

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

NOKIA OF AMERICA CORPORATION

Petitioner

v.

SPADA INNOVATIONS, INC.

Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2025-01442

U.S. Patent No. 11,589,142

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

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Petitioner Nokia of America Corp., (“Petitioner”) hereby request a refund of the post-institution fees in the amount of \$28,125.00, which were deposited in connection with the Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 11,589,142.

On August 27, 2025, Petitioner filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review at the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (“the Board”). In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.15, Petitioner deposited a total fee of \$51,875.00 with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (“USPTO”), which included \$23,750.00 for the review request fee and \$28,125.00 for the post-institution fees.

On February 24, 2026, the Board issued a Decision Denying Institution of *Inter Partes* Review 35 U.S.C. §314 (Paper No. 13). As the *Inter Partes* Review was not instituted, Petitioner request a refund of the post-institution fees amounting to \$28,125.00. This amount should be credited back to the USPTO Deposit Account No. 16-0605, referencing Attorney Docket 067115-586405.

For the foregoing reasons, we respectfully request that the post-institution fees be refunded in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(b)(2).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §42.6(e), the undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the above-captioned **PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES** was served in its entirety on April 13, 2026, via filing through the Patent Trial and Appeal Case Tracking System (P-TACTS), as well as by a delivering copy via electronic mail to the following:

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