

ANNEX A

PCT-PPH (CIPO ISA/IPEA) Request Form

Request for accelerated examination at CIPO under the PCT-PPH (CIPO ISA/IPEA)

Application Information

CIPO application number: _____

Corresponding PCT application number(s): _____

Claims on File and Claim Correspondence Table

Either:

(a) The claims on file correspond to one or more of those claims indicated as novel, inventive and industrially applicable in the WO-ISA, WO-IPEA and/or IPRP established by CIPO as the ISA and/or IPEA; or

(b) The applicant is amending the claims with this request to correspond with one or more of those claims indicated as novel, inventive and industrially applicable in the WO-ISA, WO-IPEA and/or IPRP established by CIPO as the ISA and/or IPEA;

and
A claim correspondence table is completed.

Box VIII Observations

In case any observation is described in Box VIII of the WO-ISA, WO-IPEA and/or IPRP, which forms the basis of the PCT-PPH request, the applicant has attached an explanation of why the claims are not subject to the observation described in Box VIII.

Relationship Between the Corresponding International Application and the CIPO National Phase Application

Where the CIPO national application is not a national phase entry of the same international application (that contains one or more claims having novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability), the applicant must identify the relationship between the corresponding international application and the CIPO national phase application.

Other Amendments to Application (Optional)

Either:

(a) The applicant has reviewed the application, and the specification on file conforms with Canadian patent application requirements and practice; or

(b) The applicant is amending the specification to conform with Canadian patent application requirements and practice.