## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

GLOBALFOUNDRIES U.S. INC., Petitioner

v.

GODO KAISHA IP BRIDGE 1, Patent Owner

IPR2017-00881 U.S. Patent No. 6,197,696

## PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

*Mail Stop "PATENT BOARD"* Patent Trial and Appeal Board U.S. Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Honorable Justices:

Petitioner submits this request for a refund of the post-institution fee paid for the above-referenced Petition for *Inter Partes* Review (the "Petition"), which was filed on and accorded a filing date of February 13, 2017. Specifically, at the time of filing, Petitioner pre-paid a \$14,000 post-institution fee. Pursuant to the Patent & Trademark Office's Final Rule Setting and Adjusting Patent Fees, 78 F.R. 4211, 4233-4234 (Jan. 18, 2013), Petitioner requests a refund of the pre-paid postinstitution fee in the amount of \$14,000.

Here, the *Inter Partes* Review proceeding has been terminated prior to its institution (See Paper No. 14, Decision Granting Petitioner's Unopposed Motions to Dismiss). Therefore, Petitioner believes that it is entitled to be refunded the postinstitution fee identified above.

Accordingly, refund of the \$14,000 paid for filing fees is respectfully requested. Refund may be made to Deposit Account No. 50-3672.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing Petitioner's Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees was served on April 28, 2017, via email directed to counsel of record for the Patent Owner at the following:

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