

Trademark IT priorities

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- **TRAM mainframe retirement (Priority #1)**
 - Planned completion by September 2023
- **TM Exam modernization (Priority #2)**
 - Fulfill feature parity of FAST 1 and Letter of Protest by December 2022
 - Implement TMA phase 2 – new deadlines to respond to office actions for applications
 - Modernize IT systems used by Petitions Office and Post Registration
- **eFile modernization (Priority #3)**
 - Deploy initial application form by August 2023
- **Continue TTAB center work (Priority #4)**
 - Continue designing and developing Notice of Opposition form
- **Support international treaty obligations (Priority #5)**
 - MP3 and MP4 audio file format support
- **Replace BRS/OpenText Search in XSearch and TESS**
 - Continue with replacement and finish by September 2023



eFile modernization

- **eFile**

- Deploy Section 1(b) initial application May 2023
- Deploy complete initial application August 2023

- **TEAS**

- TMA Phase 2 deployment December 3, 2022

