UNIVERSITY PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

DECISION ON PETITION FOR EXPEDITED ADJUDICATION

(Petitioner) requests, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 10.170(a), an expedited adjudication of his pending petition for review, filed under 37 C.F.R. 10.2(c) on April 12, 2000. The petition is dismissed.

The petition for reinstatement which was pending before the Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO Director)\(^1\) has been remanded to the Office of Enrollment and Discipline (OED) because it contained new evidence which was not properly presented to the Director of the OED before he rendered his final decision on March 31, 2000. Consequently, any decision by the USPTO Director on this Petition for Expedited Adjudication would have no practical significance.

Therefore, the petition is dismissed as moot.

Date: JUN - 5 2000

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