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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1982 No. 1428**

**PATENTS**

**The Register of Patent Agents (Amendment) Rules 1982**

<i>Made</i>	- - -	<i>7th October 1982</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>11th October 1982</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		<i>1st November 1982</i>

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 123 of the Patents Act 1977(a) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and with the consent of the Treasury, hereby makes the following Rules:—

1. These Rules may be cited as the Register of Patent Agents (Amendment) Rules 1982 and shall come into operation on 1st November 1982.
2. For the Schedule to the Register of Patent Agents Rules 1978(b) there shall be substituted the Schedule hereto.

*Gerard Vaughan,*  
Minister of State,  
Department of Trade.

28th September 1982.

We consent to the making of these Rules.

*Alastair Goodlad,*  
*J. A. Cope,*  
Two of the Lords Commissioners  
of Her Majesty's Treasury.

7th October 1982.

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(a) 1977 c.37.

(b) S.I. 1978/1093.

## SCHEDULE

## FEES

(1) Nature of Fee	(2) When to be paid	(3) Maximum fee payable
1. For the registration of name of patent agent	On application and before registration	£40.00
2. Annual fee to be paid by every registered person	When required by the Registrar but in any event not more frequently than once annually	£40.00
3. On entry of a candidate for the intermediate examination or any part or parts thereof	At the time of presenting name	£40.00
4. On entry of a candidate for the final qualifying examination or any part or parts thereof	At the time of presenting name	£80.00

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Rules.)*

These Rules amend the Register of Patent Agents Rules 1978 by increasing the maximum registration and examination fees which may be charged by the Chartered Institute of Patent Agents. The fees numbered 1 to 3 were formerly £25 and the fee numbered 4 was formerly £50.

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