UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

UNIFIED PATENTS, INC. Petitioner,

v.

MLC INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, LLC, Patent Owner.

> Case IPR2015-00517 Patent 5,764,571

**REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES FOR INTER** PARTES REVIEW OF U.S. PATENT NO. 5,764,571

On December 30, 2014, Unified Patents Inc. (Petitioner) filed a petition for *inter partes review* of claims 1, 9, 10, 12, 30, 42, and 45 of U.S. Patent No. 5,764,571 (Paper No. 1). The Board subsequently issued an order denying the Institution of the *inter partes review* (Paper No. 9, dated July 20, 2015). In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §42.15(b)(2), the post-institution fees paid at the time of filing should be returned. Petitioner hereby requests a refund of \$14,000 for the post-institution fees in the case of IPR2015-00517.

The payment was provided via credit card and processed in PRPS on December 30, 2014. Upon review and approval of this request, we respectfully request the Board credit the requested amount to Petitioner. The amount may be (1) credited to the American Express account from which payment was provided (card number ending 4005); or (2) deposited into PTO Account No. 06-0916. If more information is necessary to provide payment, please contact counsel listed below.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that on January 19,

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