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To whom it may concern:

As one of the residents in the United States who tries to survive in the world of small business, I would like to protest against a fee to a letter of protest LOP according to the uspto.gov site.

There are a number of trademarks that get approved by the USPTO that violate the guidelines in the TMEP, U.S.C., and the C.F.R.

This frivolous trademark approval allows many greedy people and big business owners to bully over honest and genuine people. Sometimes it is very offensive to some cultures. The words like "Aloha" and "Kimono" should have never been considered as a trademark.

For Now, the only way to fight against those trademarks that violate the guidelines and take advantage of cultural words is to write a letter of protest LOP although this will not fix the root of the problem. Thus, I strongly plead that the fee to the applicant of LOP will not be applied. The issue is not too many letters of protest but too many frivolous trademark applications gets approved.

LOP should remain free of charge so that many honest-small businesses can be protected and a cultural violation will not occur.

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