

From: . Debbi

Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 11:00 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 11:28 AM

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Rob

Libertyville, IL

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From: aimee

Sent: Wednesday, February 27, 2019 9:22 AM

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From: David

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 6:48 AM

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From: Dennis

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From: Fig

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:33 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Cc: figinybor

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:35 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 3:24 AM

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 10:46 AM

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From: MCMANUSLOSANGELES

Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 12:07 PM

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 3:27 PM

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 7:30 PM

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Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 3:40 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:25 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:54 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:38 PM

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 6:56 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Tuesday, February 19, 2019 9:19 AM

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From: robertlearle

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 4:11 PM

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Sincerely,

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From: Sister Sue

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From: w3irdo13

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 12:26 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: will

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 8:05 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Kind regards,

~w

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From: William

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:45 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: wyomason-IMAP

Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 11:17 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: kiriup

Sent: Tuesday, March 5, 2019 5:19 AM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: Lizzy

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 8:33 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: mtomec

Sent: Monday, March 4, 2019 12:43 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: Outlook Team

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 5:56 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: pmc

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 6:38 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 10:17 PM

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From: trespassers

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 6:53 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: 99Chemicals

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:34 PM

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Kevin Faccenda

From: Eka A.

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 7:12 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Scott Abbott

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 9:08 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Alexandre Hannud Abdo

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:44 AM

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From: bret abel

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 6:20 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Susan Abell

Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 9:33 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Ezekiel Aborishade

Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 3:08 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:40 PM

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 2:37 PM

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From: Adams, Wayne B

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 12:59 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 6:28 PM

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From: aleth aeon

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 9:42 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:43 PM

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From: Carver Akiteru Oblander

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 4:52 PM

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From: Peter Allan

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 5:55 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Todd Allis

San Jose CA

From: Dan Allison

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From: Per Almgren

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:05 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Joanne Alonso Byars

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:10 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Jeff Altaffer

Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 7:13 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Jill Alters

Sent: Monday, February 18, 2019 8:43 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Justin alvey

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 7:56 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:09 PM

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From: do an

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 2:08 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTOâ€™Pâ€™2018â€™0053

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From: jean-paul anceaux

Sent: Monday, March 4, 2019 3:18 AM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: anderson

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:36 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Gregory Anderson

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 8:10 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Jake Anderson

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:52 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:34 PM

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From: Brian Anderton

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:12 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Aleksandar Andevski

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:24 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:09 PM

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From: -- ...-- -.-. .. -.-

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:31 PM

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From: CHRISTIAN ANTALICS

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:59 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

To Whom It May Concern:

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Best Regards,

Christian Antalics

Eagle Pass, Texas

From: Steve Antonoff

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:07 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: John Armstrong

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:17 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Thank you,

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From: X Arneson

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:03 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Grace Asikainen

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:23 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: James Austin

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 12:00 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Benjamin Austin

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 4:59 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: tja

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 8:23 AM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Adopt the guidance on subject matter eligibility set forth in the Request for Comments, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053.

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President, TLCS Innovation Services

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Technology as a Tool

From: avrame

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:21 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:14 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Pedro Azevedo

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:45 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Bob B

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:19 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

To: eligibility2019@uspto.gov

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 4:38 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:13 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Jürgen Bader

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:29 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Juergen Bader

From: Dave Badia

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:52 PM

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From: David Bagby

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:27 PM

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Alice was a good decision and limited the spread of bad patents which never should have been issued. Adding a "with a computer" to another idea does not and should not make something patent-able. Rather, if demonstrates that the combination idea should not be patent-able since it squarely falls into the "it is obvious" category - an obvious to a lay person, not just to one skilled in the art.

David Bagby

President

Calypso Ventures, Inc.

From: Andrew C. Bairnsfather

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:22 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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P.S. The Electronic Frontier Foundation is correct on many points, including this.

Horrible companies and people are grossly abusing the patent system and it has stunted growth, at least. More than a few software vendors were threatened with some bogus claim about another company "inventing" the ability to buy something within a mobile phone app. Ridiculous. Other examples abound at the EFF.org website.

