

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CISCO SYSTEMS, INC.,
Petitioner

v.

LIONRA TECHNOLOGIES LTD.,
Patent Owner.

IPR2023-00537
U.S. Patent No. 7,916,630

**PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND
OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES**

Petitioner Cisco Systems, Inc. ("Petitioner") hereby files its request for a refund of post-institution fees in the amount of \$22,500.00 which was previously paid.

On February 7, 2023, Petitioner filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 7,916,630 and as required by 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), paid the USPTO a total of \$41,500.00, which included a \$19,000.00 payment for the *inter partes* review request fee, and a \$22,500.00 payment for the post-institution fee for up to twenty (20) claims.

On December 14, 2023, the Board issued an Order granting the parties' Joint Motion to Terminate this proceeding following institution. Paper 11. In this Order, the Board noted that this proceeding "has not progressed very far" and that its termination saves the Board resources. Paper 11 at 3. Further, this Order, and authorization regarding the same, constitutes the parties' interaction with the Board post institution.

In light of early stages of this proceeding and minimal resources expended post-institution, Petitioner requests a refund of the post-institution fees paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding, totaling \$22,500.00. The refund may be deposited in Deposit Account No. 08-1394 of Haynes and Boone, LLP under attorney reference number 43614.437.

Dated: April 17, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on the Patent Owner as detailed below:

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