UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

META PLATFORMS, INC.,
Petitioner

v.

WEPLE IP HOLDINGS LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2026-00081
U.S. Patent No. 12,131,357 B2

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

Petitioner Meta Platforms, Inc. ("Petitioner") hereby requests refund of its post-institution fees in the amount of $33,765 deposited in the above proceeding on October 31, 2025, for the following reasons:

1. Petitioner filed its Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 12,131,357 B2 on October 31, 2025. At that time Petitioner deposited with the PTAB the *inter partes* request and the *inter partes* post-institution fees in the total amount of $60,335. The fees were charged to Cooley LLP's account number 50-1283.

2. On February 24, 2026, institution of this proceeding was denied.

3. This proceeding is now concluded.

For the foregoing reasons, Petitioner requests reimbursement of the post-institution fees of $33,765. The refund may be deposited in Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

Dated: April 3, 2026

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 42.6, that a complete copy of the attached **PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES** is being served via electronic mail on the 3rd day of April 2026 upon Patent Owner by serving Patent Owner's counsel in this proceeding as follows:

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