

Leaflet Patents in Iceland

Duration

The patent has a maximum duration of 20 years from the date of filing of the application, provided that annual fees are paid in due time.

Compulsory use

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