

McCombs, Goryunov, and Bowser in *Westlaw Today*: 'IPR Tricks of the Trade: Federal Circuit Clarifies Standard for IPR Estoppel'

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Partners [David McCombs](#) and [Eugene Goryunov](#) and Counsel [Jonathan Bowser](#) authored an article in *Westlaw Today* discussing a Federal Circuit decision providing clarity on burdens of proof for *inter partes* review estoppel. Read an excerpt below:

Patent Trial and Appeal Board (PTAB) post-grant validity challenges — for example, *inter partes* review — are frequent components of a patent litigation strategy for defendants. Challenging the validity of a patent in an IPR does not come without risk, however.

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