

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

HUAWEI TECHNOLOGIES CO., LTD.,
Petitioner

v.

MAXELL, LTD.,
Patent Owner

Case IPR2019-00576
Patent 6,973,334

PETITIONER REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES

Pursuant to the Patent and Trademark Office's Final Rule Setting and Adjusting Patent Fees, 78 Fed. Reg. 4212, 4232–4234 (Jan. 18, 2013), Petitioner, Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd., requests a refund in the amount of \$15,000 to be credited to Deposit Account Number 06-1050.

On January 16, 2019, Petitioner filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 6,973,334 with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board that was assigned case number IPR2019-00576. In accordance with the fee schedule specified in 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a), Petitioner deposited an electronic payment in the amount of \$15,500 with the Board at the time of filing of its Petition to cover associated fees with Petitioner's *inter partes* review request, and a further \$15,000 in Post-Institution fees.

On April 25, 2019, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board entered a decision granting motion to dismiss this proceeding. Accordingly, Petitioner requests a refund in the amount of \$15,000 for the post-institution fees that it has paid to the USPTO in connection with that proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 42.6(e)(4) and 42.6(e)(4)(iii), the undersigned certifies that on May 16, 2019, a complete and entire copy of this Petitioner's Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees was provided via email to the Patent Owner by serving the correspondence email address of record as follows:

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