

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

PROXENSE, LLC,
Patent Owner.

IPR2025-00600
U.S. Patent No. 10,698,989

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

IPR2025-00600; U.S. Patent No. 10,698,989
Petitioner's Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees

Petitioner Apple Inc. requests a refund of post-institution fees in the amount of \$28,125.

On March 18, 2025, Petitioner filed a Petition for Inter Partes Review of U.S. Patent No. 10,698,989. As required by 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), Petitioner deposited \$51,875 with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") at the time of filing the Petition to cover associated fees. Petitioners' payment consisted of \$23,750 in fees associated with the request for Inter Partes Review, and a further \$28,125 in post-institution fees.

On July 1, 2025, the Board issued a Decision (Paper 8) dismissing the Petition and terminating this proceeding¹ prior to the institution of trial while granting Petitioner's Motion to Terminate (Paper 7). In light of the Board's termination of this proceeding before institution, Petitioner requests a refund of the post-institution fees paid by Petitioner to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding, totaling \$28,125, to be refunded to deposit account No. 04-01679 (referencing Attorney Docket No. R3926-00018).

¹ The Decision (Paper 8) contained a typographical error, identifying this proceeding as IPR2024-00600 rather than the correct IPR2025-00600.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that on July 17, 2025, a complete and entire copy of Petitioner's Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees was served via Federal Express, postage prepaid, to Patent Owner, by serving the correspondence address of record for the '989 Patent:

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