



Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988

1988 CHAPTER 48

PART V

PATENT AGENTS AND TRADE MARK AGENTS

Supplementary

286 Interpretation.

In this Part—

“the comptroller” means the Comptroller-General of Patents, Designs and Trade Marks;

“director”, in relation to a body corporate whose affairs are managed by its members, means any member of the body corporate;

“the European list” means the list of professional representatives maintained by the European Patent Office in pursuance of the European Patent Convention;

“registered patent [^{F1}attorney”] has the meaning given by section 275 [^{F2}(2)];

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Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 286 substituted (1.1.2010) by [Legal Services Act 2007 \(c. 29\)](#), ss. 208(1), 211, [Sch. 21 para. 79\(a\)](#) (with ss. 29, 192, 193); S.I. 2009/3250, [art. 2\(h\)](#) (with art. 9)
- F2** Word in s. 286 substituted (1.1.2010) by [Legal Services Act 2007 \(c. 29\)](#), ss. 208(1), 211, [Sch. 21 para. 79\(b\)](#) (with ss. 29, 192, 193); S.I. 2009/2350, [art. 2\(h\)](#) (with art. 9)
- F3** Definition in s. 286 repealed (31.10.1994) by [1994 c. 26, s. 106\(2\)](#), [Sch. 5](#); S.I. 1994/2550, [art. 2](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988, Section 286.