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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DISPLAYING AN ANALOG IMAGE BY A DIGITAL DISPLAY DEVICE

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# **Determination of Patent Term Extension or Adjustment under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b)**

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### **DETAILED ACTION**

# Allowable Subject Matter

- 1. Claims 12-74 are allowed.
- 2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: The prior arts fails to teach a memory efficient display controller for upscaling a source image at a first resolution to a destination image at a second resolution, comprising:

an interface arranged to receive source image pixel data in accordance with a first clock; a line buffer having a size in accordance with a first resolution scan line length arranged to receive the source image pixel data at the first clock and store the received source image pixel data therein; and an interpolator coupled to the line buffer and arranged to form the destination image using selected stored source image pixel data read from said line buffer in accordance with a second clock as claimed in Claim 12.

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3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to VIJAY SHANKAR whose telephone number is (571) 272-7682. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 7:30 am - 5:30 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Alexander Eisen can be reached on (571) 272-7687. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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