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To: aia_implementation
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Subject: Patents - first to file

Dear Mr. Hiram Bernstein,

Please do all in your power to reverse, counter or eliminate the concept of "first to file."

The "first to file" approach is unethical and against the integrity of honest individuals who invent and need time to develop and launch an effective business and marketing strategy.

Please reverse, counter or otherwise take steps to eliminate "first to file" rules.

Thank you,