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## **General Comment**

Dear USPTO and Congress,

The American court system is the most fair and transparent in the world. Unfortunately, the ptab is an extrajudicial body that can disregard precedents that have been set through case law in the traditional court system. This allows the biggest and squeakiest wheel to get the grease. As an independent inventor, one is never the biggest wheel, nor does one have the resources to sound off with the biggest squeak. If independent inventors have the right to determine the venue in which to defend their patents, frivolous attacks will be much Limited. Please adopt every measure that would allow the fairness and case history of American courts to be brought to bear in support of truth and defense of the same.

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