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METHOD

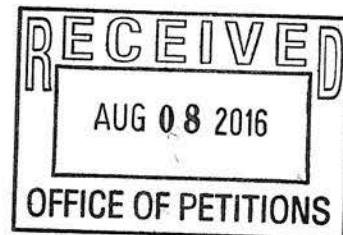
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RENEWED REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R.
§1.323

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Commissioner:

This is a renewed request for a Certificate of Correction which replaces a prior request filed on Feb. 22, 2016. Enclosed is a Certificate of Correction Form PTO-SB/44 for U.S. Patent No. 8,266,432 (“the ‘432 Patent”), which issued Sep. 11, 2012.

The ‘432 Patent was filed on Sep. 15, 2008 claiming the benefit of priority of U.S. Patent Application Ser. No. 11/239,046, filed Sep. 30, 2005, which issued as U.S. Pat. No. 7,444,676 (“the ‘676 Patent”) on Oct. 28, 2008, with a priority of a U.S. provisional application 60/615,603, filed Oct. 5, 2004, with the same inventors.

The '432 Patent also claims the benefit of priority of U.S. Application Ser. No. 09/940,635, filed Aug. 29, 2001, which issued as U.S. Pat. No. 7,356,837 ("the '837 Patent"), on Apr. 8, 2008 with the same inventors.

This Certificate of Correction **corrects priority claims**, specifically, **(1) omitted reference to an intervening application in the priority chain for which a petition under pre-AIA 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3) is concurrently submitted**, and **(2) an error in the '432 Patent**. The intervening application provides an additional benefit path from the '432 Patent to the '837 Patent (a benefit path parallel with the '676 Patent).

(1) Omitted Reference To An Intervening Application In the Priority Chain

The original priority claim **omitted intervening, co-pending U.S. Patent Application Ser. No. 11/333,400**, filed on Jan. 18, 2006, which issued as Patent No. 8,281,129 ("the '129 Patent") on Oct. 2, 2012. The '129 Patent is a continuation-in-part of the '837 Patent and also claims priority to U.S. provisional application no. 60/650,137 filed Feb. 7, 2005.

Patent Owner submits that the noted errors do not constitute new matter, and correction thereof would not require reexamination. The priority date of Aug. 29, 2001 under which the '432 Patent was examined remains unchanged.

(2) Correcting the Relationship

It is submitted that the relationship between the '432 Patent and other related patents needs to be corrected. The '432 patent is currently listed as a **continuation** of application Ser. No. 11/239,046. However, it is submitted that the '432 Patent should be corrected to read a **continuation-in-part** of the application Ser. No. 11/239,046. Further, Patent Application Ser. No.

11/239,046 is currently listed as a **continuation** of application No. 09/940,635. However, Patent Application Ser. No. 11/239,046 should be corrected to read a **continuation-in-part** of application No. 09/940,635.

Accordingly, please amend a section (63) on the face page of the patent, under the heading “Related U.S. Application Data,” as below:

“(63) ~~Continuation~~ Continuation-in-part of application No. 11/239,046, filed on Sep. 30, 2005, now Pat No. 7,444,676, which is a ~~continuation~~ continuation-in-part of application No. 09/940,635, filed on Aug. 29, 2001, now Pat. No. 7,356,837; and continuation-in-part of application No. 11/333,400, filed on Jan. 18, 2006, now Pat. No. 8,281,129, which is a continuation-in-part of application No. 09/940,635, filed on Aug. 29, 2001, now Pat. No. 7,356,837 and also claims priority to U.S. provisional application no. 60/650,137 filed Feb. 7, 2005.”

Please amend the specification, at col 1, lines 6-17, under the heading “RELATED APPLICATIONS,” as below:

“~~This application is a Continuation~~ Continuation-in-part of application Ser. No. 11/239,046, filed Sep. 30, 2005 now U.S. Pat. No. 7,444,676, with a priority of a U.S. provisional application 60/615,603, filed Oct. 5, 2004, with the same inventors and assignee. ~~This application is also a Continuation of another U.S. application Ser. No. 09/940,635, filed Aug. 29, 2001, and patented as U.S. Pat. No. 7,356,837, on Apr. 8, 2008, titled “Centralized identification and authentication system and method”, with the same inventors and assignee.~~ Please note that the current application has the same exact specification and Figures as those submitted with the original application Ser. No. 09/940,635, filed Aug. 29, 2001. Further, this application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 as a continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 11/333,400, filed on Jan. 18, 2006, and issued as U.S. Pat. No. 8,281,129 on Oct. 2, 2012, which is a continuation-in-part of

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.323, Patent Owner requests that the enclosed Certificate of Correction be approved.

Since this is a renewed request, it is believed that a fee is not required. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this request under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-5922, making reference to Attorney Docket No. PL2891174. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account. No. 50-5922.

Respectfully submitted,
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