

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAFE HAVEN WILDLIFE REMOVAL AND
PROPERTY MANAGEMENT EXPERTS LLC,

Petitioner

v.

MERIDIAN WILDLIFE SERVICES LLC,

Patent Owner

Case IPR2023-01341
Patent No. 10,154,663

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

On August 22, 2023, Petitioner Safe Haven Wildlife Removal and Property Management Expert LLC, filed a Petition seeking *inter partes* review of U.S. Patent No. 10,154,663 (“the ’663Patent”) and paid the USPTO a total of \$41,500, which included a \$19,000 *inter partes* review request fee and a \$22,500 *inter partes* review post-institution fee for review of claims 1-3 of the ’663 Patent (3 total claims). Paper 1.

On February 22, 2024, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board denied institution. Paper 12.

Therefore, Petitioner respectfully hereby requests a refund of \$22,500 for the *inter partes* review post-institution fee for review of claims 1-3 of the ’663 Patent submitted with the filing of the Petition. Upon review and approval of this request, Petitioner respectfully requests the Board credit the \$22,500 in post-institution fees paid to Deposit Account No. 09-0528 (referencing Attorney Docket No. 116415.0001.1).

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 19, 2024

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 42.6(e), I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Request for Refund was served on Patent Owner via filing through the P-TACTS system, as well as electronic mail at the following:

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