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to whom these Presents shall come Peter Llewellyn Gwynn-Jones Esquire Commander of the Royal Victorian Order Garter Principal King of Arms David Hubert Boothby Chesshyre Esquire Lieutenant of the Royal Victorian Order Clarenceux King of Arms and Thomas Woodcock Esquire Lieutenant of

the Royal Victorian Order Norroy and Ulster King of Arms send greeting! **Whereas Peter Geoffrey Mole** President of **THE CHARTERED INSTITUTE OF PATENT AGENTS** hath represented unto The Most Noble Miles Francis Stapleton Duke of Norfolk Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire upon whom has been conferred the Decoration of the Military Cross Earl Marshal and Hereditary Marshal of England that The Institute of Patent Agents was established in 1882 and was registered in the same year as an Association limited by Guarantee under the Companies Act 1862 to 1880 its principal objects being to form a representative Body of the Patents Agents of the United Kingdom for the purpose of promoting improvements in the Patent Laws and in the Regulations under which they were administered to frame and establish Rules for the observance of Patent Agents in all matters appertaining to their professional practice and to extend their opportunities and facilities for meeting correspondence discussion and interchanging ideas respecting matters connected with their professional practice and generally to aid in the acquisition and dissemination of knowledge appertaining to their profession That Her late Majesty Queen Victoria was graciously pleased by Charter bearing date the Eleventh day of August 1891 to constitute erect and incorporate the Members of the

said Institute into a body politic and corporate by the name of The Chartered Institute of Patent Agents with perpetual succession and a Common Seal That His Late Majesty King George the Sixth was graciously pleased by a Supplemental Charter bearing date the Twenty-third day of January 1937 to vary the said Charter of 1891 in certain respects That Her Majesty the Queen was graciously pleased by further Supplemental Charters bearing date the Twenty-first day of July 1983 and the Nineteenth day of September 1993 to amend the said Charter of 1891 in certain respect That the principal objects of the said Chartered Institute are to carry on the work commenced by the aforesaid Institute of Patent Agents and to form and maintain a Body representative of the profession of Patent Agents for the purpose of promoting improvements in the laws relating to Patents Designs and Trade Marks and other forms of industrial property and in the regulations under which they are administered that the affairs of the said Chartered Institute are managed and superintended by a Council which is desirous of having Armorial Ensigns established under lawful authority for The Chartered Institute of Patent Agents and duly recorded in her Majesty's College of Arms and whereas he as President of the said Chartered Institute and on behalf of the

said council hath requested therefore the favour of his Grace's warrant for our granting and assigning such Arms and Crest and in the same Patent such Badge and such Supporters as we deem suitable to be borne and used by The Chartered Institute of Patent Agents on seals or otherwise in accordance with the Laws of Arms **And forasmuch** as the said Earl Marshall did by Warrant under his hand and Seal bearing date the Fifth day of July 2000 authorize and direct us to grant and assign such Arms and Crest and in the same Patent such Badge and such Supporters accordingly **Know Ye therefore** that we the said Garter Clarenceux and Norroy and Ulster in pursuance of His Grace's Warrant and by virtue of the Letters Patent of our several offices granted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty to each of us respectively do by these Presents grant and assign unto **THE CHARTERED INSTITUTE OF PATENT AGENTS** the Arms following that is to say:- Argent a Woolpack Azure the corners tied Or on a Chief nebuly Gules three Estoiles Or And for the Crest Upon a Helm Issuant from a Coronet Or a demi Bull Gules armed and unguled Or holding between the hoofs unengrossed Letters Patent on vellum fesswise proper **affixed thereto** a Seal ribboned Gules Mantled Azure double Argent And we do further grant and assign the following Device or Badge that is to say:- A Coronet the finials to the sinister Or enfiled by a vellum Scroll proper and ensigned by and abutting a Mural Crown Azure And by the authority aforesaid I the said Garter do by these Presents further grant and assign unto **THE CHARTERED INSTITUTE OF PATENT AGENTS** the Supporters following that is to say:- On either side a Pegasus Argent winged maned queued and unguled Or about the neck of each a Riband Azure pendant therefrom a Sextant Or as all in the margin hereof more plainly depicted to be borne and used forever hereafter by the Chartered Institute of Patent Agents on Seals or otherwise in accordance with the Laws of Arms In witness whereof we the said Garter Clarenceux and Norroy and Ulster have to these Presents subscribed our names and affixed the Seals of our several Offices this Thirty-first day of August in the Forty-ninth year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lady Elizabeth the Second by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Her other Realms and Territories Queen Head of the Commonwealth Defender of the Faith and in the year of Our Lord Two Thousand.