



Request for Expedited Examination of a Trade Mark Application

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- address for service;
- address for correspondence; and
- details and history of your Trade Mark

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Personal Details of Applicant

(* denotes mandatory fields)

*Name	ACN/ARBN/ABN		
*Address (can be a PO Box)			
	Country (if not Australia)	State	Postcode
2nd Applicant (if required)	ACN/ARBN/ABN		
Address (can be a PO Box)			
	Country (if not Australia)	State	Postcode

Additional applicant details attached

*Address for Service (if different from the above address)

Address for Service of documents in Australia or New Zealand (can be a PO Box)

Address			
	Country	State	Postcode

OR

Agent Details (only complete if you are being represented by an Agent authorised to act on your behalf)

Name			
Address			
	Country (if not Australia)	State	Postcode

Optional Details:

Telephone	()	Fax	()	Mobile Number	
Email Address			Customer Number		

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Enter in numeric order and use block letters

Trade Mark No(s) (if known)	In the name of	Date Application(s) Filed (DD/MM/YYYY)

If trade mark number(s) is not known, provide a description of the trade mark(s), attach a representation of trade mark(s), provide a receipt number(s) or pre-filings number(s) if filed online.

Notes on Expedition

If the applicant thinks he/she will be seriously disadvantaged because of the time taken between filing the application for registration and examination, a request may be made to have the application examined sooner.

Because of the need to assess requests for expedited examination on their individual merits, it is very difficult to set down definitive detailed criteria. However, the following is provided as a guideline only of what might justify a grant of expedited examination or what may not be acceptable.

Examples of where a request for expedited examination **might be granted**:

- * some court action is expected or under way, or
- * the applicant might be severely or irreparably disadvantaged in the market place (for urgent commercial or other reasons).

Examples of where a request for expedited examination **might not be granted**:

- * the applicant's request had no supporting reasons
- * the reason provided did not show that there was a particular commercial or other reason likely to cause severe disadvantage which might warrant "special" treatment ahead of other earlier applications.

Important: The attached declaration over the page must be completed outlining reasons for expedition.

Note: no fee applies to the filing of this form.



Declaration



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(* denotes mandatory fields)

*Title

(of the matter in respect of which the declaration is made)

*IP Right Number in relation to which the declaration is made.

*I,

(insert name of the person making the declaration)

*Of

Country *(if not Australia)* State Postcode

(insert the address of person making declaration)

do declare as follows:-

If you are making the declaration for the purposes of a business complete the following.

I am making this declaration in my capacity as

State your position or Office held:

Address of the place of business

Country *(if not Australia)* State Postcode

