

Licenses of Right

Description

The UK IPO as well as the German Patent Office (DPMA) have databases of patents that are endorsed 'licence of right'. This means that the patent proprietor has agreed to licence their patent to anyone who asks. This allows people to use the technology for their innovation and business.

Who

IP Experts

Benefits

It is a great way to open your technology to interested parties, or find patent owners interested in collaborating to further develop their technologies. It is also a way to reduce maintenance costs, as patents endorsed 'LOR' have up to 50% reduction in renewal fees.

Expected outcome

Potential to source licensing opportunities for company.

 **Link** <https://www.ipso.gov.uk/p-dl-licenceofright.htm>

