

From: Robert Rogers

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:31 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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From: Justin Rogosky

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 7:17 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 9:34 AM

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From: Roland

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 2:21 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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With regards

J. Roland

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:27 PM

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Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 6:12 PM

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Regards,

--Roy

From: Rick

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Rick Rooney

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Kit Lofroos

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Petaluma CA 94952

From: David Rosen

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David Rosen

From: Rustin Ross

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Sincerely,

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Software entrepreneur and business owner

From: kirkygee

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Kirk Ruebenson

From: Matt Ruen

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The United States Constitution establishes the government's ability to issue patents "in order to promote the progress of science and useful inventions," but too many modern patents do the opposite. Vague patents allow patent trolls to extract wealth from society without doing anything to encourage more inventions or advance human knowledge. The Supreme Court and Congress have both provided clear instructions to address this problem, and the USPTO should not seek to circumvent or undermine either institution's authority.

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Matthew Ruen

Grand Rapids, Michigan

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sincerely,

Aaron Ruscetta

Technologically Informed Entrepreneur,

Computer Science Historian

From: Emanuele Rusconi

Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 2:35 AM

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From: William L. Ryan

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Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 5:02 PM

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Sent from my iPhone

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:52 AM

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I have personally delayed starting an app business for several years as I'm not sure I can stomach the risk (\$\$\$ legal fees) of having to defend against patent infringement claims, particularly when the patents in question are overly broad, non-novel, or "obvious". How can I run a small business when anyone with one of these "bad patents" can send a demand letter and it costs me tens of thousands plus a trip to eastern Texas just to have the suit dropped at the last minute, so as to protect the patent for use against the next undeserving victim.

I am seriously considering relocating to another state, perhaps Vermont, as they have some legal protection against this nonsense. I'm hoping that by moving to such a state I might be able to leave the ranks of the "low hanging fruit" that is easy pickings for any "troll" with a bad patent.

In the meanwhile I'll keep donating to EFF. Maybe they can help put an end to this.

Sincerely,

Peter Sabra

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From: donye

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Mr. Rob Sackett

8720 Perry Hwy

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From: Ken Sale

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 6:17 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:21 PM

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 7:39 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Daniel Sandvig

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 9:07 PM

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From: Karthik Sankar

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

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From: Jessica Sarles

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 4:59 PM

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From: Jackie Saulmon Ramirez

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:38 PM

To: Eligibility2019 ; Jackie Ramirez

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From: Jackie Saulmon Ramirez

Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 8:47 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:15 PM

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Thank you

Kevin Savetz

Portland OR

From: Stephen Savitzky

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:34 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Bob Sawyer

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:31 PM

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 8:49 PM

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Best regards,

Tom Saxton

Software Design Engineer

From: Sam Scarnati

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 5:17 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Sent from my iPhone

From: Michael Scepaniak

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:43 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Michael Scepaniak

From: Ken Schaefer

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:35 AM

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 3:35 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: matt schemel

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Beyond Logistics

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From: Jesse Schoem

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Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 12:55 PM

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From: Brook S.E. Schoenfield

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 6:20 PM

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Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 7:39 PM

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Arthur Gould Yates Professor

Computer Science Department, University of Rochester

From: scout.perry

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 11:27 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 5:34 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: Primo Secondo

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Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 12:10 AM

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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:08 AM

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Timothy Karl

From: R100/7

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Please do not increase the stifling of innovation, it's a drag on our economy!

Sincerely,

-Dave Shantz

Williamsburg, VA

From: Cahlan Sharp

Sent: Thursday, February 28, 2019 1:16 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 7:40 AM

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From: Michael Sheldon

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

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Thank you,

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From: Jerry W Shepard

Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 11:01 PM

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I saw the opportunity to share this from the EFF, and include their suggested language below (in case you're counting us in a batch). But I'm a real entrepreneur and 4 time patent holder--that believe the use of software patents has veered from the original intent of protecting the investment in innovation.

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From: Michael Simoes

Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 6:50 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:26 PM

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 2:19 PM

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From: Matt Slade

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thank you,

Matthew Slade

Village Trustee

Village of Durand

From: Stanley Slater

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J. J. Slemenda, Jr.

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From: Brett Smith

Sent: Sunday, February 17, 2019 8:50 AM

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

To whom it may concern:

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Sent from ProtonMail mobile

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 8:45 PM

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San Mateo, CA

From: Scott Snyder

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

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Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 9:36 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: Nir Soffer

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 9:03 AM

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Timothy A. Spong

Houston, Del., U.S.A.

From: Timothy Spong

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:30 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 1:17 PM

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From: Martin Stanley

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 4:16 PM

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Katherine Anne Stansbury

15170 Thayer Road

Oregon City, Oregon 97045

From: Jason Staph

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 7:56 PM

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

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From: Crystal Starheart

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:02 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

To: eligibility2019@uspto.gov

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From: Trevor Stark

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:59 PM

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From: Gail M. Stebbins

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

To: Eligibility2019

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thank you,

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From: Larry Steele

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

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:57 PM

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Sent: Thursday, February 14, 2019 5:39 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Steven Steinberg

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 4:34 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Steve Steinberg

sjsteinberg@gmail.com

We've gone solar! Click for referral savings on Tesla cars and solar sy

From: Michael Stetner

Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 9:38 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Chad Stevens

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:18 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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From: Sam Stewart

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 2:32 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Dr. John D. Stickle, D.C.

