

# **Augmented Docketing**

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# About PCK

- PCK is a boutique IP prosecution firm based in Toronto, Ontario, Canada
- The firm will be 14 years old in June, 2019
- Team of approximately 40 personnel ~15 attorneys, 23 staff, 2 Full Time Developers and 3 Part-time Contract Developers
- Approximately 800 IP filings around the world each year
- Software:
  - Patricia for docketing, workflow management, and DMS.
  - Netsuite for accounting.
  - 11 internally developed modules augmenting Patricia and Netsuite functionality.

### **OttoDocket is one of those modules**



#### Synergies between OttoDocket and Patricia

Patricia's robust structure allows for many possibilities:

- 1. OttoDocket<sup>™</sup> receives uploaded documents
- OttoDocket<sup>™</sup> verifies the document data against Patricia data (Basic Tab, Parties Tab, Diary Fields, etc.)
- 3. OttoDocket<sup>™</sup> updates the diary fields (Version 2 will update Parties Tab and Classes)
- 4. OttoDocket<sup>™</sup> spawns terms on behalf of Patricia
- 5. Log events are created for both diary field updates and term creation
- 6. OttoDocket <sup>™</sup> saves the document to the documents tab

# OttoDocket<sup>™</sup> integrates with Patricia to spawn deadlines and save documents to the

DMS.



## Advantages

- Our solution for Augmented Docketing is OttoDocket ™
- Our observations:
  - In production at PCK for 36 months
  - Of the 10,418 documents processed, representing less than a ¼ of all potential document types – remainder document types are being trained for OttoDocket ™
  - 400% output volume
  - Error Rate Reduced
  - Programmable for any jurisdiction



\*PCK's OttoDocket<sup>™</sup> software is patent pending



- PCK is currently processing these documents using our internal version of
  - OttoDocket
  - CIPO Industrial Design Filing Certificate
  - CIPO Patent Acknowledgement of Request for Examination
  - CIPO Patent Assignment Registration Certificate
  - CIPO Patent Filing Certificate
  - CIPO Patent Notice of Allowance
  - CIPO Patent Notice of National Entry
  - CIPO Patent Office Action
  - CIPO Trademark Approval Notice
  - CIPO Trademark Certificate of Registration
  - CIPO Trademark Examiner's Report
  - CIPO Trademark Extension to File Declaration of Use
  - CIPO Trademark Grant Extension of Time for Examination Report
  - CIPO Trademark Notice of Allowance



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- EPO Design Examination Report
- EPO Entry into the European phase before the European Patent Office
- EPO Extended European Search Report
- EPO Patent Certificate of Grant
- EPO Patent Communication Pursuant to Rule 69 EPC
- EPO Patent Communication Pursuant to Rules 161(2) and 162 EPC
- EPO Patent Communication Pursuant to Rules 70 and 70a EPC
- EPO Patent Decision to Grant
- EPO Patent Examination Report Communication Pursuant to Article 94(3) EPC
- EPO Patent Filing Receipt
- EPO Trademark Certificate of Registration



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  - PCT Communication in Cases for which No Other Form is Applicable (PCT-IB-345)
  - PCT Date Stamped Demand (PCT-IPEA-401)
  - PCT Date-Stamped Fee Calculation Sheet (PCT-IPEA-401)
  - PCT First Notice Informing the Applicant of the Communication of the International Application (PCT-IB-308)
  - PCT Notifcation Concerning Filing of Amendments of the Claims (PCT-IB-346)
  - PCT Notification Concerning Elected Offices (PCT-IB-332)
  - PCT Notification Concerning Payment of Prescibed Fees (RO-102)
  - PCT Notification of Decision Concerning Request for Rectification (PCT-ISA-217)
  - PCT Notification of International Application Number and Filing Date (RO-105)
  - PCT Notification of Receipt of Demand by Competent International Preliminary Examining Authority (PCT-IPEA-402)
  - PCT Notification of Receipt of Search Copy (PCT-ISA-202)
  - PCT Notification of the Recording of a Change
  - PCT Notification of Transmitted Documents
  - PCT Notification Payment Prelim Exam and Handling Fees
  - PCT Second and Supplementary Notice Informing the Applicant of the Communication of the International Application (PCT-IB-308)



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- USPTO Design Issue Notification
- USPTO Filing Receipt
- USPTO Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 USC 371 and 37 CFR 1495
- USPTO Notice of Acceptance of POA
- USPTO Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due
- USPTO Notice of Publication of Application
- USPTO Office Action
- USPTO Patent and Design Informational Notice to Applicant
- USPTO Patent Issue Notification
- USPTO Trademark Certificate of Registration
- USPTO Trademark Office Action
- USPTO Updated Filing Receipt



- OttoDocket is currently processing these documents
  - USPTO Issue Notification
  - PCT Payment of Prescribed Fees
  - EPO Decision to Grant
  - NIPO Notification of Payment of Annual Fee (patent, trademark)
  - NIPO Official Action (patent, trademark)
  - NIPO Patent Search Report
  - NIPO Extension of term in TM application
  - NIPO Extension of term in international registration (trademark)



## **Requirements for OttoDocket**

- Patricia SQL Version\*
- ~50 sample documents for AI training per document type
- Database mapping of how those documents behave
- Web Browser, Browser Plug-in and Internet Connection to our secure servers on the docketing workstation that runs Patricia



\* Ottodocket is scalable to other docketing systems but is presently only optimized for Patricia



# **VIDEO DEMONSTRATION**









#### Screenshots

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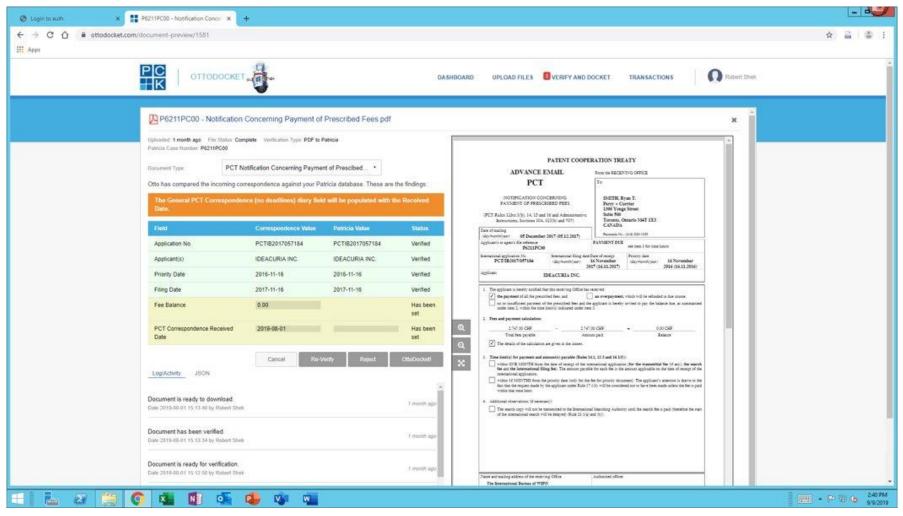


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