

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.,
and QUALCOMM INCORPORATED,
Petitioner,

v.

NETWORK SYSTEM TECHNOLOGIES, LLC,
Patent Owner.

IPR2024-00338
Patent 7,373,449 B2

NOTICE OF REFUND DENIAL

Petitioner's request for a refund of certain post-institution fees paid on December 18, 2023, in the above proceeding is hereby denied. Prior to institution or after the Board decides not to institute a review, a petitioner may be entitled to a refund of any post-institution fees paid. Once a review is instituted, however, the petitioner is no longer entitled to a refund of any post-institution fee paid (please see Patent Trial and Appeal Case Tracking System Frequently Asked Question (FAQ) E.8 and Setting and Adjusting Patent Fees, Fed. Reg. 4233- 5 (Jan. 18, 2013)). In this case, trial was instituted on June 21, 2024.

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The parties are reminded that unless otherwise permitted by 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(b)(2), all filings in this proceeding must be made electronically in the Patent Trial Appeal Case Tracking System (P-TACTS), accessible from the Board Web site at <http://www.uspto.gov/PTAB>.

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