

Patent Prosecution Highway(PPH)

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What is the Patent Prosecution Highway?

PPH provides a system of work sharing among many patent offices. When you have allowable claims from one office, you can fast track those claims in other participating offices.

On average

- Fewer office actions
- Higher first action allowance rate
- Higher grant rate

Lower

- RCE filing rates
- Appeal rates
- Overall pendency



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