IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

IMIRACLE HK LIMITED, PETITIONER,

v.

VPR BRANDS, LP, PATENT OWNER.

Case No. IPR2023-01255

U.S. Patent No. 8,205,622

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEES FOR *INTER PARTES REVIEW* OF U.S. PATENT NO. 8,205,622

Petitioner iMiracle HK Limited respectfully requests a refund of postinstitution fees which were previously paid, comprising \$22,500 *intre partes* review post-institution claim fee.

On July 29, 2023, Petitioner iMiracle HK Limited, filed a petition for *inter partes* review of claims 12-15 of U.S. Patent 8,205,622 (Paper 2). Petitioner paid the USPTO a total of \$41,500.00 via deposit account, which included a \$19,000.00 payment for the *inter partes* review request fee in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(1), and a \$22,500.00 payment for the post-institution fee in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §42.15(a)(2). On January 25, 2024, the Board issued an order denying institution of this proceeding (Paper No. 11). Petitioner therefor requests a refund of the \$22,500.00 for the post-institution fee that was previously paid at the time of filing in the case of IPR2023-01255.

Upon review and approval of this request, Petitioner respectfully requests the Board credit the requested amount to Petitioner's deposit account, PTO Account No. 051323. If more information is necessary to refund payment, please contact David P. Lindner.

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Dated: February 13, 2024

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that on

February 13, 2024, a complete and entire copy of this Petitioner Request for

Refund of Post-Institution Fees was provided via email to the Patent Owner

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