

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO. 38 OF 1981

**The Patents Act**  
(Laws, Volume XIV, Cap. 092)

**The Patents (Amendment) Regulations, 1981**

IN EXERCISE of the powers contained in section *ninety-six* of the Patents Act, the following Regulations are hereby made:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Patents (Amendment) Regulations, 1981, and shall be read as one with the Patents Regulations (hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations) and shall apply in respect of business conducted after the publication hereof.

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2. The principal Regulations are amended by the deletion of the First Schedule and the substitution thereof of the First Schedule contained in the Appendix hereto.

Replacement of First Schedule

R. CHISUPA,

*Minister of Commerce and Industry*

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18th February, 1981

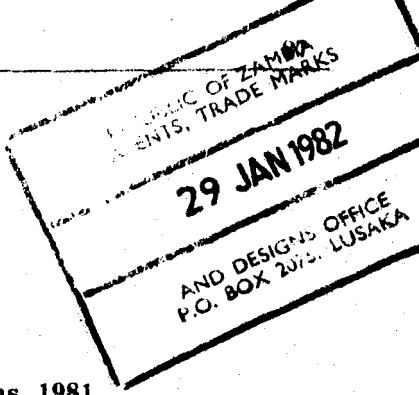
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APPENDIX  
(Regulation 2)

FIRST SCHEDULE  
(Regulation 75)

FEES PAYABLE TO THE PATENT OFFICE

Item	Matter	Amount K	Corresponding Patents Form No.
1.	On application for a patent (non-convention) ..	03.00	1
2.	On convention application in respect of each application for protection in a convention country ..	03.00	2
3.	On application for a patent of addition ..	03.00	3
4.	On application for grant of a patent of addition instead of an independent patent ..	08.00	4
5.	On lodging specification—		
	Provisional ..	10.00	5
	Complete ..	60.00	6
6.	For extension of the period for lodging complete specification ..	15.00	7



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7.	On request for post-dating of an application under section 17 (1) . . . . .	10.00	8
8.	For extension of time under section 20—		
	not exceeding one month . . . . .	08.00	9
	not exceeding two months . . . . .	16.00	
	not exceeding three months . . . . .	24.00	
9.	For each extension of time under section 21 . . . . .	02.00	10
10.	On application for withdrawal of acceptance . . . . .	02.00	11
11.	On notice of opposition to grant of patent. By objector . . . . .	10.00	12
12.	On a claim under section 23 (1) for application to proceed in name of claimants . . . . .	04.00	13
13.	On application for directions under section 23 (5) . . . . .	12.00	14
14.	On a request for sealing of a patent . . . . .	30.00	15
15.	On application for extension of the period for requesting the sealing of a patent under proviso (iv) to section 25 (2)—		
	not exceeding one month . . . . .	08.00	16
	not exceeding two months . . . . .	16.00	
	not exceeding three months . . . . .	24.00	
16.	On application for extension of the period for requesting the sealing of a patent under proviso (v) to section 25 (2)—		
	not exceeding one month . . . . .	08.00	17
	each succeeding month . . . . .	08.00	
17.	On application under section 26 for amendment of patent . . . . .	05.00	18
18.	On application for certificate of payment of renewal fee—		
	Before the expiration of the 3rd year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 4th year . . . . .	47.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 4th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 5th year . . . . .	50.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 5th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 6th year . . . . .	53.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 6th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 7th year . . . . .	59.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 7th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 8th year . . . . .	65.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 8th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 9th year . . . . .	74.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 9th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 10th year . . . . .	83.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 10th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 11th year . . . . .	92.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 11th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 12th year . . . . .	104.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 12th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 13th year . . . . .	116.00	19

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	Before the expiration of the 13th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 14th year . . . . .	128.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 14th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 15th year . . . . .	140.00	19
	Before the expiration of the 15th year of the term of a patent and in respect of the 16th year . . . . .	152.00	19
	For a patent extended beyond 16 years under section 30 and in respect of each year of the extension . . . . .	152.00	19
	(One-half only of these fees is payable on patents endorsed "Licences of Right")		
19.	On extension of the period for payment of renewal fees—		
	not exceeding one month . . . . .	12.00	} 20
	not exceeding two months . . . . .	24.00	
	not exceeding three months . . . . .	36.00	
	not exceeding four months . . . . .	48.00	
	not exceeding five months . . . . .	60.00	
	not exceeding six months . . . . .	72.00	
20.	Certificate of payment of renewal fee . . . . .	—	21
21.	On application for restoration of lapsed patent . . . . .	100.00	22
22.	On notice of opposition to application for restoration of lapsed patent . . . . .	50.00	23
23.	On application for endorsement of patent "Licences of Right" . . . . .	10.00	24
24.	On application for settlement of terms of licence under patent endorsed "Licences of Right" . . . . .	20.00	25
25.	On application by patentee for cancellation of endorsement of patent "Licences of Right" (Section 36 (1)) . . . . .	15.00	26
26.	On application for cancellation of endorsement "Licences of Right" (Section 36 (2)) . . . . .	10.00	27
27.	On notice of opposition to cancellation of endorsement of patent "Licences of Right" . . . . .	10.00	28
28.	On application for compulsory licence under section 37 . . . . .	25.00	29
29.	On application for amendment of provisional specification or of complete specification not yet accepted . . . . .	15.00	30
30.	On application for amendment of complete specification:		
	After acceptance up to sealing—		
	By applicant . . . . .	25.00	} 31
	After sealing. By patentee . . . . .	30.00	
31.	Form of advertisement of request to amend specification . . . . .	05.00	32
32.	On notice of opposition to amendment. By objector . . . . .	08.00	33
33.	On application for directions under section 47 (6) . . . . .	12.00	34
34.	On application for directions under section 47 (7) . . . . .	12.00	35
35.	On application under section 48 (1) to determine disputes . . . . .	20.00	36
36.	On offer to surrender a patent under section 52 . . . . .	06.00	37
37.	On notice of opposition to surrender of a patent . . . . .	10.00	38

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38.	For altering name, nationality, address or address for service in register— For each patent	65.00	39
39.	On application for registration of an assignment under section 58	16.00	40
40.	On request to enter notice of interest in register	16.00	41
41.	On request to correct a clerical error— Up to sealing	65.00	42
	After sealing	10.00	
42.	On notice of opposition to the correction of a clerical error	12.00	43
43.	For duplicate of patent	15.00	44
44.	On application for registration as patent agent	70.00	45
45.	Certificate of service	01.00	46
46.	Application for entry of order of court	04.00	47
47.	General form of advertisement	(As fixed by the Registrar from time to time)	48
48.	For certifying office copies, MSS., or photographic or printed matter other than duplicate patent— Under seal	05.00	—
	Other	02.50	—
49.	For general search of records—of 30 minutes' duration or part thereof	05.00	—
50.	For inspecting documents— In respect of each application or file or patent	01.00	—
51.	For photographic copy of any specification or other document (than a patent form) or drawing per sheet (same charge maintained regardless of whether or not Patent Office equipment is used to produce such copies)	(Contract price as fixed by the Minister from time to time)	—
52.	For photographic copy of a document which is a patent form as prescribed under the Third Schedule of the Patents Regulations	(Double the charge in item No. 51) (Same charge maintained regardless of whether or not Patent Office equipment is used to produce such copies)	—