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## Statement on Results of 2024 Marcum Patent Litigation Study

This statement on the findings of the 2024 Marcum Patent Litigation Study may be attributed to James Edwards, Executive Director, <u>Conservatives for Property Rights</u>:

"The new study of patent litigation by Marcum indicates significant changes in U.S. patent litigation patterns. Case filings are down, damages awards are down—including only 22 percent of cases with damages awarded getting enhanced awards—while permanent injunctions are less likely and innovators that don't manufacture their commercialized inventions receive only 23 percent of remedies against patent infringers.

"These results show that the means of enforcing patents—civil litigation—now holds less promise of delivering justice to inventors and patent owners. This reflects that U.S. patents are being devalued, which spells trouble for property rights and American competitiveness."

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