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Dear USPTO:

On behalf of the Semiconductor Business Division of Samsung Electronics, we would like to express our support for a satellite patent office in Silicon Valley.

Establishing a regional office in Silicon Valley would facilitate reducing the number of pending applications and enhance the quality of US patents through productive communications between the USPTO and the patent applicants.

We files about 1,100 utility patent applications per year before the USPTO. We would like to collaborate with USPTO in order to receive a fast and accurate examination. The more quickly our pending applications are examined, the better our company can compete in the innovation space. An office here in the Valley would allow our engineers to develop close working relationships with the USPTO examiners to ensure high quality US patents.

We believe that this kind of collaboration between Silicon Valley inventors and the USPTO is vital to refining the patent application process overall and maximizing innovation nationwide.

Sincerely,
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