#### UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC. Petitioner

v.

UNILOC LUXEMBOURG S.A. Patent Owner

> Case IPR2017-00224 Patent 8,724,622

#### PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF THE POST-INSTITUTION FEE

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Pursuant to the Patent and Trademark Office's Final Rule Setting and Adjusting Patent Fees, 78 Fed. Reg. 4211, 4233-34 (Jan. 18, 2013), Petitioner Apple Inc. requests a refund in the amount of \$15,600.00 to be paid to deposit account number 19-0036.

On May 25, 2017, the Board declined to institute *inter partes* review in this proceeding (Case IPR2017-00224) (Paper No. 7). Accordingly, Petitioner requests a refund of the post-institution fee of \$15,600.00 that was previously charged on a deposit account.

Petitioner's deposit account number is 19-0036. The Rules provide for a refund of the institution fee if the Board does not institute trial. Payment of the \$15,600.00 post-institution fee was processed through PTAB E2E on November 14, 2016. Accordingly, Petitioners request a refund in the amount of \$15,600.00 for the post-institution fee that it has paid to the USPTO in connection with this proceeding.

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## **CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE**

### The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing **PETITIONER'S**

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