Patent Reform Hearing Timeline in the House 2001-2007

Date	Hearing	Witnesses
04/04/2001	House Judiciary	The Honorable Nicholas Godici
	Subcommittee on	Acting Undersecretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and
	Courts, the Internet,	Acting Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
	and Intellectual	
	Property	Mr. Michael K. Kirk
	Oversight Hearing	Executive Director, American Intellectual Property Law
	on "Business	Association (AIPLA)
	Method Patents."	
		Mr. Ronald E. Myrick
		Chief Intellectual Property Counsel, GE, General Electric on
		behalf of Intellectual Property Owners Association
		Mr. Andrew B. Steinberg
		Executive Vice President, Administration General Counsel and
		Corporate Secretary, Travelocity
05/10/2001	House Judiciary	Mr. James F. Cottone
	Subcommittee on	President, National Intellectual Property Researchers Association
	Courts, the Internet,	
	and Intellectual	Mr. Michael K. Kirk
	Property	Executive Director, American Intellectual Property Law
	Oversight Hearing	Association (AIPLA)
	on "Patents	
	Improving Quality	Mr. Jeffrey P. Kushan, Esq.
	and Curing	Powell, Goldstein, Frazer and Murphy, LLP
	Defects."	
		Mr. David E. Martin
		Chief Executive Officer, M.CAM
11/08/2001	House Judiciary	Mr. Charles P. Baker
	Subcommittee on	Attorney, Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto on behalf of the
	Courts, the Internet,	American Bar Association
	and Intellectual	
	Property	Mr. Ronald E. Myrick
	Oversight Hearing	Chief Intellectual Property Counsel, GE, General Electric on
	on "Market Power"	behalf of Intellectual Property Owners Association
	and Intellectual	
	Property	
	Litigation."	
04/11/2002	House Judiciary	Honorable James Rogan, Undersecretary of Commerce for
	Subcommittee on	Intellectual Property
	Courts, the Internet,	and Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
	and Intellectual	
	Property	Mr. Michael K. Kirk, Executive Director, American Intellectual
	Oversight Hearing	Property Law
	on "The U.S. Patent	Association
	and Trademark	
	Office: Operations	Mr. John K. Williamson, President, Intellectual Property Owners

	and Fiscal Year	
	2003 Budget."	Ms. Colleen Kelley, National President, National Treasury
	2003 Buuget.	Employees Union
06/20/2002	House Judiciary	Mr. Paul Heckel
00/20/2002	Subcommittee on	Independent Inventor
ı	Courts, the Internet,	independent inventor
	and Intellectual	Dr. Nancy Linck
	Property	Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary, Guilford
	Oversight Hearing	Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
	on "Patent	
	Reexamination and	Mr. Peter Theis
	Small Business	President, Theis Research, Inc.
	Innovations."	
		Mr. Mark H. Webbink
		Senior Vice President & General Counsel, Red Hat, Inc.
07/18/2002	House Judiciary	Mr. Charles P. Baker
	Subcommittee on	Chair, Intellectual Property Law Section, American Bar
	Courts, the Internet,	Association
	and Intellectual	
	Property	Mr. Michael K. Kirk
	Oversight Hearing	Executive Director, American Intellectual Property Law
	on "The U.S. Patent	Association (AIPLA)
	and Trademark	
	Office: Fee Schedule	Ms. Kathryn Barrett Park
	Adjustment and	Executive Vice President, International Trademark Association
	Agency Reform."	(INTA)
		The Honorable James Rogan
		Undersecretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and
		Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
07/24/03	House Judiciary	Mark Kesslen
	Subcommittee on	Managing Director and Associate General Counsel, J.P. Morgan
	Courts, the Internet,	Chase & Company, on behalf of the Financial Services
	and Intellectual	Roundtable and BITS
	Property	
	Oversight Hearing	David M. Simon
	on "Patent Quality	Chief Patent Counsel, Intel Corporation
	Improvement."	-
		John R. Thomas
		Professor of Law, Georgetown University
		Mr. Charles E. Van Horn
		Partner, Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, on
		behalf of the American Intellectual Property Law Association
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06/24/04	House Judiciary	Mr. James A. Toupin, General Counsel, U.S. Patent and
	Subcommittee on	Trademark Office
	Courts, the Internet,	(PTO), Washington, DC
	and Intellectual	Leffway D. Kyshon, Ecquire Cidley Assetin Dayson 0 W. 1
	Property	Jeffrey P. Kushan, Esquire, Sidley Austin Brown & Wood, on

	Overeight Heaving	behalf of
	Oversight Hearing	
	on "Patent Quality	Genentech, Inc.
