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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CURIO BIOSCIENCE, INC.

Petitioner,

v.

PROGNOSYS BIOSCIENCES INC. AND 10X GENOMICS, INC.,

Patent Owner and Real-Party-In-Interest.

Case IPR2024-01289

U.S. Patent No. 10,480,022

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND

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On September 11, 2024, Petitioner Curio Biosciences, Inc. filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review regarding U.S. Patent No. 10,480,022 ("the '022 patent"), pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 311 and 37 C.F.R. § 42.104(b)(d) ("Petition" Paper No. 1), seeking *inter partes* review of Claims 1-7, 11-15, 17, 19 and 27-29. of the '022 patent. On March 19, 2025, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board issued its Decision Denying Institution of *Inter Partes* Review, (Paper No. 10). Petitioner filed a Request for Rehearing of the Board's Decision Denying Institution (Paper No. 11) on April 9, 2025, which was also denied by the Board's Rehearing Decision (Paper No. 15) on July 18, 2025.

Petitioner hereby requests a refund of **\$22,500.00** covering the post-institution review fee under 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2), which was submitted with the filing of the Petition. The refund may be deposited to PTO Deposit Account No. 09-0946.

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