



Patents Form 21

Patents Act 1977 (*Rule 47*)

**Application to register or give notice of rights
acquired in a patent or in an application for a patent**

(See the notes on the back of this form)

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1 Your reference:

2 Patent application or patent number(s)
(see notes (c) & (f))

3 Full name and address of the or of each patent
applicant or proprietor (as currently on the
register or application(s))

Patents ADP number *(if you know it)*

4 Full name and address of the or of each person
acquiring the rights

Patents ADP number (if you know it)

5 Give details of the transaction, instrument or
event which affects the rights in the or each
patent application or patent identified in part
2 above, including its date and the names of all
the parties involved.
(see note (d))

6 Name of your agent *(if you have one)*

“Address for service” in the European Economic
Area or Channel Islands to which all
correspondence should be sent *(see note (g))*
(including postcode)

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7 (Name of each signatory should also be entered, and status if relevant)
(see note e)

I/we hereby confirm that rights as indicated in part 5 above have been acquired and that any necessary stamp duty has been paid.

Signature(s)

Date

8 Name, e-mail address, telephone, fax and/or mobile number, if any, of a contact point for the applicant

Notes

- a) *If you need help to fill in this form or you have any questions, please contact the Office on 08459 500505.*
 - b) *Write your answers in capital letters using black ink or you may type them.*
 - c) *You may use this form for more than one application or patent if the same transaction, instrument or event is involved.*
 - d) *Section 33 (3) of the Patents Act 1977 specifies the relevant transactions, instruments and events (which include assignments, licences and mortgages). You can also use this form to request that the comptroller enters in the Register an equitable interest in a patent or application (e.g. an agreement to assign)*
 - e) *Part 7 should be signed and dated. Documentary evidence sufficient to establish the transaction should accompany this form if:*
 - *in the case of an assignment, it is **not** signed by or on behalf of the parties assigning the rights, or*
 - *in the case of a mortgage or the grant of a licence or security, it is **not** signed by or on behalf of the mortgagor or grantor of the licence or security.*
- Any documents filed as evidence will be destroyed in due course. Original documents are not required – photocopies are sufficient.*
- f) *If there is not enough space for all the relevant details on any part of this form, please continue on a separate sheet of paper and write “see continuation sheet” in the relevant part(s) of the form. Any continuation sheets should be attached to this form.*
 - g) *Although you may have an address for service in the Channel Islands, any agent you appoint to act for you must reside in or have a place of business in the European Economic Area or Isle of Man.*
 - h) *For details of the fee and ways to pay, please contact the Office.*