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Peer Review Pilot Program at the USPTO

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office recently began a pilot program that allows for peer review of published applications prior to examination. A limited number of applicants who filed or will be filing applications in the computer arts (Technology Center 2100) will have the opportunity to participate in the program on a voluntary basis. Collaborative review will be conducted on a website developed by NY Law School. For more information, see the Official Gazette notice at http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/com/sol/og/2007/week26/patsuba.htm

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