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## NOTICE

**The Board of Judges of the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania are considering adding Local Patent Rules to become effective January 1, 2005. A complete text of the Local Patent Rules can be found at the court's website [www.pawd.uscourts.gov](http://www.pawd.uscourts.gov) and clicking on the Proposed Local Patent Rules icon. The proposed rules are also available for review in all Clerk's Office locations in Pittsburgh, Erie and Johnstown.**

**Any person that desires to comment upon the proposed additions rules should mail their written comments to the Clerk of Court, P.O. Box 1805, Pittsburgh, PA 15230, Attn: Local Patent Rules on or before October 8, 2004.**

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