	Improvement: Post-	
	Grant Opposition."	Mr. Michael K. Kirk, Executive Director, American Intellectual
		Property Law
		Association (AIPLA)
		Mr. Karl Sun, Senior Patent Counsel, Google, Inc.
		Oral Testimony .
03/17/2005	House Judiciary	Edward R. Reines, Esq.
03/17/2003	Subcommittee on	Weil, Gotshal & Manges, LLP
		Well, Ootshal & Maliges, LLF
	Courts, the Internet,	D.C. A.I. D.II.II
	and Intellectual	Professor Arthur D. Hellman
	Property	Professor of Law, University of Pittsburgh School of Law
	Oversight Hearing	
	on "Holmes Group,	Sanjay Prasad
	the Federal Circuit,	Chief Patent Counsel, Oracle Corporation
	and the State of	
	Patent Appeals."	Meredith Martin Addy, Esq.
		Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione
04/20/2005	House Judiciary	J. Jeffrey Hawley
0 1/20/2003	Subcommittee on	Legal Division Vice President and Director, Patent Legal Staff,
	Courts, the Internet,	Eastman Kodak Company (on behalf of Intellectual Property
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	and Intellectual	Owners Association (IPO))
	Property	
	Oversight Hearing	Richard J. Lutton Jr.
	on the "Committee	Chief Patent Counsel, Apple (on behalf of the Business Software
	Print Regarding	Alliance)
	Patent Quality	
	Improvement."	Jeffrey P. Kusham Esq.
	(Part I)	Sidley Austin Brown and Wood, LLP (on behalf of Genetech)
		William L. LaFuze
		Chair, Section of Intellectual Property Law, American Bar
		Association (on behalf of the American Bar Association and the
		ABA Section of Intellectual Property Law)
04/28/2005	House Judiciary	Honorable Jon W. Dudas
07/20/2003	Subcommittee on	Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property & Director
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	Courts, the Internet,	of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO)
	and Intellectual	Distant Lorin
	Property	Richard Levin
	Oversight Hearing	President, Yale University
	on the "Committee	
	Print Regarding	Dr. Nathan P. Myhrvold
	Patent Quality	Chief Executive Officer, Intellectual Ventures
	Improvement."	
	(Part II)	Darin E. Bartholomew
		Senior Attorney, Patent Department, John Deere and Company on
		behalf of the Financial Services Roundtable
06/09/2005	House Judiciary	Gary L. Griswold
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	Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property Legislative Hearing on H.R. 2795, the "Patent Act of 2005."	President and Chief Intellectual Property Counsel, 3M Innovative Properties Company (on behalf of the American Intellectual Property Law Association (AIPLA) Carl Gulbrandsen Managing Director, Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation (WARF) Josh Lerner
		Professor, Harvard Business School
		Daniel B. Ravicher Executive Director, Public Patent Fuondation (PUBPAT)
09/08/2005	House Judiciary Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property	Honorable Jon W. Dudas Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property & Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) Anu K. Mittal
	Oversight Hearing: "Review of U.S. Patent and	Director, Science and Technology Issues, U.S. General Accounting Office (GAO)
	Trademark Office Operations, Including Analysis	Ronald J. Stern President, Patent Office Professional Association (POPA)
	of General Accounting Office, Inspector General, and National Academy of Public Administration Reports."	Charles Van Horn Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett, and Dunner, LLP.
09/15/2005	House Judiciary	Emery Simon
	Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property Legislative Hearing on "The Amendment in the	Counsel, The Business Software Alliance (BSA) Philip S. Johnson Chief Patent Counsel, Johnson & Johnson on behalf of the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America (PhRMA)
	Nature of a Substitute to H.R. 2795, the 'Patent Act of 2005' "	Robert B. Chess Chairman, Nektar Therapeutics on behalf of the Biotechnology Industry Organziation (BIO)
		John R. Thomas
10/06/2005	House Judiciary	Professor, Georgetown University Law Center Kimberly A. Moore
10/00/2003	Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet,	Professor of Law, George Mason University School of Law
	and Intellectual Property Oversight Hearing	John B. Pegram Senior Counsel, New York Office of Fish & Richardson, P.C.