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:45 AM

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: Andrew Stiegmann

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

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 4:20 PM

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From: Eric Stiff

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:52 AM

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Gene Stillman, 505-980-0057

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From: Sam Stites

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 11:10 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sam Stites

Allston, Massachusetts 02134

From: Alexandra E. Stocker

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:47 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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A Concerned Citizen,

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From: Thomas Stocking

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:33 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Ramsey Stone

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 6:48 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Seattle, WA

From: Glau Stuff

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:48 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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Sincerely,

Jim Stuhlmacher

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Warm regards,

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From: supertec

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 2:12 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Jon Swalby

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From: Derek

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:06 PM

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From: Lewis L. Szerecz

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

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 1:26 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:56 AM

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973 N Shadeland Ave 299

Indianapolis, IN 46219

From: Steve Taffee

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:00 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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As a member of EFF I encourage the Patent Office to become more restrictive, not less, on what constitutes real discovery and innovation and not become a simply a means of transferring wealth to the underserving.

Steve Taffee

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From: A. Tam

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:04 PM

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 7:13 AM

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john tavares

From: Aubrey Taylor

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 12:08 PM

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 1:20 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:50 PM

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From: tcnews

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

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From: Pat & Shirley

Sent: Friday, March 1, 2019 7:57 AM

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From: Daniel Teal

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:25 PM

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From: Microsoft.com Team

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:33 PM

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Sent from my iPhone

From: Urvesh Thakkar

Sent: Monday, February 18, 2019 4:38 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 4:04 PM

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From: Douglas Thayer

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From: Al TheJuggernaut

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:19 PM

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From: theom

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:52 AM

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Cc: Theo M.

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:59 PM

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BR/Morten Thiele

From: Jeremy Thiesen

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 11:09 AM

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From: Ashley Thomas

Sent: Thursday, February 14, 2019 7:28 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 8:37 AM

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From: John Thompson

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 9:09 AM

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-John Thompson [email redacted] Appleton WI USA

From: Nathan Thoms

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:27 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:41 AM

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SCott

From: I Thorner

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 3:43 AM

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From: Christopher Thorpe

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 5:03 PM

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From: Douglas Thrift

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:08 AM

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Sincerely,

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<<https://douglasthrift.net/>>

From: Magnus Thulin

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 3:05 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 11:42 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 7:34 PM

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

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 2:54 AM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:50 AM

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Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 10:09 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 27, 2019 7:26 AM

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Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 10:52 PM

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From: Andrej Tusicisny

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 1:05 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Thank you for considering this opinion.

Andrej Tusicisny, PhD

From: Qwert Y. Uiop

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:48 PM

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From: kevin ullery

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:02 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Ron Unger

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From: jon paul Uritis

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

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Sent: Thursday, February 28, 2019 9:41 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 8:39 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: paul V

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

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Regards,

Paul.

From: Jonathan van Alteren

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 2:26 PM

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Kind regards,

Jonathan van Alteren

Amsterdam, Netherlands

From: Erik van Bronkhorst

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

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From: Bill Van Buren

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

To: Eligibility2019

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Sincerely,

William Van Buren

Seattle, WA

From: Elly van der Pas

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:47 PM

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From: Johan Vandegriff

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:11 PM

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Johan Vandegriff

<https://johan.vandegriff.net/>

From: Jim VanNest

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 4:57 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:53 PM

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From: Vargas, David

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

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Noone v

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 5:16 PM

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From: mevatter

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:54 PM

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Mike Vatter

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904.233.4942

Please forgive any typos,

this was sent from my mobile device.

From: Aurora Vaughn

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 10:07 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 4:48 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Elsie Venegas Ibarra

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:04 PM

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James Vermillion

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Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 7:55 PM

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From: Paul Vigil

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:23 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

To whom it may concern,

I am a U.S citizen who works in Information Technology and has been both self-educated and trained by my employers in matters regarding patent application and eligibility processes. I have a public high school education from Cobb County in the state of Georgia, and I studied for four years at Caltech. I am proud of my country's constitution, our protected rights and freedom, and I have a strong sense of justice and civic responsibility. I have worked both for startup entrepreneurial companies and for enormous well-established corporations.

