



## Partner John Paniaguas Quoted in *Wall Street Journal* on Chinese Patents

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John Paniaguas, a partner in the Firm's Intellectual Property Practice, was quoted in an article in *Wall Street Journal* on the process of obtaining patents in China. In the article, Mr. Paniaguas notes that, "getting a Chinese patent roughly costs U.S. businesses \$15,000 to \$20,000 -- factoring in the filing, legal and language-translation fees involved -- and takes about two or three years" ("Getting a Patent in China," August 28, 2007).