

cated for the purposes of that State is entitled to file an international application according to Article 9.

(b) If the condition referred to in paragraph (a) is not fulfilled in respect of any designated State, the designation of that State shall be considered not to have been made.

(c) The International Bureau shall, from time to time, publish information on the various national laws in respect of the question who is qualified (inventor, successor in title of the inventor, owner of the invention, or other) to file a national application and shall accompany such information by a warning that the effect of the international application in any designated State may depend on whether the person designated in the international application as applicant for the purposes of that State is a person who, under the national law of that State, is qualified to file a national application.

### 18.5 *Change in the Person or Name of the Applicant*

Any change in the person or name of the applicant shall, on the request of the applicant or the receiving Office, be recorded by the International Bureau, which shall notify the interested International Searching Authority and the designated Offices accordingly.

#### Rule 19

##### *The Competent Receiving Office*

#### 19.1 *Where to File*

(a) Subject to the provisions of paragraph (b), the international application shall be filed, at the option of the applicant, with the national Office of or acting for the Contracting State of which the applicant is a resident or with the national Office of or acting for the Contracting State of which the applicant is a national.

(b) Any Contracting State may agree with another Contracting State or any inter-governmental organization that the national Office of the latter State or the intergovernmental organization shall, for all or some purposes, act instead of the national Office of the former State as receiving Office for

9 være berettiget til at indlevere en international ansøgning.

b) Er den under a) nævnte betingelse ikke opfyldt for en designeret stat, betragtes designeringen af denne stat som ikke foretaget.

c) Det internationale Bureau offentliggør fra tid til anden oplysninger om de forskellige nationale lovgivningers bestemmelser vedrørende spørgsmålet om, hvem der er berettiget til at indlevere nationale ansøgninger (opfinderen, dennes retsefterfølger, indehaveren af opfindelsen eller andre) og lader sådanne oplysninger være ledsaget af en påmindelse om, at virkningen af en international ansøgning i en designeret stat kan afhænge af, hvorvidt den, der i den internationale ansøgning er angivet som ansøger for den pågældende stat, i henhold til statens nationale lovgivning er berettiget til at indlevere en national ansøgning.

### 18.5 *Ændringer vedrørende ansøgerens person eller navn*

Enhver ændring vedrørende ansøgerens person eller navn noteres efter anmodning fra ansøgeren eller den modtagende myndighed af Det internationale Bureau, der underretter den berørte internationale nyhedsundersøgende myndighed og de designerede myndigheder herom.

#### Regel 19

##### *Den kompetente modtagende myndighed*

#### 19.1 *Indleveringssted*

a) Med forbehold af bestemmelserne under b) skal den internationale ansøgning efter ansøgerens valg indleveres til den nationale myndighed i eller fungerende for den kontraherende stat, i hvilken ansøgeren har bopæl, eller den nationale myndighed i eller fungerende for den kontraherende stat, i hvilken ansøgeren er statsborger.

b) Enhver kontraherende stat kan afslutte en overenskomst med en anden kontraherende stat eller med et mellemstatsligt organ om, at den nationale myndighed i sidstnævnte stat eller det mellemstatslige organ i stedet for den nationale myndighed i førstnævnte stat i alle eller i visse hen-