



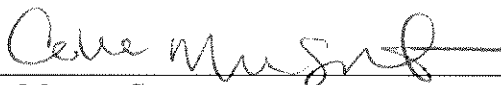
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Delegation of Authority

Pursuant to my authority as Acting Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Acting Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, I delegate to Michelle Ankenbrand the authority to review matters concerning the Patent Trial and Appeal Board, including both Director Review and the Appeals Review Panel, when I have a conflict in such matters.

This delegation is effective immediately and remains in effect until revoked. While in effect, this delegation supersedes any prior delegations concerning Director Review and any conflicting delegations set forth in the memo entitled "Procedures for Recusal to Avoid Conflicts of Interest and Delegations of Authority" that was issued on March 4, 2025.

Aug 7, 2025
Date


Coke Morgan Stewart
Acting Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual
Property and Acting Director of the United States Patent
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