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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) 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.

### (iv) 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.

### (v) 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.

### (vi) 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 and for applications which have been accepted. IPC stands for International Patent Classification. 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.

## 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:

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>INID</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>INID</u> <u>No.</u>
<b>A) Provisional applications filed - Name Index</b>		<b>B) Complete applications filed - Name Index</b>	
The <u>name</u> of the applicant	(71)	The <u>name</u> of the applicant	(71)
The Provisional application <u>number</u>	(21)	The <u>number</u> assigned to the application	(21)
The <u>date</u> of filing	(22)	The <u>date</u> of filing	(22)
The <u>title</u> of the invention	(54)	<u>Title</u> of the invention	(54)
		<u>Number</u> of priority document(s) if any	(31)
		<u>Date(s)</u> of filing of priority documents	(32)
		<u>Country</u> of which priority documents filed	(33)
		PCT application <u>number</u>	(86)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>INID</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>INID</u> <u>No.</u>
<b>C) Applications open to public inspection - Name Index</b>		<b>D) Applications accepted - Name Index</b>	
The <u>name</u> of the applicant	(71)	The <u>name</u> of the applicant	(71)
The <u>number</u> of the document	(11)	The <u>number</u> of the document	(11)
The <u>number</u> assigned to the application	(21)	The <u>number</u> of the accepted document	(10)
The <u>date</u> of filing	(22)	The <u>number</u> assigned to the application	(21)
The <u>title</u>	(54)	The <u>date</u> of filing	(22)
The <u>classification marks</u>	(51)	The <u>title</u>	(54)
Priority document <u>number(s)</u>	(31)	The <u>classification marks</u>	(51)
<u>Date</u> of filing of priority document(s)	(32)	PCT publication <u>number</u>	(87)
<u>Country</u> in which priority document filed	(33)	Priority document <u>number</u>	(31)
Publication <u>date</u> of unexamined document	(43)	<u>Date</u> of filing of priority document(s)	(32)
Inventors names if known	(72)	<u>Country</u> in which priority document filed	(33)
<u>Patent Attorneys</u>	(74)	Publication <u>date</u> of unexamined document	(43)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>INID</u> <u>No.</u>
<b>E) Patents Certified – Name Index</b>	
The <u>name</u> of the applicant	(71)
The <u>number</u> of the accepted document	(10)
The <u>number</u> assigned to the application	(21)
The <u>date</u> of filing	(22)
The <u>title</u>	(54)
The <u>classification marks</u>	(51)
Priority document <u>number</u>	(31)
<u>Date</u> of filing of priority document(s)	(32)
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Publication <u>date</u> of granted patent	(45)
Inventors <u>names</u>	(72)
<u>Patent Attorneys</u>	(74)
Related by division	(62)

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 **Accepted**.
- F) 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.

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 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 Numbers for the Identification of Data'.

#### **(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 unexamined 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 examined 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 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 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)<sub>2</sub>, (51)<sub>3</sub>, (51)<sub>4</sub> and (51)<sub>5</sub>.
- (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. **784051** in the name of **Robert R. Law**

**Title** : **CONVEYOR BELT CLEANER**

**Action** : Request by **RAZER INDUSTRIES PTY LTD** for dismissal of an opposition by **ROBERT R LAW** to an application under Regulation 22.21 by **RAZER INDUSTRIES PTY LTD** for a licence

**Decision** : Issued 13 August 2010.

**Abstract**

The request for dismissal of the opposition was unsuccessful.

Following comments in *HRC Project Design Pty Ltd v Orford Pty Ltd* [1997] APO 12, it was found that each ground presented was a valid ground on which to oppose an application for a licence.

It was clear from the particulars what case the patentee was intending to run. However, relevant particulars present in the Statement were interspersed with other particulars that seem unnecessary or irrelevant. A direction was made for the patentee to provide, within one (1) month of the date of this decision, further and better particulars which explain the relevance of the individual particulars to the opposition.

## Proceedings under the Patents Act 1990

### 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.

666762 **Aktiebolaget Electrolux** An application to extend the time from 14 Sep 2009 to 14 Aug 2010 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged. Address for service in Australia - CPA Global Limited PO Box Q263 QVB Post Shop SYDNEY NSW 1230

692791 **Agrigenetics, Inc.** An application to extend the time from 5 Oct 2009 to 5 Jul 2010 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged. Address for service in Australia - PHILLIPS ORMONDE FITZPATRICK 367 Collins Street MELBOURNE VIC 3000

769980 **Technical Casino Services Ltd. and Technology and Procurement Holdings (Pty) Ltd.** An application to extend the time from 24 Jan 2010 to 24 Aug 2010 in which to pay a renewal fee has been lodged. Address for service in Australia - Fraser Old & Sohn PO Box 560 MILSONS POINT NSW 1565

### 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.

744779 Polymer composition **Lucite International UK Ltd.** The nature of the proposed amendment is as shown in the statement(s) filed 23 Jul 2010. Address for service in Australia - Callinans PO Box 1189 HARTWELL VIC 3124

#### Amendments Made

681541 **Neotec Holdings Ltd.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 8 Apr 2010

721968 **I.G.T. (Australia) Pty. Ltd.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 22 Apr 2010

728357 **Isis Innovation Ltd.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 18 Mar 2010

767725 **Amgen, Inc.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 18 Mar 2010

772529 **Japan Science and Technology Agency** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 25 Feb 2010

781407 **NTT DoCoMo, Inc.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 18 Mar 2010

785307 **Onesteel Reinforcing Pty Ltd.** The nature of the amendment is as was notified in the Official Journal dated 14 Jan 2010

