

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
Petitioner,

v.

VERSATA SOFTWARE, INC.
Patent Owner.

U.S. Patent No. 8,805,825

CBM Case No.: 2016-00100

REQUEST FOR REFUND OF THE POST INSTITUTION FEE

On September 12, 2016, Ford Motor Company ("Petitioner") filed a Petition for covered business method patent review seeking review of claims 1-20 of U.S. Patent No. 8,805,825. Patent Owner, Versata Development Group, Inc., submitted its Preliminary Response on December 23, 2016 (Paper No. 6). On March 20,

2017, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board issued its Decision denying Petitioner's Petition (Paper No. 12). Petitioner then filed a Request for Rehearing on April 19, 2017 (Paper No. 13), and, on October 26, 2017, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board issued its Decision denying Petitioner's Request for Rehearing (Paper No. 19).

The Rules provide for a refund of the post institution fee if the Board does not institute trial. Payment of the \$20,750 post-institution fee was processed through PRPS on September 13, 2016, and charged to Deposit Account 06-1510. Petitioner hereby requests a refund of \$20,750 for the post-institution fee under 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2).

Upon review and approval of this request, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Board credit the post-institution fee to Deposit Account 06-1510.

Respectfully submitted,

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