

Supreme Court Denies Review in *American Axle*

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This morning, the Supreme Court denied certiorari in the closely-watched patent eligibility case of *American Axle v. Neapco*. There were no noted dissents and no statements respecting the denial of certiorari. The denial means that the Court will not be providing clarity on subject-matter eligibility in the near future. For now, then, the task of grappling with this contentious issue remains with the lower courts, Congress, and the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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