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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

BMW OF NORTH AMERICA, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

STRAGENT, LLC,
Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2023-00334
U.S. Patent No. 11,354,179

**REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES
FOR *INTER PARTES* REVIEW OF
U.S. PATENT NO. 11,354,179**

On December 30, 2022, BMW of North America, LLC (Petitioner) filed a petition for *inter partes* review of claims 1-27 of U.S. Patent No. 11,354,179 (Paper No. 1). On May 5, 2023, the Parties filed a Joint Motion to Terminate (Paper No. 6) and on May 9, 2023, the Board issued an order terminating prior to institution of trial in this proceeding (Paper No. 7). In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2), the post-institution fees paid at the time of filing should be returned. Petitioner hereby requests a refund of \$27,750.00 for the post-institution fees in the case of IPR2023-00334.

The payment was provided via deposit account and processed in P-TACTS on December 30, 2022. Upon review and approval of this request, we respectfully request the Board credit the requested amount to Petitioner. The amount may be deposited into PTO Account No. 06-0916. If more information is necessary to refund payment, please contact Lionel M. Lavenue.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: May 10, 2023

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing **REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES FOR *INTER PARTES* REVIEW OF U.S. PATENT NO. 11,354,179** was served on May 10, 2023 via email directed to counsel of record for the Patent Owner at the following:

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