

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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, and for the time period specified below, when I have a conflict in such a proceeding, I delegate to Kalyan Deshpande the authority to exercise my discretion on institution of America Invents Act trial proceedings as outlined in the Interim Processes for PTAB Workload Management issued on March 26, 2025.

This delegation is effective immediately, revokes all prior delegations of this authority, and remains in effect until revoked.

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Acting Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Acting Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office

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