



# Patents and Designs Act 1907

## 1907 CHAPTER 29

### PART III

#### GENERAL

##### *Patent Office and Proceedings thereat*

#### **62 Patent Office**

- (1) The Treasury may continue to provide for the purposes of this Act and the Trade Marks Act, 1905, an office with all requisite buildings and conveniences, which shall be called, and is in this Act referred to as, the Patent Office.
- (2) The Patent Office shall be under the immediate control of the comptroller, who shall act under the superintendence and direction of the Board of Trade.
- (3) Any act or thing directed to be done by or to the comptroller may be done by or to any officer authorised by the Board of Trade.
- (4) Rules under this Act may provide for the establishment of branch offices for designs at Manchester or elsewhere, and for any document or thing, required by this Act to be sent to or done at the Patent Office, being sent to or done at any branch office which may be established.

#### **63 Officers and clerks**

- (1) There shall continue to be a comptroller-general of patents, designs, and trade marks, and the Board of Trade may, subject to the approval of the Treasury, appoint the comptroller, and so many examiners and other officers and clerks, with such designations and duties as the Board of Trade think fit, and may remove any of those officers and clerks.
- (2) The salaries of those officers and clerks shall be appointed by the Board of Trade, with the concurrence of the Treasury, and those salaries and the other expenses of the

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*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

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execution of this Act and the Trade Marks Act, 1905, shall continue to be paid out of money provided by Parliament.

**64 Seal of Patent Office**

Impressions of the seal of the Patent Office shall be judicially noticed and admitted in evidence.