### Opposition Proceedings

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

#### Opposition Withdrawn

779844 **BHP Minerals International, Inc.** (Minara Resources Limited)

### Assignments Registered

631143 Ineos Silicas Limited The patent has been assigned to **PQ Silicas UK Limited**

661080 Procter & Gamble Pharmaceuticals, Inc. The patent has been assigned to **Warner Chilcott Company, LLC**

667848 Rhone-Poulenc Agrochimie The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

673220 Donald B. Ayres The patent has been assigned to **L&P Property Management Company**

679738 Rhone-Poulenc Agrochimie The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

681573 Nabi Biopharmaceuticals The patent has been assigned to **GlaxoSmithKline Biologicals SA**

691103 Rhone-Poulenc Agro The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

700655 Qld. Procast Pty. Limited The patent has been assigned to **Procast Australia Pty Ltd**

707061 Rhone-Poulenc Agrochimie The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

709630 Bayer CropScience SA The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

709916 NEC Electronics Corporation The patent has been assigned to **Renesas Electronics Corporation**

712368 Rhone-Poulenc Agro The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

713216 Rhone-Poulenc Agrochimie The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

713703 Bayer CropScience SA The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

714175 Ineos Silicas Limited The patent has been assigned to **PQ Silicas UK Limited**

715210 Novozymes Biopharma UK Limited The patent has been assigned to **Novozymes Biopharma DK A/S**

715861 Rhone-Poulenc Agro The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

**Assignments Registered - cont'd**

716143 Rhone-Poulenc Agro The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

716146 Bayer CropScience SA The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

716396 Rhone-Poulenc Agrochimie The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

718521 Rhone-Poulenc Agro The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

720734 Ineos Silicas Limited The patent has been assigned to **PQ Silicas UK Limited**

723032 NEC Electronics Corporation The patent has been assigned to **Renesas Electronics Corporation**

724516 The University of Bristol The patent has been assigned to **Trident Pharmaceuticals, Inc.**

725462 EVAX Technologies AG The patent has been assigned to **Werner Lubitz**

729036 MTD Products Australia Pty Ltd The patent has been assigned to **MTD Products Inc**

733482 Brian Mirfin; Walter Ponderfer The patent has been assigned to **Cottingham Agencies Limited**

736114 NEC Electronics Corporation The patent has been assigned to **Renesas Electronics Corporation**

737402 Pentapharm AG The patent has been assigned to **DSM IP Assets B.V.**

739470 Rhone-Poulenc Agro The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

746781 S.I.D.A.M. Stampi Industria Dolciaria Affini Milano S.r.l. The patent has been assigned to **Gram Equipment Italia S.r.l.**

747295 Limtech Carbonate Inc. The patent has been assigned to **SM Lithium Equipment, LLC**

749429 Rhone-Poulenc Agro The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

754574 Rhone-Poulenc Agro The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

757208 Bayer CropScience SA The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

759003 Bayer CropScience SA The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

767661 LAB International Barbados, SRL The patent has been assigned to **Nanohale GmbH**

768124 Occupational and Medical Innovations Limited The patent has been assigned to **Southmedic Incorporated**

769298 Acusphere, Inc. The patent has been assigned to **Hovione Inter Ltd**

773226 Nabi Biopharmaceuticals The patent has been assigned to

**Assignments Registered - cont'd**

**GlaxoSmithKline Biologicals SA**

776845 Pentapharm AG The patent has been assigned to **DSM IP Assets B.V.**

777136 Bayer CropScience SA The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

779791 Park Johnstead The patent has been assigned to **Portable Machine Tools Australasia Pty. Ltd.**

783530 F.X.K. Patents Limited The patent has been assigned to **Luxfer Gas Cylinders Limited**

783618 Aventis CropScience S.A. The patent has been assigned to **Bayer S.A.S.**

784609 Cancer Research Technology Limited The patent has been assigned to **Spear Therapeutics Limited**

**Mortgages Registered**

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

647933 **SIGMA PHARMACEUTICALS (AUSTRALIA) PTY LTD** (Westpac Banking Corp.)

**Alteration Of Name In Register**

657504 Mitsubishi Kagaku Iatron, Inc. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Mitsubishi Chemical Medience Corporation**

659136 Alphameric Leisure Limited The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **OpenBet Retail Limited**

662855 Novatech Controls (Aust.) Pty. Ltd. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Novatech Controls Pty Ltd**

665460 Mitsubishi Kagaku Iatron, Inc. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Mitsubishi Chemical Medience Corporation**

689147 Mitsubishi Kagaku Iatron, Inc. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Mitsubishi Chemical Medience Corporation**

715828 Mitsubishi Kagaku Iatron, Inc. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Mitsubishi Chemical Medience Corporation**

774468 Mitsubishi Kagaku Iatron, Inc. The name of the patentee(s) has been changed to **Mitsubishi Chemical Medience 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.

678650 **AstraZeneca AB**

CLEVIPREX clevidipine butyrate

685532 **AstraZeneca AB**

CLEVIPREX clevidipine butyrate

749623 **Astellas Pharma Inc.**

PROGRAF-XL Tacrolimus

**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.

678650 **AstraZeneca AB**

CLEVIPREX clevidipine butyrate

Address for Service: Davies Collison Cave Level 15 1 Nicholson Street MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Date extended term due to expire on 03/11/2019

685532 **AstraZeneca AB**

CLEVIPREX clevidipine butyrate

Address for Service: Davies Collison Cave Level 15 1 Nicholson Street MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Date extended term due to expire on 03/11/2019