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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD**

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INVENTOR: LAWLER ET AL.

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TITLE: HIGH SPEED CACHE  
MANAGEMENT UNIT FOR USE IN  
A BRIDGE/ROUTER

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**FEE AUTHORIZATION**

The undersigned authorizes the Office to charge \$23,000, which includes, if any, additional claims fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-6990 for the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a) for this Petition for *inter partes* review. The undersigned further authorizes payment for any additional fees that might be due in connection with this Petition to be charged to the above-referenced Deposit Account.

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