

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profits.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 95 responses per year.

*Estimated Time per Response:* The USPTO estimates that it will take the public approximately 15 minutes (0.25

hours) to gather the necessary information, prepare the form, and submit the request for recordal or renewal of a fastener insignia to the USPTO.

*Estimated Total Annual Respondent Burden Hours:* 24 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Respondent Cost Burden:* \$3,000. The USPTO

expects that the information in this collection will be prepared by paraprofessionals at an estimated rate of \$125 per hour. Therefore, the USPTO estimates that the respondent cost burden for this collection will be approximately \$3,000 per year.

Item	Estimated time for response	Estimated annual responses	Estimated annual burden hours
Application for Recordal of Insignia or Renewal/Reactivation of Recordal Under the Fastener Quality Act (PTO-1611).	15 minutes .....	95	24
Totals .....	.....	95	24

*Estimated Total Annual Non-Hour Respondent Cost Burden:* \$2,047. There are no capital start-up, recordkeeping, or maintenance costs associated with this information collection. However, this collection does have annual (non-hour) costs in the form of filing fees and postage costs.

Under 37 CFR 2.7, the filing fee is \$20 for a recordal of a new fastener insignia, a renewal, or a request for reactivation. The USPTO estimates that it will receive 95 new recordals, renewals, or reactivations of fastener insignia per year, for a total of \$1,900 in filing fees. If a manufacturer submits a renewal after the expiration date but within six months of that date, then the manufacturer must pay an additional \$20 late-renewal surcharge. The USPTO estimates that approximately 7 of the 95 responses per year will be late renewals that incur the surcharge, for a total of \$140 in additional charges. Therefore, the total estimated filing fees for this collection will be \$2,040 per year.

The public may submit the information for this collection to the USPTO by mail through the United States Postal Service. The USPTO estimates that approximately 5 of the 95 responses per year will be submitted to the USPTO by mail at an average first-class postage cost of \$1.42 per response, for a total postage cost of approximately \$7 per year.

The total non-hour respondent cost burden for this collection in the form of filing fees (\$2,040) and postage costs (\$7) is estimated to be \$2,047 per year.

#### IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the

proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, e.g., the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: October 23, 2014.

**Marcie Lovett,**

*Records Management Division Director, USPTO, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Patent and Trademark Office

#### Patent Prosecution Highway (PPH) Program

**ACTION:** Proposed collection; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on a continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before December 29, 2014.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments by any of the following methods:

- *E-Mail:* [InformationCollection@uspto.gov](mailto:InformationCollection@uspto.gov). Include "0651-0058

comment" in the subject line of the message.

- *Mail:* Marcie Lovett, Records Management Division Director, Office of the Chief Information Officer, United States Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

- *Federal Rulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information should be directed to Raul Tamayo, Senior Legal Advisor, Office of Patent Legal Administration, United States Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450; by telephone at 571-272-7728; or by email to [Raul.Tamayo@uspto.gov](mailto:Raul.Tamayo@uspto.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

The Patent Prosecution Highway (PPH) is a framework in which an application whose claims have been determined to be patentable by an Office of Earlier Examination (OEE) is eligible to go through an accelerated examination in an Office of Later Examination with a simple procedure upon an applicant's request. By leveraging the search and examination work product of the OEE, PPH programs (1) deliver lower prosecution costs, (2) support applicants in their efforts to obtain stable patent rights efficiently around the world, and (3) reduce the search and examination burden, while improving the examination quality, of participating patent offices.

Originally, the PPH programs were limited to the utilization of search and examination results of national applications between cross filings under the Paris Convention. Later, the potential of the PPH was greatly expanded by PCT-PPH programs, which permit participating patent offices to draw upon the positive results of the

PCT work product from another participating office. PCT-PPH programs use international written opinions and international preliminary examination reports developed within the framework of the PCT, thereby making the PPH available to a larger number of applicants. Information collected for the PCT is approved under OMB control number 0651-0021.

