

## LAYOUT

EPC	Nat. law *)	A. Survey of law or laws and implementing regulations (orders), with date and date of entry into force.
		<b>B. Implementation of the European Patent Convention</b>
Art. 75(2)	S.80 PA	I. Filing of European patent application with the national industrial property office and/or with the EPO.
		II. Translation of the European patent application and European patent specification.
Art. 67(3)	S.88 PA; S.61 + 62(2) PD S.82, 72, 83, 74 PA S.60, 62(1) PD	(a) European patent application (b) European patent specification (c) any other provisions regarding translation
Art. 70(3) and (4)	S.90, 91 PA S.63 PD	III. Text authentic if the translated patent application or patent confers protection which is narrower than in the language of the proceedings.
Art. 67	S.88, PA	IV. Rights conferred by a European patent application after publication.
		V. Prohibition of simultaneous protection
		VI. Conversion into a national patent application
Art. 135(1) (a) and (b)	S.93 PA points 5 and 6 of the Provisions of Entry into force and Transition of the PA	A. Cases in which conversion can take place
Art. 136	S.66 PD	B. Special provisions relating to the conversion procedure
Art. 133, 134	S.71 PA	VII. Representation of the applicant before the national industrial property office in matters relating to European patent applications
		<b>C. Amendment of national patent law in relation to ratification of the European patent Convention</b>
Art. 60(1) 52, 53, 54	S.1 + 2 PA	I. Patentability
Art. 63(1) Art. 78(1)e) and 85	S.40 PA S.8(3) PA	II. Other amendments
		<b>D. Implementation of the PCT</b>
	S.28 PA	I. Competent receiving Office
	S.53 PD	II. The Swedish Patent Office acting as receiving Office
Protocol on Centralisation	SFS 1978, 218 Agreem. WIPO/EPO	III. The Swedish Patent Office acting as International Searching Authority and International Preliminary Examining Authority
Agreem. EPO/SPO	S.31 + 36(1) PA	IV. The Swedish Patent Office acting as designated or elected Office

\*) PA — Patents Act — PD — Patents Decree — S. — Section SPO — Swedish Patent Office