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I would like to protest against this proposed fee.

It is already hard enough to stop people filing frivolous trademarks, but by imposing a \$100 fee on those who want to protest these requests, you are only going to make it easier for people to file trademarks that should never be allowed.

Many of the people who end up suffering from these frivolous trademark requests are not the large companies with their own legal departments - they are individuals running their own, small ecommerce sites, who can ill afford to spend \$100 to file an LOP, with no guarantee that the trademark will be denied.

In the interest of small business owners everywhere, please reject this proposed filing fee.

Thank you for your consideration.

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