



15th June 2005

PATENTS ACT 1977

PARTIES Protensive Limited, Roshan Jeet Jee Jachuck, Michael Jones and Ian Henderson

ISSUE Mention of additional inventors for patent

number GB 2378953 under Section 13(1)

HEARING OFFICER S M Williams

DECISION

- 1 Patents Form 7/77 names one inventor, Roshan Jeet Jee Jachuck.
- 2 Michael Jones and Ian Henderson have now made an application in accordance with section 13(1) of the Act to the effect that they ought also to have been mentioned as inventors.
- Protensive Limited, the patent proprietors, have confirmed in writing that they consent to the application filed under section 13(1). Roshan Jeet Jee Jachuck has also confirmed in writing that he consents to the application. I therefore conclude that the relevant parties agree that Michael Jones and Ian Henderson were joint inventors.
- Accordingly I find that Michael Jones and Ian Henderson should be mentioned as joint inventors along with Roshan Jeet Jee Jachuck in the granted patent. I also direct, in accordance with rule 14(5), that an addendum slip mentioning them as joint inventors be prepared for the published patent application and for the granted patent for the invention.

S M WILLIAMS

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