

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

COMCAST CABLE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

TOUCHSTREAM TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2024-00324
U.S. Patent No. 11,048,751

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

Pursuant to the Patent and Trademark Office’s Final Rule Setting and Adjusting Patent Fees, 78 Fed. Reg. 4212, 4232–4234 (Jan. 18, 2013), Petitioner Comcast Cable Communications, LLC (“Petitioner”), requests a refund in the amount of \$22,500.00 to be paid to deposit account number 19-0733.

On December 27, 2023, Petitioner filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 11,048,751 with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board that was assigned case number IPR2024-00324. In accordance with the fee schedule specified in 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), Petitioner deposited an electronic payment in the amount of \$19,000.00 with the Board at the time of filing of its Petition to cover fees associated with Petitioner’s *inter partes* review request, and a further \$22,500.00 in post-institution fees.

On July 24, 2024, the Board granted institution of this proceeding (Paper 13).

On August 15, 2024, Patent Owner filed a Request for Rehearing (Paper 16), requesting rehearing on the Decision (Paper 13) to institute this *inter partes* review proceeding.

On October 9, 2024, the Board granted Patent Owner’s Request for Rehearing (Paper 19) and denied institution of this proceeding.

On November 8, 2024, Petitioner filed a Request for Rehearing (Paper 20), requesting rehearing of the decision granting Patent Owner’s request for rehearing of decision granting institution.

On February 6, 2025, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board entered a Decision Denying Petitioner's Request on Rehearing of Decision Granting Patent Owner's Request on Rehearing of Institution of *Inter Partes* Review. Accordingly, Petitioner requests a refund in the amount of \$22,500.00 for the post-institution fees that it has paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES was served electronically via e-mail on April 2, 2025 on the following counsel of record for Patent Owner:

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