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| **“FORM 18 A****THE PATENTS ACT, 1970****and THE PATENT RULES, 2003****REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED EXAMINATION****OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT****[See section 11B and Rule 24C]** | (FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)RQ. No. :Filing Date:Amount of fee Paid:CBR No:Signature: |
| 1. APPLICANT(S)
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| 1. I/We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_hereby request that my/our application for patent no.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_filed on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_invention titled \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shall be examined under section 12 and 13 of the Act.OrI/We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hereby request that my/our application for patent no. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ invention titled \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ based on Patent Coorporation Treaty (PCT) application no \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ made in country \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shall be examined under sections 12 and 13 of the Act, immediately without waiting for the expiry of 31 months as specified in rule 20(4)(ii).OrI/We heerby request that my/our request for examination bearing no. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for application for patent no. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ invention titled \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ may be converted to a request for expedited examination of patent, application under rule 24C and the application shall be examined under sections 12 and 13 of the Act. |
| 1. The applicant(s) to indicate (by ticking the appropriate box) any of the grounds applicable in case of request for expedited examination made by on any of the following grounds:
* that the application is a startup, or
* that India has been indicated as the component International Searching Authority or elected as an International Preliminary Examining Authority in the corresponding international application.
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| Dated this day of 20….SignatureName of the signatoryToThe Controller of PatentThe Patent Office, at ………….NOTE:To be signed by the applicant(s) or by his/their authorized registered patent agent“Strike out the column(s) which is/are not applicable”;For fee: See First Schedule”; |