

Case No. IPR2024-00498
Petitioner's Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CISCO SYSTEMS, INC.
Petitioner,

v.

UMBRA TECHNOLOGIES, LTD.
Patent Owner.

U.S. Patent No. 10,574,482
Issue Date: February 25, 2020
Title: MULTI-PERIMETER FIREWALL IN THE CLOUD

Inter Partes Review No.: IPR2024-00498

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Petitioner Cisco Systems, Inc. requests a refund of post-institution fees in the amount of \$27,000.

January 29, 2024, Petitioner filed a Petition for Inter Partes Review of U.S. Patent No. 10,574,482. As required by 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), Petitioner deposited \$44,500 with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") at the time of filing the Petition to cover associated fees. Petitioners' payment consisted of \$21,250 in fees associated with the request for Inter Partes Review, and a further \$27,000 in post-institution fees.

On August 7, 2024, the Board issued its Decision Denying *Institution of Inter Partes Review* (Paper 14). In response, Petitioner filed a Request for Director Review of the Institution Decision on September 6, 2025 (Paper 17) which was denied by the Board on December 23, 2024 (Paper 22). In light minimal resources expended pre-institution, Petitioner requests a refund of the post-institution fees paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding, totaling \$27,000, to be paid to deposit account No. 04-01679 (referencing Attorney Docket No. E4720-00286).

Dated: September 8, 2025

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 8, 2025, a copy of Petitioner's Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees was served by filing this document through the PTACTS' System as well as delivering a copy via electronic mail upon the following:

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