## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE ————— BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

VOLKSWAGEN GROUP OF AMERICA, INC.
Petitioner,

v.

SIGNAL IP, INC.,
Patent Owner.

IPR TRIAL NO. IPR2015-01116
Patent No. 6,012,007

PETITIONER REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES



Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.26, Petitioner respectfully requests a refund of the post-institution fees paid with its Petition for *Inter Partes* Review.

On April 30, 2015, Petitioner filed a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of claims 1, 17, and 19 to 21 of U.S. Patent No. 6,012,007. Petitioner submitted therewith the *inter partes* review request fee of \$9,000.00, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(1), and the *inter partes* review post-institution fee of \$14,000.00, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2). The Board denied institution of *inter partes* review on September 29, 2015 (Paper 11), and, in response to the Petitioner's Request for Rehearing submitted on October 29, 2015 (Paper 12), the Board denied the Petitioner's request for rehearing on December 1, 2015 (Paper 13), without instituting any *inter partes* review.

Accordingly, Petitioner respectfully requests a refund of the post-institution fee of \$14,000.00, to be applied to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully Submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The foregoing Petitioner Request for Refund of Post-Institution Fees was served on December 3, 2015, via electronic mail upon the following:

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