

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC. and SONY GROUP CORPORATION,
Petitioners

v.

SIONYX, LLC,
Patent Owner

Inter Partes Review Case No. IPR2025-00811
U.S. Patent No. 9,064,764

PETITIONERS' REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

Apple Inc. and Sony Group Corporation (“Petitioners”) filed a petition for *Inter Partes* Review of claim 1-25 (25) claims of U.S. Patent 9,064,764 on April 16, 2025 (Paper No. 1). At the time of filing, Petitioners submitted a fee of \$53,285.00, consisting of a \$23,750.00 *inter partes* review request fee, a \$470.00 excess claim request fee for the five (5) claims in excess of twenty (20) claims, a \$28,125.00 *inter partes* review post-institution fee, and a \$940.00 excess claim post-institution fee for the five (5) claims in excess of twenty (20) claims, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a). On July 11, 2025, the Board granted Petitioners’ motion to terminate this proceeding prior to issuing any institution decision (Paper No. 8). In view of the Board’s termination of this proceeding prior to issuing an institution decision, Petitioners respectfully request a refund of the *inter partes* review post-institution fee of \$29,065.00 that was submitted with their petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2) as set forth in the Board’s Final Rule, Setting and Adjusting Patent Fees, 78 Fed. Reg. 4212, 4234-35 (Jan. 18, 2013) (authorizing refunds of post-institution fees for proceedings terminated prior to institution). Petitioners request that the refund be deposited in Deposit Account No. 50-6159.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that the above-captioned “PETITIONERS’ REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES” was served in its entirety on July 18, 2025, by filing this document through the Patent Trial and Appeal Case Tracking System as well as delivering a copy via electronic mail upon the following attorneys of record for the Patent Owner:

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