

CLAIMS

- Claim 1:** A computer software program allowing the transmission and reception of text messages between one person and another or a group of persons, using their mobile numbers/devices.
- Claim 2:** The invention of Claim 1 further comprising the feature of a Smart Message Routing Engine (SMRE) that intelligently routes the transmission of messages in the fastest and cheapest way through one of three ways: (1) through the Internet (2) through Telco SMS (if there are free SMS available) (3) Cooee Messenger SMS (which is a cheaper alternative to paid Telco SMS) when connected to the Internet
- Claim 3:** The invention of Claim 2 further comprising the feature of a means for the user to set the percentage of free Telco SMS to be utilised before messages are routed to the Cooee Messenger SMS, and a counter for the user to know the balance of free Telco SMS he has.
- Claim 4:** The invention of Claim 1 further comprising the feature of group management that allows users to (1) create groups of up to 50 mobile numbers/devices for group chats and up to 1000 mobile numbers/devices for broadcast messages.
- Claim 5:** The invention of Claim 4 further comprising the feature that allows users within group chats to create sub-groups for the purpose of conversation within the sub-group, while remaining within the group chat.
- Claim 6:** The invention of Claim 1, further comprising the feature of media and file management that allows users to (1) send voice/sound/video/data files as attachments; (2) send scribbled/written/picture messages; (3) email chats/conversations; and (4) key in texts about the media/files prior to sending.
- Claim 7:** The invention of Claim 1 further comprising the feature of message management that allows users to (1) recover message/s (up to 14 days) from the server and save the message to a physical or virtual drive; (2) search, using keywords, within messages and open conversations/chats; (3) share current location as the message is sent; (4) know the status of a sent message either as: unsent, sent to the server, received by the recipient or read by the recipient; (5) store pre-set messages; (6) set the date and time for a message to be sent; (7) cancel a sent message; and (8) lock a particular message and the Cooee Messenger app itself to prevent unauthorised use and to maintain privacy.
- Claim 8:** The invention of Claim 1 further comprising the feature of a message translator that allows a user to send a message in his/her preferred language to a recipient who would receive the message translated to his/her preferred language.
- Claim 9:** The invention of Claim 1 further comprising the feature of a desktop version of the said computer software programme that allows users to (1) experience the look and feel of the mobile version; (2) create, send, receive and read messages; and (3) purchase Cooee Messenger credits.