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If a patent application is refused, many countries allow the conversion of a patent application into a utility model application. However, in some countries there is a time limit for doing so.

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