

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

VOLKSWAGEN GROUP OF AMERICA, INC.

Petitioner

v.

ADVANCED SILICON TECHNOLOGIES LLC

Patent Owner

Case IPR2016-00897
Patent 6,630,935

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF FEES

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On August 16, 2016, Petitioner Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. and Patent Owner Advanced Silicon Technologies LLC jointly filed a motion to terminate the *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 6,630,935 (Case IPR2016-00897) (Paper No. 9). On August 25, 2016, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board dismissed the petition pursuant to settlement in IPR2016-00897 (Paper No. 12). Accordingly, Petitioner requests a refund of the post-institution fee of \$14,000, as well as the post-institution excess claims fee of \$1,200 (for three claims in excess of 15) that was previously charged on a deposit account. The Office is authorized to refund the \$15,200 to Deposit Account Number 19-0036 (Customer ID No. 45324).

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