

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MERCEDES-BENZ USA, LLC

Petitioner,

v.

ANTENNATECH LLC,

Listed Patent Owner.

U.S. Patent No. 8,180,279

“Wireless Hotspot Arrangement”

REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

Inter Partes Review No. 2015-01576

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Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC (“Mercedes” or “Petitioner”) filed its Petition for *inter partes* review of U.S. Patent No. 8,180,279 on July 17, 2015. (Paper 1.) Subsequently, Mercedes and Antennatech LLC (“Antennatech”) resolved their dispute through settlement and Mercedes filed a Motion to Terminate the proceedings. (Paper 6.) On September 24, 2015, the Board entered a judgment terminating the proceeding. (Paper 9.) The Board’s judgment preceded any institution decision and therefore Mercedes hereby requests a refund of \$15,600 for the post-institution fees that it paid pursuant to 37 CFR 42.15(a)(2) and 42.15(a)(4). *See also* 78 FR 4233, 4234-35 (Jan 18, 2013).

Payment of \$14,000 in post-institution fees was processed through PRPS on July 17, 2015, and charged to the undersigned’s credit card, in addition to \$1,600 of post-institution fees for claims in excess of 15, for a total of \$15,600 in post-institution fees. Upon review and approval of this request, Mercedes respectfully requests that the Board credit the post-institution fees to the credit card charged on July 17, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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