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There are so many times that the filing of an RCE is necessary and mainly because of the numerous new examiners that are not sufficiently experienced to understand the law and in many cases the science. Waiting two years for an examiner to pick up an RCE (many times not the same examiner) is so unfair to the applicant. In the biotechnology field, if you amend the claims then an RCE is often required. Further, many times the examination process is so piece-meal that a rejection that should have been made initially was not and then we are basically started all over again. Thus, waiting for a new examiner to come up to speed causes the need for the filing of RCE.

We need to have RCE examined in a timely fashion.

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