From: Greg Baker

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:09 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Joey Baker

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:52 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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To whom it may concern:

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Regards,

-Joey Baker

From: Charles Baldwin

Sent: Thursday, February 14, 2019 7:15 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 1:36 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Yellowstone Ballet

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 12:32 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 7:26 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Ariel Banks

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:30 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: jim barber

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:10 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Cc: jim barber

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James S. Barber

From: Chris Bare

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:49 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 7:37 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:27 PM

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Steven A. Barnes

From: N Barnett

Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 8:56 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Debra Barnhardt

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 11:25 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Joshua Barnhill

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 5:04 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 9:15 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Jon Barrilleaux

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:09 PM

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From: Dan Basso

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:48 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

As the CEO of a successful software company that I started 38 years ago, I have been directly impacted by patent trolls. Technology that we developed and implemented in the 1980's was patented by a troll in 2002. We were threatened with a lawsuit if we did not pay "royalties". We refused. We are still unaware of the next step the pariahs might take. The "company" that secured the patent is composed of lawyers who have developed nothing except some pretty graphics and descriptions of our implemented technology. It is wrong and threatens the continued opportunity for entrepreneurs to develop innovative technology. Most upstart software development companies are not capitalized sufficiently to withstand a legal challenge. Software Patents should not be granted unless there is a demonstrated operational system and the software is in commercial use.

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Danny R Basso

CEO Systemware, Inc.

From: Malcolm Bastron

Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 9:13 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Malcolm Bastron

demlt01@charter.net

From: Angel Bateman

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 4:49 AM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:04 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:44 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Robin Bates-Pualuan

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:52 AM

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Alan Beatty

Concerned Citizen

From: Andrew Beatty

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 2:15 PM

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Thank you for your attention,

From: Bill & Michelle Becker

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:02 PM

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William H. Becker

Lancaster, PA

From: Brady

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 8:53 AM

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Bradley Becker

Salida, Colorado

From: Andrew B

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 1:29 PM

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Andrew J. Beeler, Jr

From: Marilyn Beidler

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Amanda Bennett

Austin, Texas

From: Barry Bennett

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From: Martin Berka

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:44 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: In opposition of new subject matter eligibility guidelines (Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053)

Greetings,

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The USPTO should stand by Alice instead of further cluttering the patent space with useless generalities. Please abandon revisions to the Patent Subject Matter Eligibility Guidance.

Sincerely,

Martin Berka

Technical Lead, Unico Power Corporation

503-927-9479

From: Mark Bernard

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:26 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO–P–2018–0053

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Thank you,

Mark Bernard

49 Fischer Ave

Kingston, NY 12401

From: Ed Bettinardi

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:25 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Ed Bettinardi, small business patent holder

From: Wayne BEVERLY

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 7:37 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: V Rao Bhamidipati

Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 1:50 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Damian Biagi

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:49 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

To Whom it May Concern:

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Thank you,

Damian Biagi

Pelham, MA

From: Lyle Bickley

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 6:17 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Regards,

Lyle Bickley

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Bickley Consulting West Inc.

Black holes are where God is dividing by zero

From: Dan Bidwa

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:31 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: randy billington

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 7:28 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Ken Biondi

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 12:12 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sincerely,

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From: Roger.Blair

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:53 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: John Blakeman

Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 3:57 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sincerely,

John Blakeman

From: Michael Blanc

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 2:45 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: hvblanchard hvblanchard

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:17 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Very Sincerely,

Hugh Blanchard

Yorktown, VA

From: Joe Blankenship

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:45 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

Hello!

As a researcher and small business entrepreneur, I agree with the below sentiment:

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Respectfully,

Joe Blankenship

Lead Data Scientist - CGRII

From: William Blasko

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:24 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Sam Bleckley

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 12:13 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sam Bleckley

MI 49548

From: Charles Bloch

Sent: Monday, February 18, 2019 9:57 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Charles Bloch

Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 2:25 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Dan Bloch

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:06 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Regards,

Dan

Dan Bloch

Mountain View, CA

From: Harlan Bloom

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:24 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Gregory Blum

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:40 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sincerely,

Gregory

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Gregory Blum

68 Mangels Ave

San Francisco, CA

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From: Michael Blum

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:11 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Please abandon revisions to the Patent Subject Matter Eligibility Guidance. Please govern yourselves accordingly.

Yours truly,

Michael Blum

From: Cameron Blume

Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 1:21 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:25 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Michael Boer

9504 Ravenna Ave NE

Seattle WA

From: Aleksander Bogacz

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:21 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Chad Bohlmann

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:18 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Chad

From: Christopher Bolduc

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 7:48 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Mariana Bondila

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:01 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:34 PM

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From: Paul Stephen Borile

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 2:47 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:14 PM

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Claudio Salazar

From: Mark Bosky

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:08 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: STOP ALLOWING GARBAGE PATENTS. SYSTEM IS BROKEN. Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Marla Bottesch

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 5:53 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:43 PM

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-joe

From: Randy Bowie

Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 1:28 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 11:11 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:55 PM

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Tobias Boyd

130 NE 72nd Ave

Portland OR 97213

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From: Tom Boyd

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 7:00 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Dan Brackett <cellular electronic mail>

