

Conclusion

I reach my conclusion without intellectual satisfaction. But there is some rough justice. It was an attempt to comply with the Stamp Act which caused the trouble and it is the
5 Stamp Act which saves the position. I get no satisfaction because, apart from the Stamp Act, s.68 sets a trap for a patentee who registers a short form assignment following a much longer agreement which is expressed to be an assignment.

¹⁷ para 560