

“SMALL ENTITY” CONDITION

The small entity condition is that

in respect of an international application, the applicant of the application on the national phase entry date is, on that date, an entity that has 50 employees or less or is a university, other than

(i) an entity that is controlled directly or indirectly by an entity, other than a university, that has more than 50 employees, or

(ii) an entity that has transferred or licensed, or has an obligation other than a contingent obligation to transfer or license, any right or interest in a claimed invention to an entity, other than a university, that has more than 50 employees.