From: Harold Breeden

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 7:14 AM

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From: Mike Breen

Sent: Monday, March 4, 2019 2:27 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:09 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:19 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:19 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:33 AM

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From: Jonathan Brier

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:38 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Regards,

Jonathan Brier

PhD Student

University of Maryland College of Information Studies

From: Steven Briggs

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:43 PM

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From: Wesley Brilhante

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:54 PM

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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 10:28 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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415 283 5462

From: Vivian Broadhead

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:17 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 9:28 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:05 AM

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From: G.L. Brown

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:51 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:10 AM

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From: Marty Brown

Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 10:09 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:41 PM

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From: Robert Brown

Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 3:21 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:23 AM

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From: Richard Brown

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 6:47 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Hi,

I'm writing to you as an independent small business involved in software development. The proposed actions are harmful to actual software innovators. The patent office is not an employment program for IP lawyers to litigate junk patents, nor is it part of its mission to enable non-value-creating "business models" like patent trolling.

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Regards,

Richard Brown

From: Walter W Brown

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 6:19 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Al Browne Jr

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:49 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Chalmers Browne

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 4:51 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Theo Browne

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 4:53 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

I'm a software engineer that grew up in a farming neighborhood in Plymouth, Massachusetts. I worked hard, built awesome things, and eventually found my way to San Francisco pursuing my dreams in technology. The technologies that helped me get here were built in an era before patent trolls, and if we aren't careful, these trolls might prevent young engineers like myself from finding success.

The following is a letter penned by the EFF that puts my feelings on this matter better than I ever could.

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-Theo

From: Marshall Browning

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 5:46 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 8:22 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Mercedes Brugh

Logansport, IN

From: Simon Bruins

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Simon Bruins

From: Perry F. Bruns

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:21 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 6:23 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:53 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 6:14 PM

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From: Phil Budne

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:11 PM

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Philip Budne

35 Central St

Arlington MA

2476

From: Michael Buhrley

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:04 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Michael Buhrley

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From: Chuck Burgess

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 9:34 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:24 PM

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Thank you for the consideration,

Adam Burke

Aurora, IL

From: Jane Burn

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:58 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Jane Burn

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From: Steve Burrows

Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 7:01 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:52 PM

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Respectfully,

John Busco

San Jose, CA 95126-1558

From: David Busey

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:19 PM

To: Eligibility2019; David Busey

Subject: Protect "Alice v. CLS Bank" regarding Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

Although this language has been written by another person, I have read it carefully. I agree with every sentence. Please accept this as my own opinion.

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Zipcode: 17529

From: Lisa Bynum

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:42 PM

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Lisa Bynum

From: Mike Byrnes

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:47 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Lonnie Byrnside

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 2:37 PM

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c.p. 512, 664 23 Cebin, Czech Republic

From: John Callas

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 10:06 AM

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Sincerely

Ms. Beth Camero

5626 Arlyn Way

Fair Oaks, CA 95628

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 2:50 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:20 PM

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Nathan Campbell

From: stewart

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 12:24 AM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Regards

Stewart Campbell

Mobile: +61 414 292 398

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From: Daniel M. Capella

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 5:32 AM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 7:57 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:17 PM

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From: dcc

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:16 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Importance: High

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Thank you for your earnest attention.

D. Carr

From: Txus Carrera

Sent: Wednesday, February 27, 2019 1:21 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 11:39 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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7017 Mission Road

Everson, WA 98247

From: Jim Caruso

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:50 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Many thanks,

James W. (Jim) Caruso

CEO

M1PR, Inc.

415 State St

Roswell, GA 30075

From: Daniel Casner

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:43 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Federico Ariel Castagnini

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 5:56 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Sunday, February 17, 2019 1:24 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Deborah Cate

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 8:02 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Deborah Cate

From: Franchita Cattani

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:44 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Ramazan Cav

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:28 AM

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From: Gene Cavanaugh

Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 11:53 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Katie Challenger

Sent: Thursday, February 28, 2019 11:06 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: James H Chesky

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:45 PM

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James Chesky [email redacted] Vancouver, WA

From: Kyle Chessman

Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 8:37 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Thursday, February 28, 2019 4:49 AM

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From: Steve Chew

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:29 PM

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Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 10:15 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:35 PM

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Jane Christensen

From: Bruce Christopher

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:35 PM

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Bruce Christopher

From: Kostas Chrysikos

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 4:14 AM

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From: Sc Chu

Sent: Sunday, February 17, 2019 2:49 PM

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-matt Ciampaglia

Leominster, MA 01453

From: Mckenna Cisler

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 6:36 PM

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From: Cormac Clancy

Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 1:03 PM

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 2:46 PM

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From: Kenneth Clark

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 11:00 AM

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From: Joseph Cleeton

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:56 AM

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From: Benjamin Cline

Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 11:31 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Thanks, Steve Cline, software developer

