Annex 3

Patent No.	Date Lodged
Court case no.	PDAX or Paper file
Appeal HO	Original HO
Case Name	

	Notice of Appeal received		
1	Is the notice properly sealed? No – appellant contacted		
	Yes – file located, copied and put on file		
2	Has the notice been filed in time? No – court/appellant contacted		
	Yes - continue		
3	If inter partes has HO/DD given direction to instruct counsel?		
	No – go to 6 Yes - continue		
4	All ex parte (DD will inform us if needed for Inter Partes)		
	Notice of appeal & supporting docs e-mailed same day to GLD		
5	Email HO with details – HO appointed by DD		
6	If SPC paper file – send a copy of the appeal notice to the SPC		
	formalities clerk		
	PDAX minutes updated with appeal lodged – message to head of		
	formalities group		
7	Details recorded on SharePoint		
8	Check that appeal notice and supporting documents on dossier/file		
9	Optics checked for decision entry, if present enter Appeal notice		
10	PDJ notice – Check NOPI		
11	Circulate that appeal notice received See annex 4 below		
	Briefing Counsel		
12	Action taken from HO minute/instruction		
13	Parts of dossier copied as instructed by HO		
14	Covering document (Annex 5 of manual) prepared and copy put on		
	document file and dossier if required		
15	Documents sent to GLD on instruction of HO		
	Obtaining Hearing Date		
16	Monitor court website, GLD will normally inform us		
	Date of Appeal Known		
17	HO & other interested parties informed & calendars updated		
18	SharePoint updated		
19	Dossier/proceedings file & appeal folder minuted		
20	Liase with GLD, HO to ensure that all necessary docs and		
	arrangements are ready for the appeal		
	After the Appeal Hearing		
21	Note appeal date on SharePoint		
22	Judgement/order received copied & put on dossier/file		
23	Copy of order to finance if costs awarded to office on decision		
24	SharePoint updated		
25	Circulate that order and/or judgement has been received(full circulation)		
26	Check that B3 has updated Optics		
27	PDJ notice – check NOPI		
28	Notice of Appeal to the Court of Appeal received? No – clear records,		
	inform formalities		
	Yes - continue		

	Court of Appeal	
29	Notice copied & put on dossier/file – notify formalities of further appeal	
30	SharePoint updated	
31	Appeal notice circulated (full circulation)	
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34	Liase with GLD re: date	
35	HO , HA & other interested parties informed	
36	Liase with GLD, HO to ensure that all necessary docs and	
	arrangements are ready for the appeal	
After the Court of Appeal Hearing		
37	Judgement/order received copied & put on dossier/file – copy of Order	
	to finance	
38	SharePoint updated	
39	Circulated (full circulation)	
40	Check that Optics updated by B3	
41	PDJ notice – check NOPI	
42	Appeal to the House of Lords No – clear records, inform formalities	
	Yes - continue	
	Supreme Court	
	NOTE: HO & HA will normally attend	
43	Notice copied & put on dossier/file – notify formalities of further appeal	
44	SharePoint updated	
45	Circulated (full circulation)	
46	Optics updated (A3)	
47	PDJ notice - check NOPI	
48	Date obtained for hearing – Liase with GLD	
49	HO, HA & other interested parties informed	
50	Liase with GLD, HO to ensure that all necessary docs and	
	arrangements are ready for the appeal	
	After the Supreme Court Hearing	
51	Judgement/order received copied & put on dossier/file – copy of Order	
	to finance	
52	SharePoint updated	
53	Circulated (full circulation)	
54	Optics updated by B3	
55	PDJ notice – check NOPI	
56	Appeal for Judicial Review No – clear records, inform formalities	
	Yes - continue	
Judicial Review - refer to Litigation Manual		

Annex 4 Limited circulation list

APPEAL LODGED

Name of the part(y)ies:		
Patent Number(s):		
A notice of Appeal was lodged with the Patent Court on against the decision of the Hearing Officer dated		
The Appeal will be heard on/The Appeal date needs to be confirmed (amend as appropriate).		
Send to -		
1)	Hearing Officer for the Appeal	
2)	Hearing Officer for the Decision	
3)	Divisional Director	
4)	Divisional Director	
5)	B3	
6)	C2	
7)	Litigation Section Manager	
8)	Hearings Team	

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