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## Patent case: Dienst Wegverkeer (RDW) vs. F.J. Römken, Netherlands

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Following nullity advice from the Dutch Patent Office, the Dutch administrative body for license plate registration filed the present successful nullity suit against a private inventor in relation to a patent for vehicle license plates with a built-in RFID chip. This case demonstrates the disadvantages of the Dutch registration patent system which can allow the grant of low quality do-it-yourself patent applications.

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Case number: C/09/600708 / HA-ZA 20-983C/09/600718 / HA-ZA 20-984

Court: District Court of The Hague

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