



The U.S. Patent System:
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More U.S. Jobs Shipped to China?

Proposed Changes in U.S. Patent System Could Benefit China at the Expense of U.S. Workers

"Many Chinese companies are not patent owners in the U.S. market and their products are often excluded because of patent infringement accusations. This [Patent Reform] bill will give companies from developing countries more freedom and flexibility to challenge the relative U.S. patent for doing business in the U.S. and make it less costly to infringe..."

"The bill will weaken the rights of patentees greatly, increase their burden, and reduce the remedies for infringement."

Yongshun Chen, former Senior Judge and Deputy Director,
Intellectual Property Division, Beijing High People's Court
China Intellectual Property News, November 2007

Intellectual property rights infringement affects all sectors of our economy - costing billions of dollars in sales, and loss of jobs and income for U.S. workers. The Patent "Reform" Act would lower U.S. patent standards and protections, and will make infringement easier for our international competitors.



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