

RE: Patent Expiration Bot

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Hi Chris,

I think it would be useful if you specified on the first question what the “filing date” is. For example, patents that came through the PCT have a PCT filing date, a 371 data, and a 102(e) date. Additionally, it might be helpful to specify that provisional and foreign priority dates do not count towards patent terms, and thus should not be entered.

It may also be helpful to provide some description of “what is the earliest date to which the patent disclaims.” Users could be confused into thinking that you are asking for the priority date of the patent that is being disclaimed over. You may wish to specify that this text field asks the user for the expiration date of patent over which the terminal disclaimer is filed. Lastly, the expiration date I am getting is one day after the expiration date over the terminally disclaimed expiration date. I think it should expire the same day the as the terminally disclaimed patent.

Nice job!

From: Christopher Lacenere [mailto:14c3n3r3@hush.com]
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Elizabeth and Emmanuel,

Attached is a bot that calculatates patent expiration dates (beta version). Can you please take a look and let me know what you think? It should run in any browser (it was tested on chrome).

I think an improvement would be to hyperlinks to where all of this importation can be found and to remind users to check certificate of corrections.

I have to hand this in tonight.

Looking forward to your thoughts!

Thanks,

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