IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MICROCHIP TECHNOLOGY INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

APTIV TECHNOLOGIES AG AND APTIV TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED,
Patent Owners.

Case No. IPR2024-00494
U.S. Patent No. 9,460,037

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

Petitioner Microchip Technology Inc. ("Petitioner") hereby requests a refund of post-institution fees in the amount of $22,500.

On February 27, 2024, Petitioner filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 9,460,037. As required by 37 C.F.R § 42.15(a), Petitioner deposited $41,500 with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") at the time of filing the Petition to cover associated fees. Petitioner's payment consisted of $19,000 in fees associated with the request for *Inter Partes* Review, and a further $22,500 in post-institution fees.

On October 7, 2024, the Board issued a Decision Denying Institution of *Inter Partes* Review (Paper No. 12) and on November 5, 2024, Petitioner's Request for Director Review was denied (Paper No. 14). *Inter Partes* Review was thus not instituted. Accordingly, Petitioner requests a refund of the post-institution fees paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding, totaling $22,500, to be paid to deposit account 15-0665 (referencing Attorney Docket 15882-2008).

Respectfully submitted,

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