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Your ref.: 124441/KR Due date: **2015.09.11** 

Application no.: 20150740 (must be referred to in the response)

Applicant: SINTEF Energi AS

Title: System and method for preventing collisions between wind turbine

blades and flying objects

## Formal defects in patent application no. 20150740

Based on a preliminary examination of the application, we have found the following formal deficiencies:

- We did not receive the declaration of right to the invention.
- The agent/attorney is specified in the application, but a signed power of attorney form was not provided.

We would like to state that lack of a power of attorney form will not cause the application to be shelved. If the power of attorney form is not received by the above due date, further communication will be directly with the applicant in Norwegian. If applicant or attorney has requested correspondence in English, all further communication, until eventual granting or refusal of the right, will be in English.

We have sent an invoice for the application fee, which has a deadline of 2015.07.11.

In order for the application to be processed, you will need to address all the above points on or before the due date. If this is not done the application will be shelved.

Please feel free to contact us if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Berit Kulbotten

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The application will be shelved if a written reply is not provided on or before the due date. For the possibility of resumption, please see the Norwegian Patents Act, section 15 and Regulation Relating to Payment etc. to the Norwegian Industrial Property Office and the Board of Appeal for Industrial Property Rights (Regulation on Fees), section 26. The Norwegian Patents Act, the Regulation on Fees and other rules regarding deadline extensions are available on NIPO's website: patentstyret.no.