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Gerard Paul "xpaul" Vigil

From: Brian Villemarette

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James Vipond

[jvipond@wat.midco.net](mailto:jvipond@wat.midco.net)

From: Cynthia Virtue

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

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From: Bert Visscher

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 9:13 AM

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Bert Visscher

<https://bertvisscher.net>

From: Ekaterina Vladinakova

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 6:24 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:14 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Bob Voutier

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

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:11 PM

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Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2019 5:07 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:54 AM

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From: Joseph D. Wagner

Sent: Tuesday, March 5, 2019 7:29 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: Jeremy Wales

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:16 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:24 PM

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John Wallack

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From: Anthony F. Waller

Sent: Saturday, February 16, 2019 2:08 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Please reject new guidelines on subject matter eligibility, Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053.  
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From: Jim Wallin

Sent: Thursday, March 7, 2019 8:25 AM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

Subject: USPTO

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 1:57 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 1:00 AM

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From : Howard Wapner <hwapner@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 1:44 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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my Vimeo channel - <https://vimeo.com/herbnrenewal>

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Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 9:03 AM

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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 5:36 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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- Nathaniel D.R. Watkins

The bluest skies you've ever seen are in Seattle

And the hills the greenest green, in Seattle

From: Sam Watkins

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 9:18 PM

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

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From: Pollock, Wayne

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:58 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:02 AM

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From: Greg Weber

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 8:41 AM

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From: Jonas Weber

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 6:32 AM

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Small Business owner, Internet user, and Voter

From: Mingcen Wei (sAy)

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From: joe weis

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

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From: Al Werner

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 5:16 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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Sincerely,

Al Werner

From: Alan P. West

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

To: Eligibility2019

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

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In closing I hope that the USPTO will abandon its quest to continue to move the patent process backwards by continuing to issue vague and overbroad patents and look to fixing the currently broken system. Thank you.

Alan P. West

From: Ken West

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 12:28 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sincerely,

Kenneth West

From: Gerton - Wes Westerop

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:19 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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Very best regards,

Gerton Westerop

8670 Cedar Hammock Cir, Apt. 228

Naples, FL 34112

email gertonw@outlook.com

From: Michael Weston

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 7:05 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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Michael Weston

From: Andrew Wheeler

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 4:33 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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From: Donna Whisnant

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 10:31 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Douglas White

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

To: Eligibility2019

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

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Douglas White

5349 W. Eddy St.

Chicago, IL 60641-3311

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whitedoug@ameritech.net

From: Zach GemXer

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:39 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

Boy, another brush fire to put out before it grows!

In yet another example of the wasting of prior work and sunk cost, another piece of progressive (in a general sense) rulemaking is being dismantled by a partisan, this time by the industry-leaning head of the USPTO: the Alice provision, which dis-incentivized patent trolls who produce nothing but paperwork, but whose business model is threatening and extorting those risking everything to actually innovate and create. Andre Iascu thinks that patent trolls are part of a child's bedtime story. That somebody who is so ignorant of patent issues could be installed as director of patent issues would have been shocking two years ago, but industry shills who have only ever seen it their way, instead of following a balanced mandate to protect citizens and consumers, are par for the course now, it seems. This is what a failing democracy looks like.

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After that, please find some work to do which does not involve trashing prior work and all the hidden waste of human resources that represents.

Sincerely,

Zach White

From: Cheryl Whittaker

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:29 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Kevin Whittinghill

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 5:00 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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

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Thank you,

Kevin Whittinghill

From: Robin Whitworth

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 7:18 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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From: Suwana Wierzba

Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 3:50 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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From: Rafal Wilczewski

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 2:12 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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From: Andrew Wilder

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:26 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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Sincerely,

Andrew Wilder

From: Bill V. Wilder

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 7:08 PM

To: Eligibility2019

Subject: Opposed to new guidelines on subject matter eligibility (Docket No. PTO-P-2018-0053)

To Whom It May Concern:

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Best regards,

Bill Wilder

CTO

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From: Kimberly Wiley

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 9:45 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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Thank you for your consideration.

Kimberly Wiley

Rochester, NY, 14612

From: Matt W

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

To: Eligibility2019

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Matt Wilkin

From: Nate Wilkins

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:23 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Ben Williams

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:15 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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-Benjamin Williams

From: Debra Williams

Sent: Sunday, March 3, 2019 8:06 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Debra Williams

djwc@fastmail.com

From: Jesse Williams On Behalf Of Jesse Williams

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:37 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Joseph Williams

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 1:56 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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From: Patricia Williams

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:36 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 1:39 PM

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From: Kee Willis

Sent: Saturday, March 2, 2019 11:55 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: David M. Wilson

Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 6:22 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Respectfully,

David M. Wilson

Sugar Land, TX 77498

From: Jordan Wilson

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

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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

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From: matthew wilson

Sent: Wednesday, March 6, 2019 4:57 PM

To: Eligibility2019@USPTO.GOV

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From: Jim Winer

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

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Jim Winer

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From: Karen Winer

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2019 12:00 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 3:13 PM

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 1:48 PM

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From: Ron Wolf

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

To: Eligibility2019

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Regards,

Ronald E Wolf

Holder of 3 patents

Original Message-----

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Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 11:34 AM

To: Eligibility2019

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To: eligibility2019@uspto.gov

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Best Regards,

Stephen Wolfcale

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From: Brian Wolfe

Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2019 12:55 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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

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From: Sam Wood

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2019 4:15 PM

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

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From: Mark Woon

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 1:41 PM

To: Eligibility2019

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From: Heath Wyld

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Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 10:36 AM

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From: Leah Zani

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From: Ucmeas Zardo

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