UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

RPX CORPORATION Petitioner

v.

MULTIPLAYER NETWORK INNOVATIONS, LLC Patent Owner

Case: IPR2015-00553 PAT. NO. 5,618,045

MOTION FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEE

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RPX CORPORATION ("Petitioner") hereby requests a refund of the \$14,000 for the post-institution fee that was previously paid on January 12, 2015. Petitioner filed a petition for *inter partes* review of U.S. Patent No. 5,618,045 on January 12, 2015, and paid the USPTO \$23,000 on that date which includes the \$9,000 *inter partes* review request fee and the \$14,000 post-institution fee, as required by 37 C.F.R. §42.15(a).

On March 23, 2015, the Board granted joint Motion to Terminate Proceeding and issued Judgment Termination of the Proceeding 37 C.F.R. § 42.72 (Paper No. 9). Since this case was in the preliminary proceeding stage and no institution of a trial was made, Petitioner is entitled to a refund of the \$ 14,000 for the post institution fee. See e.g., 78 FR 4234 (January 18, 2013) available at http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2013-01-18/pdf/2013-00819.pdf ("if the review is not instituted at all, the portion of the fee covering the trial would be returned"). For at least the foregoing reasons, Petitioner hereby requests a refund of the \$14,000 post-institution fee that it previously paid.

The refund may be deposited in Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

Respectfully submitted,

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§ 42.6(e)—CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

In accordance with § 42.6(e)(1), the undersigned certifies that on the 29th day of May, 2015, the above MOTION FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEE was served, via electronic mail upon Patent Owner at the correspondence address of record for U.S. Patent No. 5,618,045, as follows:

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