

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MICROSOFT CORPORATION,
Petitioner,

v.

TS-OPTICS CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

PTAB Case No. IPR2025-00767
Patent No. 7,266,055

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

The petition for *Inter Partes Review* of U.S. Patent No. 7,266,055 (Case No. IPR2025-00767) was denied by a Decision issued by the PTAB on August 14, 2025 (Paper No. 13). If a petition is denied, any post-institution fees paid by Petitioner
5 may be refunded. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2).

Petitioner hereby requests a refund in the total amount of \$37,525.00 for the *Inter Partes* post-institution fee previously paid by Petitioner in connection with this proceeding.

The determination of the above refund is based on the following. On March
10 31, 2025, Petitioner filed a petition for *Inter Partes Review* of claims 1-8, 10-15, 17, 19, 21, 23-24, 26, 28, 36-38, and 40-45 of U.S. Patent No. 7,266,055 (IPR2025-00767, Paper No. 1), accompanied by a total payment of \$65,975.00 in accordance with the fee schedule specified in 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a):

<i>Inter Partes Review</i> request fee:	\$23,750.00
<i>Inter Partes Review</i> request fee, each claim in excess of 20:	\$4,700.00
<i>Inter Partes Review</i> post-institution fee:	\$28,125.00
<i>Inter Partes Review</i> post-institution fee, each claim in excess of 15:	\$9,400.00
Total fees paid:	\$65,975.00

Under the Board's current practice, Petitioner is entitled to a refund of the
15 above listed *Inter Partes* post-institution fee in the total amount of \$37,525.00.

Accordingly, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Board grant this request for refund of the *Inter Partes* post-institution fee, and credit a refund in the amount of \$37,525.00 to Petitioner's EFT Account or Petitioner's Deposit Account No. 50-0665.

Dated: Sept. 15, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true copy of the foregoing PETITIONER’S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES was served in its entirety this 15TH day of September 2025 by electronic mail on the Patent Owner via its attorneys of record:

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