

## Patent Application Questionnaire

Please consider the following questions to assist us in drafting a patent specification to describe your invention/s:

1. Provide a detailed description of your invention, including line drawings to illustrate your invention where possible. Any photographs, flow charts or further illustrations are also useful.
2. Briefly describe the closest known product/method to your invention. If you are aware of any publications or products relevant to the novelty of your invention, please provide details.
3. Highlight the differences between your invention and what is known and describe the advantages associated with these differences.
4. Consider any further features of your invention. You should consider any alternatives that you are likely to market together with any other alternatives that may be possible given further development.

In addition to the above description of your invention we also ask that you confirm the following details:

1. The applicant/s to be named in respect of the application and their full address;
2. The inventor/s to be credited with the invention, their full address and how the applicant derives the right to file the application (e.g. by employment, by assignment);
3. Any date when you plan to disclose your invention. A patent application must be filed before the invention is made available to the public.

Once we have all of the above details we will endeavour to forward a first draft patent specification within 14 days. We are always happy to meet with you or discuss your invention over the telephone. Please contact us if you require any further help.

