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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2014 No. 2330**

The Intellectual Property Act 2014 (Commencement  
No. 3 and Transitional Provisions) Order 2014

**Transitional provision regarding the patent opinions service**

**6.** Section 16(4) of the Act applies where a request for an opinion is made under section 74A(1) of the Patents Act 1977<sup>(1)</sup> on or after the commencement date.

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<sup>(1)</sup> [1977 c.37](#); section 74A was inserted by section 13(1) of the Patents Act [2004 \(c.16\)](#) and is amended by section 16(1) of the Act (section 16(1) is brought into force by this Order).