

IN RE BILSKI'S IMPACT ON PATENT PROTECTION

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On June 28, 2010, the Supreme Court affirmed the Federal Circuit en banc decision invalidating a patent application directed to a business method. In its opinion, the Supreme Court proclaimed that, although instructive, the “machine or transformation test” is not the only test that should be applied. Please join us for a discussion on how this decision, subsequent case law, and new USPTO rules may impact your intellectual property protection strategy.

Topics:

- Background of *In re Bilski*
- Supreme court decision
- *Bilski* and prosecution
- *Bilski* and litigation
- Recent cases

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