

Case No. IPR2025-00691
Petitioners' Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

T-MOBILE USA, INC., AT&T MOBILITY LLC, CELLCO PARTNERSHIP
D/B/A VERIZON WIRELESS, ERICSSON INC. AND NOKIA OF AMERICA
CORPORATION,
Petitioners,

v.

SMART RF INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2025-00691
U.S. Patent No. 10,958,296

PETITIONERS' REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

Petitioners Nokia of America Corporation, Ericsson Inc., AT&T Mobility LLC, Cellco Partnership d/b/a/ Verizon Wireless, and T-Mobile USA, Inc. (collectively, "Petitioners") request a refund of post-institution fees in the amount of \$28,125.

On March 18, 2025, Petitioners filed a Petition for Inter Partes Review of U.S. Patent No. 10,958,296. As required by 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), Petitioners 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 29, 2025, the Board issued an Order terminating this proceeding upon granting Patent Owner's Request for Discretionary Denial and Denying Institution of this proceeding. Paper 13. In light of early stages of this proceeding and minimal resources expended pre-institution, Petitioners request a refund of the post-institution fees paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding, totaling \$28,125, to be paid to deposit account No. 04-01679 (referencing Attorney Docket No. J2379-00001).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 12, 2025, a copy of Petitioners' Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees was served by filing this document through the PTACTS System as well as delivering a copy via electronic mail upon the following:

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