
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Patents (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

PART 2

AMENDMENTS TO THE PATENTS ACT 1977

2. The Patents Act 1977 is amended follows.
3. In section 128A (EU compulsory licences)—
 - (a) in the heading for “an “EU compulsory”, substitute “a “compulsory pharmaceutical”;
 - (b) in subsection (1), for “an EU compulsory”, substitute “a compulsory pharmaceutical”;
 - (c) in subsection (2)—
 - (i) for “EU compulsory”, substitute “compulsory pharmaceutical”;
 - (ii) “an EU compulsory”, substitute “a compulsory pharmaceutical”;
 - (d) in subsection (5), for “an EU compulsory”, substitute “a compulsory pharmaceutical”.
4. In paragraph 1 of Schedule A1 (derogation from patent protection in respect of biotechnological inventions), in the definition of “Council Regulation”, at the end, insert, “as it had effect immediately before exit day”.