

**FOI Release**  
***Information released under the Freedom of Information Act***

**Title:** Historical documents relating to employee inventions and compensation.

**Date of release:** 12 December 2019

**Information request:**

Documents leading up to the 1977 Bill relating to employee inventions and compensation.

**Information released:**

Report of the relevant working party (attached).

Six files of related documents (minutes of meetings, correspondence with various government departments and other interested parties and notes on amendments to the Bill) identified and offered for viewing. (Some other files already disposed of.)