



PATENTS ACT 1977

PARTIES E.V. Offshore Limited, Jonathan Thursby, Shaun Peck and Matthew Gibson-Ford

ISSUE Mention of additional inventor for patent application number GB1019642.6

HEARING OFFICER Andrew Bushell

DECISION

- 1 Patents Form 7/77 names two inventors: Jonathan Thursby and Shaun Peck
- 2 E.V. Offshore Limited, the patent proprietor, has filed an application in accordance with rule 10(2) of the Patents Rules 2007 to the effect that Matthew Gibson-Ford should also have been named as a joint inventor.
- 3 Jonathan Thursby and Shaun Peck have filed written consent in support of this application. For his part, Matthew Gibson-Ford, has also confirmed in writing he should be named as a joint inventor. I therefore conclude that all relevant parties agree that Matthew Gibson-Ford should be named as a joint inventor.
- 4 Accordingly I find that Matthew Gibson-Ford should be mentioned as a joint inventor in the published patent application for the invention. I therefore direct, in accordance with rule 10(1), that an addendum slip mentioning him as a joint inventor be prepared for the published patent application for the invention.

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