

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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Hyundai Motor Company Ltd., Hyundai Motor America, Hyundai Motor  
Manufacturing Alabama, LLC, Kia Motors Corporation, Kia Motors America, Inc.,  
and Kia Motors Manufacturing Georgia, Inc.,  
Petitioners

v.

Blitzsafe Texas, LLC,  
Patent Owner

U.S. Patent No. 7,489,786  
Filing Date: December 11, 2002  
Issue Date: February 10, 2009  
Title: Audio Device Integration System

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*Inter Partes* Review No.: IPR2016-01477

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**PETITIONERS' REQUEST FOR REFUND**

On July 21, 2016, Hyundai Motor Company (“HMC”), Hyundai Motor America (“HMA”), Hyundai Motor Manufacturing Alabama, LLC (“HMMA”), Kia Motors Corporation (“KMC”), Kia Motors America, Inc. (“KMA”), and Kia Motors Manufacturing Georgia, Inc. (“KMMG”) (collectively, “Hyundai and Kia” or “Petitioners”) filed a petition for *inter partes* review of claims 1, 5-8, 10, 14, 23, 24, 57, 60-62, and 64-65 of U.S. Patent 7,489,786 (Paper No. 1). On January 27, 2017, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board issued its “Decision Denying Institution of *Inter Partes* Review” (Paper No. 13). In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2), Petitioner hereby requests a refund of \$14,000.00 for the post-institution fees.

Upon review and approval of this request, we respectfully request that the Board credit the requested amount to Petitioners.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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