

PATENTS ACT 1977

PARTIES Tan Chee Wei, City University of Hong
 Kong and Yan Cheong Chan

ISSUE Mention of additional inventor for patent
 application number GB 2412790
 under Section 13(1)

HEARING OFFICER S M Williams

DECISION

- 1 Patents Form 7/77 names one inventor, Yan Cheong Chan.
- 2 Tan Chee Wei has now made an application in accordance with section 13(1) of the Act to the effect that he ought also to have been mentioned as a joint inventor.
- 3 Yan Cheong Chan and the patent applicant, City University of Hong Kong, have confirmed in writing that they consent to the application. I therefore conclude that all relevant parties agree that Tan Chee Wei should also be named as a joint inventor.
- 4 Accordingly I find that Tan Chee Wei should be mentioned as a joint inventor in any patent granted for the invention. I also direct, in accordance with rule 14(5), that an addendum slip mentioning him as a joint inventor be prepared for the published patent application for the invention.

S M WILLIAMS

B3 Head of Litigation Section, acting for the Comptroller