More recently, the USPTO and several other offices acted to consolidate and replace existing PPH programs, with the goal of streamlining the PPH process for both offices and applicants. To that end, the USPTO and other offices established the Global PPH pilot program and the IP5 PPH pilot program. The Global PPH and IP5 PPH pilot programs are running concurrently and are substantially identical, differing only with regard to their respective participating offices. The USPTO is participating in both the Global PPH pilot program and the IP5 PPH pilot program. For USPTO applications, the Global PPH and IP5 PPH pilot programs supersede any prior PPH program between the USPTO and each Global PPH and IP5 PPH participating office. Any existing PPH programs between the USPTO and offices that are not participating in either the Global PPH pilot program or

the IP5 PPH pilot program remain in effect.

For more complete information on the PPH, including (1) a complete identification of participating countries and offices and the programs under which each country/office is participating, (2) the forms needed to request entry into the PPH, both at the USPTO and other participating offices, and (3) information as to which of the PPH programs remain pilots and which have been made permanent, please visit [http://www.uspto.gov/patents/init\\_events/pph/index.jsp](http://www.uspto.gov/patents/init_events/pph/index.jsp).

The forms in this collection allow participants to file in a U.S. application a request to make the U.S. application special under a PPH or PCT-PPH program.

## II. Method of Collection

Requests to participate in the PPH programs must be submitted online using EFS-Web, the USPTO's web-based electronic filing system.

## III. Data

OMB Number: 0651-0058.

Form Number(s): PTO/SB/20GLBL/AT/AU/BR/CA/CN/CO/CZ/DE/DK/EP/ES/FI/HU/IL/IS/JP/KR/MX/NI/NO/PH/PL/PT/RU/SG/TW/UK, and PTO/SB/

20PCT-AT/PCT-AU/PCT-CA/PCT-CN/PCT-EP/PCT-ES/PCT-FI/PCT-IL/PCT-JP/PCT-KR/PCT-NPI/PCT-RU/PCT-SE/PCT-US.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households; businesses or other for-profits; and not-for-profit institutions.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 8,210 responses per year. The USPTO estimates that approximately 10% of these responses will be from small entities.

*Estimated Time per Response:* The USPTO estimates that it will take the public approximately two hours to gather the necessary information, prepare the appropriate form, and submit a completed request to the USPTO.

*Estimated Total Annual Respondent Burden Hours:* 16,420 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Respondent Cost Burden:* \$6,387,380. The USPTO expects that the information in this collection will be prepared by attorneys. Using the professional rate of \$389 per hour for attorneys in private firms, the USPTO estimates that the total annual respondent cost burden for this collection will be approximately \$6,387,380 per year.

Item	Estimated time for response	Estimated annual responses	Estimated burden hours
Request for Participation in the Global/IP5 PPH Pilot Program in the USPTO (PTO/SB/20GLBL).	2 hours .....	5000	10,000
Intellectual Property Office of Australia (IPAU), Form PTO/SB/20AU .....	2 hours .....	30	60
Austrian Patent Office (APO), Form PTO/SB/20AT .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Instituto Nacional da Propriedade Industrial (Brazil)(INPI), Form PTO/SB/20BR.	2 hours .....	10	20
Canadian Intellectual Property Office (CIPO), Form PTO/SB/20CA .....	2 hours .....	30	60
State Intellectual Property Office of the P.R.C. (SIPO), Form PTO/SB/20CN.	2 hours .....	80	160
Colombian Superintendence of Industry and Commerce (SIC), Form PTO/SB/20CO.	2 hours .....	10	20
Industrial Property Office of the Czech Republic (IPOCZ), Form PTO/SB/20CZ.	2 hours .....	10	20
Danish Patent and Trademark Office (DKPTO), Form PTO/SB/20DK .....	2 hours .....	20	40
European Patent Office (EPO), Form PTO/SB/20EP .....	2 hours .....	150	300
National Board of Patents and Registration of Finland (NBPR), Form PTO/SB/20FI.	2 hours .....	10	20
German Patent and Trade Mark Office (DPMA), Form PTO/SB/20DE .....	2 hours .....	40	80
Hungarian Patent Office (HPO), Form PTO/SB/20HU .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Icelandic Patent Office (IPO), Form PTO/SB/20IS .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Israeli Patent Office (ILPO), Form PTO/SB/20IL .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Japan Patent Office (JPO), Form PTO/SB/20JP .....	2 hours .....	850	1700
Korean Intellectual Property Office (KIPO), Form PTO/SB/20KR .....	2 hours .....	150	300
Mexican Institute of Industrial Property (IMPI), Form PTO/SB/20MX .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Nicaraguan Registry of Intellectual Property (NRIP), Form PTO/SB/20NI .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Norwegian Industrial Property Office (NIPO), Form PTO/SB/20NO .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Intellectual Property Office of the Philippines (IPOPH), Form PTO/SB/PH.	2 hours .....	10	20
Intellectual Property Office of the Republic of Poland (UPRP) Form PTO/SB/20PL.	2 hours .....	10	20
Portuguese Institute of Industrial Property (INPI-PT), Form PTO/SB/PT	2 hours .....	10	20

