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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

VARIANT TECHNOLOGY LLC and LIVEINTENT, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

ALMONDNET, INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2025-01163
Patent 8,959,146

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NOTICE OF REFUND

Petitioner's request for a refund of certain post-institution fees paid on June 20, 2025 in the above proceeding is hereby granted. The amount of \$28,125 has been refunded to Petitioner's deposit account.

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