

GUIDE TO COMPLETING THE MULTIPLE DESIGN APPLICATION FORM

FORM No. 1A

INDUSTRIAL DESIGNS ACT 2001

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF A DESIGN

MULTIPLE APPLICATION

This is a Multiple Application covering (insert number) [] designs.

Reference No. of Applicant or Authorised Agent.....

1. Applicant(s) (Full name and address of each person or company making)

Name(s)	
Address(es)	
Nationality(ies)	
Telephone(s)	
Email(s)	
Should additional space be required, please use an additional sheet, insert the appropriate section heading and attach to the completed form when filing.	

Applicant(s)
The applicant must be the proprietor i.e. the owner of the Design. The proprietor can be the author/creator of the Design, or the author can be the employee of the proprietor if this was done in the course of the employment (subject to any contract or agreement to the contrary).

2. Legal Representative (if any) (The following has been authorised to act on behalf of the Applicant(s) in all proceedings connected with this application for registration)

Name	
Address	
Phone	
Email	

Legal representative.
This can be a Trade Mark Agent, a Solicitor, a Barrister or a person qualified to act on behalf of another who is qualified to act before their National Intellectual Property Office (within the EEA) or before the Community Trade Mark Office

3. Address for Service (within the EEA, to which correspondence is to be sent)

If different to the address given at 1 or 2	
Address	
Phone	
Email	

Address for Service.
This must be an address within the EEA, and can be either the address given at 1, or 2, or a different address at which the Applicant wishes to receive correspondence relating to the application.

Please tick box if you wish the Office to correspond to this application

If you wish the Office to correspond with you by email in relation to your application please tick the box.

4. Representations

Separate representations of each of the designs, complying with the conditions set out in Regulation 11 of the Industrial Designs Regulations 2002, are enclosed.

IMPORTANT - PLEASE NOTE: THE APPLICATION MUST BE NUMBERED AND THE NUMERALS ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY AND DISTINGUISH EACH OF THE REPRESENTATIONS OF A PARTICULAR DESIGN IS SUBMITTED, EACH OF THE DESIGN SHOULD BE ASSIGNED THE SAME IDENTIFICATION

Representations
As this forms one of the minimum requirements to file an application, please confirm that the representation(s) is/are enclosed by ticking the "YES" box.

Note.

- Representations should be affixed to an A4 sheet and enclosed with the form.
- The size of the representations must be a minimum 9cm x 12cm, and a maximum of 18cm x 24cm.
- A number of representations may be submitted. Where more than one view submitted each must be on a separate page.

5. Author(s)

(If there is more than one author (creator) indicate the design identification numeral of each design (see 4 above) opposite the name and address of each author.)

Design Identification Numeral(s)	Name of author(s)	Address(es)

Author(s)
The name or names and address(es) of the authors (or creators) of the designs should be inserted here.

Should additional space be required, please use an additional sheet, insert the appropriate section heading and attach to the completed form when filing.

6. Brief description of designs

(Insert here a brief description of the designs. If you need to provide separate descriptions of each of the designs included in the application, indicate the design identification numeral of each design opposite each of the descriptions provided.)

Design Identification No.	Insert here a brief description of each design.

Brief description of design
Each Design should be numbered (e.g. 1, 2, 3 etc) and the relevant brief description of each of the designs should be listed e.g. "a brooch", "ring" etc. is acceptable.

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7. Class(es) & Product(s)

Design Identification No.	Class(es) (List here the class(es) including the subclass(es) of the Locarno system of International Classification in which registration of the design(s) is/are requested.)	(List here the... the...)

Class (es) & Product(s)
Products are categorised in classes, each of which relate to particular products. The Locarno Classification For Industrial Designs is updated regularly to take account of changes and advances in commercial practises. Please consult the Locarno Classification via the Patent Office website (www.patentoffice.ie)

The number of each design and the relevant Class and Sub-class Number should be listed here.

Example

Design Identification number	Locarno Class & Sub-Class Number	Product(s)
1.	Class 11. Sub-class.01 i.e. 11.01	Brooch Ring Earrings
2.	11.01	
3.	11.01	

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[Note: Except in cases of ornamentation, all of the designs in a multiple application for registration must be in respect of products that belong to the same class of the Locarno system of International Classification.]

8. Priority

(If you have filed an application to register the same Designs **outside** the State within the last six months, please enter the relevant information here where a right to priority is claimed. If there are different claims to priority in respect of the different designs included in the application, indicate the design identification numeral of each design opposite each of the claims listed.)

Design Identification No.	State/Country/Territory/Area	Date	File Number (if any)

Priority
If you have filed an application to register these designs **outside** the State within the last six months, please enter here the relevant information, where a right to priority is claimed.

NOTE. In addition, you must supply a certified copy of the original priority document within three months of filing your Irish application.

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9. Deferment of Publication

(Is deferment of publication as provided for in Section 32(2) of the Patents Act 1992, as amended, requested? If yes, please indicate the period for which deferment is requested. The maximum period allowed is 30 months from the filing date or, if priority is claimed, from the date of priority.)

Yes	No

Deferment of Publication

If you wish to delay publication of your design then answer "YES"

If yes, then you should list the number of each design and the period for which deferment is requested. The maximum period allowed is 30 months from the filing date (or, if priority is claimed, from the date of priority).

Design Identification No.	Period of Deferment (months)

Deferment fees

For a period up to 12 months	€ 50.00
For a period from 12 to 24 months	€150.00
For a period from 24 to 30 months	€250.00

10. Fee(s) accompanying the application.

Application fee to register a design	
Additional fee (per design) in a multiple application	
Deferment fee for a period up to 12 months	
Deferment fee for a period from 12 to 24 months	
Deferment fee for a period from 24 to 30 months	
Total:	

Fees

Insert fees here. Where the multiple application contains requests for deferment of publication, the additional fee for deferment of publication applies in respect of each design for which deferment is requested.

EXAMPLE:

A multiple application consisting of 10 designs the amount due is: €70.00 plus €25.00 (per design) x 10. Total = €320.00

If Deferment of Publication is also required in respect of each Design in the above example, for a period of 12 months then fees would be:

€70.00(application fee + €250.00(10 designs included in the multiple application) + €500.00(deferment fee of €50 X 10) = €820.00.

11. Declaration and Signature

(The application may be signed by a person authorised to do so by or on behalf of the Applicant(s) or by the legal representative named at 2.)

The Applicant(s) named herein claims to be the proprietor(s) of the designs, representations of which are attached, and requests the registration of the designs on the basis of the foregoing information:

Signature	
Name in BLOCK CAPITALS	
If a company state the position in the company of the person signing	
Date	

Declaration and Signature

The application form must be signed and dated by the applicant or the agent appointed to act on their behalf.