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Comment from Darrell Diaz

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## General Comment

I strongly oppose any action which seeks to weaken or remove Inter Partes Review. I feel that it is a vital part of the checks and balances which helps protect patent holders AND people being sued by patent trolls unfairly.