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To: FN-OMB-IntellectualProperty **Subject:** The answer to everything.

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Every single question on your document assumed that the best way to improve the amount of jobs, production and economy of the united states is to enforce copyright laws. Lets think outside of the box.

The outcome of never ending copy right laws is the following:

the protection of those who get a copyright.

the punishment of those who cannot.

the monopolization of companies that acquire many or important patents and copyrights.

As example lets take, Microsoft and apple. Both companies make well over 500,000 dollars

per employee. Apple owns over 1300 patents, microsoft owns over 5,000 patents. What does this translate into?

Small business owners who generate most of the labor in the United States are forced to stick to low risk,

low income models.

On the flip side, imagine a model where instead of copyrights and patents, we had "Unique Attribution Law." Where someone who invents something could apply for a UAL and have their name visible in every product that used his/her innovation. All small bussiness would be able to replicate that innovation and make a small profit off of it. The "Original Inventor" would be able to sell the innovative product locally or at large with the Unique ability, to say "I am the original inventor." The incentive to continue innovating in this model is Profit, Fame and Respect.

Such a model cannot be implemented in our country any time soon. Much of our population worships the idea of money to the extent that UAL could never be an incentive for innovation as powerful and as effective as the current capitalist model. Instead I would support limiting the length of copyright to a decade. In this globalized world that should be more then enough to make a decent share of profits.

The American public is currently being bombarded with Entertainment and unproductive media. The amount of procrastination and time wasting that this influx has brought about has cost our economy unimaginable debts. Not to mention the effects of passive learning and constant multitasking on our nations children.

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Sincerely, Reynaldo Cortorreal