

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC.
Petitioner,

v.

CONTENTGUARD HOLDINGS, INC.,
Patent Owner

Case IPR2015-00440
Patent 6,963,859

**REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES FOR
INTER PARTES REVIEW**

On December 22, 2014, Apple Inc. (“Petitioner”) filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 6,963,859 under 35 U.S.C. §§ 311-319 and 37 C.F.R. § 42.100 *et seq.* (“Petition,” Paper No. 1), seeking review of claims 1, 3, 5, 8, 13, 15, 16, 19-21, 24, 29, 31, 33, 36, 40, 42, 43, 46-48, 51, 58, 60, 62, 65, 69, 71, 72, 75-77 and 81 of the ’859 patent. On July 13, 2015, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board issued a Decision Denying *Inter Partes* Review (Paper No. 11). Petitioner hereby requests a refund of \$21,200 for the Post-Institution Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2) (\$14,000) and Post-Institution Claim Fees under 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(4) for eighteen claims (\$7,200) submitted with the filing of the Petition. *See e.g.*, 78 FR 4233, 4234-35 (Jan. 18, 2013).

Payment of \$21,200 in Post-Institution Fees was processed through PRPS on December 22, 2014, and charged to the undersigned’s Deposit Account No. 50-1597. Upon review and approval of this request, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Board credit the Post-Institution Fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-1597 under Order No. 41484-80390.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 23rd day of February, 2016, a copy of this Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees for *Inter Partes* Review, has been served in its entirety by e-mail on the following counsel of record for patent owner:

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