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Dear Committee:

My name is Alberto Ratmiroff, and maybe I am one of the few lucky Patent holders, that had, luck, time, work, and a lot of persistence, in publishing a Patent: # 7862455, The Stringing Sandwich!!!

I am a wannabe entrepreneur, that desires, to launch a Startup, based on a Patent, approved by the USPTO.

I received an email, asking me, for my opinion on the present situation and a possible comment, as a way to improve, the present Patent Ligation process, in place right, now.

Not perfect, but, there is Always room for improvement, I think!!!

I have read, I have heard, about stories of entrepreneurs, that had some friction with the present Patent Litigation process, in place, and if, I was on there shoes, this are the suggestions, that I would write, or say something about, maybe here, is the place for comments!!

1) Small entities, need small Claims Patent Courts, as a way, to have a better chance to protect, their Patent, idea, product, business, there way to make a living, as compare to the present Legislative Way, in process, right now.

2)A chance to activate Article III Court, is a way to defend patents, that were approved by the USPTO, by the people WHO we're able to publish the patent, in a court, a way to have there voice heard, by fellow Patent Lawyers, people with experience in the patent World, and by people, who do this, every Day, that is Patents. A way to express, what it takes to be able to reach, the Patent level, and a way to fight for a Patent, a way different from the present Non Court procedure, in place, right now.

3)The choice, the availability of discounted or Pro-Bono Legal Patent services, given by actual Patent Lawyers, with experience, as a way to level the Legal field, in the Patent Litigation Patent Process!!

Startups, cannot fight Big players from overseas, as well as, Big Local Players, who get attracted, by Potential Lucrative Patents, and their products, Ideas!!!

4)The possibility of the use of an Injunction against, companies, people, who borrow patents, or use products, with a Patent, as a reference, should be available, for entities, of any size, in the Business World, as well as, in the Patent Litigation Business.

Yes, I think, it is a Big Business, for some companies, small, medium, or large, that see an opportunity in the Patent Litigation World, for patents, and their products.

5) It takes a lot to be a Patent Lawyer, and it takes a lot to the average person, all over America, and other places, to come up with a Patent, and to use that idea, to launch a Business, based on that Idea, patent. Please protect the process, protect, the people, protect the businesses based on the patents.

Let people make a living, make Jobs, give jobs, raise startup money, launch businesses and make a living.

Improvements to the present process, could provide an incentive to the present Economy, a way to let free Enterprise, have it's Day, in Court. A chance of Freedom of Speech, Expression, Capitalism, at its best.

Change is a continuous process, with feedback, from the parties, that do THAT, every Day, around the World, around The United States of America. The Land of the Free!!!! A voice is waiting, in court, to express, free Enterprise at its Best!!

That is what is at Stake, on this committee, your decision, thanks!!

Regards, Alberto