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	on "Improving	Chris J. Katopis
	Federal Court	Counsel, Drinker Biddle & Reath, LLP
	Adjudication of	TI V 11 T 0 T 11 T 1
	Patent Cases."	The Honorable T. S. Ellis, III
		United States District Judge, Eastern District of Virginia
04/05/2006	House Judiciary	Honorable Jon W. Dudas
	Subcommittee on	Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property & Director
	Courts, the Internet,	of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
	and Intellectual	
	Property	James Balsillie
	Oversight Hearing on "Patent Quality	Chairman and Co-Chief Executive Officer, Research in Motion
	Enhancement in the	Robert A. Stewart
	Information-Based	Director and Chief Patent Counsel of Americas, UBS AG
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		William H. Neukom Professor of Law, Stanford Law School
04/27/2006	House Judiciary	O. Todd Dickinson
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	Courts, the Internet,	Electric Company
	and Intellectual	Electric Company
	Property	Robert A. Armitage
	Oversight Hearing	Senior Vice President and General Counsel, Eli Lilly and
	on "Patent	Company
	Harmonization."	Company
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		President and Chief Executive Officer, Digital Now, Inc.
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		Pat Choate
		political economist and author of Hot Property: The Stealing of
		Ideas in an Age of Globalization
06/15/2006	House Judiciary	Ed Reines Esq.
00/15/2000	Subcommittee on	Weil, Gotshal & Manges, LLP
	Courts, the Internet,	, Colonia & Françoi, EEI
	and Intellectual	Dean Kamen
	Property	President, DEKA Research & Development Corporation
	Oversight Hearing	2 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -
	on "Patent Trolls:	Paul Misener
	Fact or Fiction?"	Vice President for Global Policy, Amazon.com
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		Chuck Fish
		Vice President & Chief Patent Counsel, Time Warner, Inc
09/14/2006	House Judiciary	Honorable Jon W. Dudas
	Subcommittee on	Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and
	Courts, the Internet,	Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
	and Intellectual	2 in the c.b. I with the Tradellian Office
	Property	Clive Meanwell
	Legislative Hearing	Chief Executive Officer, The Medicines Company
	on H.R. 5120, "To	emer Executive officer, The Medicines company
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	within the Patent	John R. Thomas
	and Trademark	Professor of Law, Georgetown University Law Center
	Office."	
02/15/2007	House Judiciary	Adam B. Jaffe
	Subcommittee on	Adam B. Jaffe Professor of Economics and Dean of Arts and
	Courts, the Internet,	Sciences, Brandeis University Whaltham, Massachusetts
	and Intellectual	
	Property	Suzanne Michel
	Oversight Hearing	Chief Intellectual Property Counsel and the Deputy Assistant
	on: American	Director for Policy Coordination Federal Trade Commission
	Innovation at Risk:	Washington, D.C.
	"The Case for	
	Patent Reform."	Mark Myers
		Co-Chair of the National Academy of Sciences Report Patent
		System for 21st Century Unionville, Pennsylvania
		Daniel B. Ravicher
		Executive Director Public Patent Foundation New York, NY
04/26/2007	House Judiciary	Gary L. Griswold
	Subcommittee on	President and Chief Counsel of Intellectual Property 3M
	Courts, the Internet,	Innovative Properties St. Paul Minnesota
	and Intellectual	
	Property	Anthony Peterman
	Hearing on H.R.	Director, Patent Counsel Dell Incorporated Round Rock, TX
	1908, The Patent	
	Reform Act of 2007	Kevin Sharer
		Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer Amgen
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		Professor of Law Georgetown University Law Center Washington,
		D.C.
		William T. Tucker
		Executive Director Research and Administration and Technology
		Transfer University of California Oakland, CA
04/26/2007	Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property Hearing on H.R. 1908, The Patent	Executive Director Public Patent Foundation New York, NY Gary L. Griswold President and Chief Counsel of Intellectual Property 3M Innovative Properties St. Paul Minnesota Anthony Peterman Director, Patent Counsel Dell Incorporated Round Rock, TX Kevin Sharer Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer Amgen Incorporated Thousand Oaks, CA John R. Thomas Professor of Law Georgetown University Law Center Washington D.C. William T. Tucker Executive Director Research and Administration and Technology