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Russian Federal Service for Intellectual Property (ROSPATENT), Form PTO/SB/20RU.	2 hours .....	10	20
Intellectual Property Office of Singapore (IPOS), Form PTO/SB/20SG ...	2 hours .....	10	20
Spanish Patent and Trademark Office (SPTO), Form PTO/SB/20ES .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Taiwan Intellectual Property Office (TIPO), Form PTO/SB/20TW .....	2 hours .....	10	20
United Kingdom Intellectual Property Office (UKIPO), Form PTO/SB/20UK.	2 hours .....	40	80
U.S. Applications Where the USPTO was the ISA or IPEA, Form PTO/SB/20PCT-US.	2 hours .....	200	400
Intellectual Property Office of Australia (IPAU), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-AU.	2 hours .....	30	60
Austrian Patent Office (APO), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-AT .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Canadian Intellectual Property Office (CIPO), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-CA	2 hours .....	10	20
State Intellectual Property Office of the P.R.C. (SIPO), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-CN.	2 hours .....	80	160
European Patent Office (EPO), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-EP .....	2 hours .....	550	1100
National Board of Patents and Registration of Finland (NBPR), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-FI.	2 hours .....	10	20
Israeli Patent Office (ILPO), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-IL .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Japan Patent Office (JPO), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-JP .....	2 hours .....	150	300
Korean Intellectual Property Office (KIPO), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-KR ...	2 hours .....	550	1100
Nordic Patent Institute (NPI), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-NPI .....	2 hours .....	10	20
Russian Federal Service for Intellectual Property (ROSPATENT), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-RU.	2 hours .....	10	20
Spanish Patent and Trademark Office (SPTO), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-ES.	2 hours .....	10	20
Swedish Patent and Registration Office (PRV), Form PTO/SB/20PCT-SE.	2 hours .....	10	20
Totals .....	.....	8,210	16,420

Estimated Total Annual Non-hour Respondent Cost Burden: \$0. There are no capital start-up, maintenance, or postage costs associated with this collection. This collection also has no filing fees or recordkeeping costs.

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USPTO, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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#### COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

##### Sunshine Act Meetings

**TIME AND DATE:** 10:30 a.m. EST, Monday, November 3, 2014.

**PLACE:** CFTC Headquarters Conference Center, Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street NW., Washington, DC.

**STATUS:** Open.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Commission will hold this meeting to consider rulemaking and related matters, including the issuance of proposed rules and a final interpretation. The agenda for this meeting is available to the public and posted on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.cftc.gov>. In the event that the time, date, or place of this meeting changes, an announcement of the change, along with the new time, date,

or place of the meeting, will be posted on the Commission's Web site.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Christopher J. Kirkpatrick, Secretary of the Commission, 202-418-5964.

**Christopher J. Kirkpatrick,**

*Secretary of the Commission.*

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#### CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[CPSC Docket No. 15-C0001]

**One World Technologies, Inc., and Baja, Inc., Provisional Acceptance of a Settlement Agreement and Order**

**AGENCY:** Consumer Product Safety Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** It is the policy of the Commission to publish settlements which it provisionally accepts under the Consumer Product Safety Act in the **Federal Register** in accordance with the terms of 16 CFR 1118.20(e). Published below is a provisionally-accepted Settlement Agreement with One World Technologies, Inc., and Baja, Inc., containing a civil penalty of \$4.3