

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Reference # (Patent #, Application #, Trademark Serial #, Registration #, etc.)		Title of Invention or Mark Information	
IPR2025-01137		Pull Roll Apparatus and Method for Controlling Glass Sheet Tension	
Attorney Docket # (if applicable)	Payment Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Refund Request Amount	
19664.0032USW1	06/11/2025	\$ 28,125.00	
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Rationale (Supporting documentation may be submitted with this form)			
IPR Petition was denied due to a Discretionary Denial decision.			

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Fax to: 571-273-6500, or

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EXHIBIT A

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE
FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND DIRECTOR OF THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

NOTICE OF DECISIONS ON INSTITUTION

Before JOHN A. SQUIRES, *Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual
Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.*

NOTICE

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 314(a), institution of *inter partes* review is
denied in the following proceedings¹:

IPR2025-01014
IPR2025-01105
IPR2025-01106
IPR2025-01114
IPR2025-01117
IPR2025-01118
IPR2025-01137
IPR2025-01139
IPR2025-01154
IPR2025-01166
IPR2025-01167
IPR2025-01221
IPR2025-01240

¹ See Memorandum entitled “Director Institution of AIA Trial Proceedings.”
Available at [https://www.uspto.gov/sites/default/files/documents/
Director_Institution_of_AIA_Trial_Proceedings.pdf](https://www.uspto.gov/sites/default/files/documents/Director_Institution_of_AIA_Trial_Proceedings.pdf).

Accordingly, it is:

ORDERED that the Petitions are *denied*, and no trial is instituted.