
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 892

PATENTS

The Patents (Amendment) (No. 2) Rules 2016

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>5th September 2016</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>8th September 2016</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>		
<i>for the purposes of rules</i>		
<i>3(b), 9 and 17</i>		<i>6th April 2017</i>
<i>for all other purposes</i>		<i>1st October 2016</i>

The Secretary of State makes the following Rules in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 19(1), 32(2) and 123 of the Patents Act 1977⁽¹⁾.

(1) 1977 c.37; see section 123(1) for the definitions of “prescribed” and “rules”; section 32 was substituted by the Patents, Designs and Marks Act 1986 (c.39), Schedule 1, paragraph 4 and amended by section 13(3) of the Patents Act 2004 (c.16) (there are other amendments to section 32 but none is relevant), section 123 was amended by the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988 (c.48), Schedule 5, paragraph 29. There are other amendments to section 123 which are not relevant to these Rules.