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SCHEDULE

MINOR AMENDMENTS TO THE PATENTS ACT 1977

Patent applications in or for WTO members

- 1 (1) In section 5 of the Patents Act 1977 (priority date), in subsection (5), after paragraph (a) insert—
- “(aa) an application in or for a country (other than the United Kingdom) which is a member of the World Trade Organisation for protection in respect of an invention which, in accordance with the law of that country or a treaty or international obligation to which it is a party, is equivalent to an application for a patent under this Act;”.
- (2) In that subsection, for “such an application” substitute “ an application for a patent under this Act ”.
- (3) In that section, omit subsection (6).

Commencement Information

- II** Sch. para. 1 in force at 1.10.2014 by S.I. 2014/2330, art. 3, Sch.

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