

PATENTS REGULATIONS 1991

**Application for Exemption
Topic Group I - Designs Law and Practice
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The Board is required to assess the studies you have undertaken against the following outcome in Schedule 5 to the Patents Regulations:
Ability to advise and to handle the interests of a client in prosecution and maintenance of a design application, including advice on the desirability of seeking design protection and provision of alternative protection in Australia, New Zealand, and other countries'

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Personal Details

Full name:

Full address:

Employer:

Contact number:

Email address:

Certified evidence submitted via email or through My eQuals*

A certified copy of my academic transcript(s)

AND

Course outlines from the year I completed the courses within the past 10 years (eg handbook, course descriptions, unit outlines; maximum 50 pages). These outlines are referenced in the mapping.

Mapping (*applications received without mapping information will be returned for completion*)

Details of the course of study (*completed within the past 10 years*)

Subject Name and Number	University	Year Completed	Country

Topics Specified in guidelines	Equivalent topics in the course/s (must include AU and NZ content)	Contact hours spent on the topic	Reference in annexed material to topics
a) registrability			
b) newness and distinctiveness/ originality			
c) IP Australia's and IPONZ's practices and procedures			
d) filing			
e) examination			
f) maintenance			
g) third party objection			
h) infringement			
i) expungement			
j) registration of security interests			
k) ownership			
l) copyright			
m) international aspects of design practice including Design Patents			

Declaration by applicant

I declare that all the information provided is true and correct.

Signature

Date

***Any discrepancies in relation to names on documents must be addressed by a Declaration, Marriage Certificate, etc.**

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