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In re Application of Michael VASQUEZ Application No. 12/957,257 Filed: November 30, 2010 Attorney Docket No. 8997.3002

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ON PETITION

This is in response to the petition filed December 17, 2015, seeking reconsideration of the decision mailed December 10, 2015, which decision **DENIED** a petition under 37 CFR 1.181(a)(3) requesting that the Director exercise her supervisory authority and overturn the decisions of the Director, Technology Center 3700 (Technology Center Director), which decision in turn refused to vacate the Office action of June 23, 2015.

Petitioner's request to vacate the Office action of June 23, 2015 was considered by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), and was denied in the decision of December 10, 2015. The decision of December 10, 2015 represents the conclusion of the consideration by the USPTO of petitioner's request to vacate the Office action of June 23, 2015.

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