STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2006 No. 760

The Patents, Trade Marks and Designs (Address For Service and Time Limits, etc) Rules 2006

Amendment of the Trade Marks Rules 2000

20. After rule 69, there shall be inserted—

"Electronic communications

- **69A.**—(1) The delivery using electronic communications to any person by the registrar of any document is deemed to be effected, unless the registrar has otherwise specified, by transmitting an electronic communication containing the document to an address provided or made available to the registrar by that person as an address of his for the receipt of electronic communications; and unless the contrary is proved such delivery is deemed to be effected immediately upon the transmission of the communication.
- (2) In this rule "electronic communication" has the same meaning as in the Electronic Communications Act 2000.".