

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

TCL Electronics Holdings Ltd.
(f/k/a TCL Multimedia Technology Holdings, Ltd.)

Petitioner,

v.

Maxell, Ltd.,

Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2025-00135

U.S. Patent No. 10,219,020

Title: Portable Terminal

**PETITIONER’S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION
FEES**

Petitioner TCL Electronics Holdings Ltd. (f/k/a TCL Multimedia Technology Holdings, Ltd.) (“Petitioner”) requests a refund of post-institution fees in the amount of \$22,500.00, to be paid to deposit account number 080750.

On November 4, 2024, Petitioner filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 10,219,020. As required by 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), Petitioner deposited \$41,500.00 with the USPTO at the time of filing the Petition to cover associated fees. Petitioner's payment consisted of \$19,000.00 in fees associated with the request for *Inter Partes* review and a further \$22,500.00 in post-institution fees.

On May 20, 2025, the Board issued a Decision Denying Institution of the *Inter Partes* Review (Paper 9). Accordingly, Petitioner requests a refund of the post-institution fees paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding, totaling \$22,500.00. Petitioner requests that this refund be deposited into deposit account number 080750.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 42.6(e), I certify that on this 9th day of September 2025, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **Petitioner's Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees** was served by electronic mail on Patent Owner's lead and backup counsel at the following addresses:

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