

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD., SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS,
AMERICA, INC., HARMAN INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIES, INC.

Petitioners

v.

ST CASESTECH, LLC,

Patent Owner

Case IPR2024-01015

U.S. Patent No. 11,665,493

**PETITIONERS' 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), Petitioners Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd., Samsung Electronics America, Inc., and Harman International Industries, Inc. (“Petitioners”) request a refund in the amount of \$22,500.00 to be paid to deposit account number 18-1945, under Order No. 111496-0012-652

On July 1, 2024, Petitioners filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 11,665,493 with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board that was assigned case number IPR2024-01015. In accordance with the fee schedule specified in 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), Petitioners deposited an electronic payment in the amount of \$41,500.00 with the Board at the time of filing of the Petition, including a \$19,000 payment for the inter partes review request fee and a \$22,500 payment for the post-institution fee.

On December 12, 2024, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board entered an Order Granting Joint Motion for Termination of the Proceedings. Accordingly, Petitioners request a refund in the amount of \$22,500.00 for the post-institution fee that they have paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding.

Date: December 16, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on December 16, 2024, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petitioners' Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees to be served via electronic mail to Patent Owner's counsel listed below:

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