Untitled From: Joanne Hiratsuka Petersen [e-mail address redacted] Sent: Wednesday, December 14, 2011 7:29 PM To: SatelliteOffices Cc: Joanne Hiratsuka Petersen Subject: Silicon Valley satellite USPTO office!

There is a lot of innovation in California and specifically in the Silicon Valley (San Francisco bay area). It would be beneficial to have a satellite office of the USPTO here. I worked at HP for many years and they have garnered thousands of patents. Creating a satellite office here will ensure innovation is quickly reviewed and (hopefully) rewarded.

Thanks for your consideration!

Kind regards,

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