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General Comment

Dear Regulations.gov:

Thank you for giving me an opportunity to express my concerns on the current PTAB issues!

As an independent or "small" inventor if you would, I'm very concerned about how my inventions and my financial investments (sometimes money was loaned or borrowed from family members) are protected from the rights that I'm given in this equal opportunity country. In addition, as an inventor, think about how much effort and sweat that you had to put out from the moment that you came up with the idea; and how happy, exciting, proud, and hopeful that you had when you received the Letter of Allowance letter from the USPTO. Now, imagine that all that hope and happiness can be taken away by the people who just have more money than you, and those people will try anything just to NOT accepting your ideas, and for their own benefits. So, in this particular matter, please consider the following:

- 1- Is the US still the "Land of Opportunity" as many people thought it was?
- 2- Does the US economy depend more on small businesses or on large companies?
- 3- Will small business owners be knowing that they will have bigger risks if their ideas are not protected?
- 4- Would the current US "unprotected" patent issues discourage people with ideas and entrepreneurship to form their businesses?

5- Would any foreign companies take advantage of the current US patent systems by trying to invalidate US patents?

You may find my writings are grammatically incorrect, however, I hope you get what I'm trying to say.

Thank you!