From: Nathan Clonts

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:28 PM

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From: Robert Clyne

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:55 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:29 PM

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From: Dan Cooney

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 10:04 AM

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(sorry about the boilerplate text)

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From: Alex Cox

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Sincerely

Alex Cox

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OR 97520

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Mark Creighton

From: Jessica Cresseveur

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:18 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Regards,

Jessica Cresseveur

New Albany, IN 47150

From: Thomas Crites

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:22 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 10:10 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Cross Activities

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:45 PM

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Nathan

From: Jonnie Crowe

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:59 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Jim Crowell

Sent: Friday, February 15, 2019 6:03 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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James Crowell

From: Jonathan Cruise

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:59 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Derek Crumb

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:14 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Derek Crumb

From: Kyle Cucci

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 2:50 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Kyle Cucci

From: Leah C

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 8:21 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sincerely,

Leah Cunningham

From: Derek G Currie

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:51 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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And please! Mature the USPTO into a US government agency worthy of the 21st century. If the office doesn't become intimately savvy with modern technology, it will continue to fail US citizens on into the interminable future. That can't happen.

Derek Currie

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Syracuse, NY 13203-1938

USA

From: Cathy Curtis

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 3:04 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Jason Curtis

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 5:41 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Thank you for your attention,

Jason Curtis

Alpine, CA 98122

From: Rich Curtis

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 6:21 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: John Cusick

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:41 PM

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A classic example, and an absolutely ridiculous patent, is Patent No. 8,738,435, which allows the patent of nothing more than targeted marketing email. C'mon... don't you all have better ways to spend your time and the Public's money?

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Regards,

John C.

From: Tim Cuthbertson

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 9:40 AM

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From: Raymond Cvetovich

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:00 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: George Czerw

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:58 AM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

As a concerned citizen, I am writing to strongly urge the USPTO not to adopt the guidance on subject matter eligibility as set forth in the Request for Comments, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053. Instead, the USPTO should be providing guidance that ensures its examiners correctly apply the Supreme Court's decision on Alice v. CLS Bank.

The proposed new guidance expands upon a small number of decisions finding patent claims eligible and conveniently ignores those far more numerous decisions in which our courts have rejected patent claims as ineligible for patent protection. Your proposal distorts the law and will encourage your examiners to grant invalid, abstract patents. Such patents wrongly claim basic ideas, will both increase litigation costs to no one's benefit, and greatly harm the public interest.

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Please abandon your proposed revisions to the Patent Subject Matter Eligibility Guidance.

Thank-you for your consideration.

From: Tabitha D

Sent: Thursday, February 28, 2019 10:15 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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From: Roseann Dal Bello

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:06 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:25 PM

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From: morgan dalton

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 7:27 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

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Thanks,

Morgan Dalton

From: Pirooz Daneshmandi

Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 12:02 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:56 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Kabir Helminski - "Soul Loss and Soul Making," essay in Alexandria volume 5

From: Matt Daniels

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:41 PM

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 7:53 PM

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From: Alex Davie

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:01 PM

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Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 4:45 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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-Scott Davis

Denver, CO

From: Vincent Davis

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:20 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Vincent Davis

From: Graham Dawson

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 5:01 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Graham Dawson

From: simon day

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:12 PM

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From: dbeanieb@att.net

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:41 AM

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From: Marivette De Jesus

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 1:21 PM

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 8:20 AM

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Respectfully

From: Jeffrey DeLucca

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:23 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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I trust the EFF is not misleading me with this form letter, but have not read deeply into the issue. Below is what they have to say, and I support it.

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Jeffrey De Lucca of Waldorf, MD 20602

From: Ricardo de Luna

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From: Presto De Marshall

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 11:44 AM

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From: Laura de Veth

Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 4:20 PM

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Kind regards Laura

Verstuurd vanaf mijn iPhone

From: Janos Deak

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:34 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Bri

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 1:25 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: Reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053

Hello,

I stand firmly with the electronic frontier foundations below recommendations on recent proposed changes. As a software developer I strongly oppose any new software patents.

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Warm Regards,

Brianna Dean

From: Dezri Dean

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:04 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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To: eligibility2019@uspto.gov

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:47 AM

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From: Eugene Dean

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:05 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:26 PM

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From: Ken DeBacker

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:46 PM

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Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 8:53 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 6:43 PM

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 3:50 AM

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From: Ida DelVecchio

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Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

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Sent: Thursday, February 28, 2019 10:17 PM

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