Please delete all reference to Patent No. 685730

Specifications Republished

The following specifications contained errors when advertised OPI or Accepted. They have been reissued on the AU-A or AU-B CD-ROM of this Journal date.

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1. Replace present claims page 86 with amended claims page 86 as filed herewith, with a further copy showing the nature and location of proposed amendments.

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