

## The Advent of 5G Cellular Technology Will Amplify Inefficiencies in the Licensing of Standard Essential Patents

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In an article for *Corporate Counsel.com*, Sheppard Mullin partners Robert Masters and Jonathan DeFosse and client Satoshi Matsuo, General Manager, IPF Department, IPD at Hitachi Ltd, discuss the impending advent of 5G cellular technology in a wide variety of devices, and how the licensing of standard essential patents will become more important than ever.

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