

Annex 6
Decision 1A

Date

PATENTS ACT 1977

PROPRIETOR

ISSUE

Whether Patent Number GB xxxxxxxx should
be revoked under Section 73(1A)

DECISION

1. An Official letter dated [xxx] explained that the invention of claims [xxx] of the above patent was not new or did not involve an inventive step and that revocation of the UK Patent under Section 73(1A) might therefore be necessary.
2. The proprietor submitted proposals for amendment of the specification, which are allowable under Section 76.
3. I am satisfied that the proposed amendments distinguish the claimed invention from the cited disclosure. I therefore allow the specification to be amended as proposed, and make no order for revocation of the UK patent.

(Name)

Deputy Director / Head of Examining Group acting for the Comptroller