

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MICROSOFT CORPORATION,
Petitioner

v.

IPA TECHNOLOGIES INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2018-01440
U.S. Patent No. 6,757,718 B1

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF FEES

On August 9, 2018, Microsoft Corporation filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 6,757,718 (Paper No. 1), seeking review of claims 1-27. On January 25, 2019, Patent Owner filed an Abandonment of Contest of all challenged claims (Paper No. 6). The Board, in turn, entered adverse judgment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.73(b)(4) on March 6, 2019 (Paper No. 7).

Since Patent Owner did not file a preliminary response to the Petition, and the Board did not enter a decision on instituting trial, Petitioner hereby requests a refund of \$22,200 for the *inter partes* review post institution fees submitted with the filing of the Petition. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2); *see also, e.g.*, 82 Fed. Reg. 52,780, 52,790 (Nov. 14, 2017).

Payment of \$22,200 was processed through the PTAB E2E system on August 9, 2018, and charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1597. Upon review and approval of this Request, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Board grant a refund and credit of \$22,200 to Deposit Account No. 50-1597 under Order No. 10171-82290.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), I hereby certify that on this 4th day of June, 2019, I caused to be served a true and correct copy of the foregoing by electronic mail on the following counsel:

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