

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

DEERE & COMPANY,
Petitioner,

v.

DAVID'S DOZER V-LOC SYSTEM, INC.
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2024-01442
Patent 10,533,300

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND

Pursuant to the Patent and Trademark Office's Final Rule Setting and Adjusting Patent Fees, 78 Fed. Reg. 4212, 4232–4234 (Jan. 18, 2013), Petitioner, Deere & Company, respectfully requests a refund in the amount of \$ 22,500 to be paid to deposit account number 06-1050.

On September 19, 2024, Petitioner filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 10,533,300 with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board that was assigned case number IPR2024-01442. In accordance with the fee schedule specified in 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), Petitioner deposited an electronic payment in the amount of \$19,000 with the Board at the time of filing of its Petition to cover associated fees with Petitioner's *inter partes* review request, and a further \$22,500 in Post-Institution fees.

On March 18, 2025, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board issued a Decision Denying Institution of *inter partes* review in this proceeding. On May 27, 2025, an Order Denying Petitioner's Request for Director Review was issued. Accordingly, Petitioner requests a refund in the amount of \$22,500 for the post-institution fees that have been paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that on June 25, 2025, a complete and entire copy of this Petitioner's Request for Refund is provided via email to the Patent Owner via electronic mail on Patent Owner's lead and backup counsel listed below at the following email addresses:

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