

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING COMPANY LTD.,
Petitioner,

v.

ADVANCED INTEGRATED CIRCUIT PROCESS LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2025-00683
Patent No. 8,907,425

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEE

On March 26, 2025, Petitioner Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company Ltd. filed a petition for *inter partes* review of U.S. Patent No. 8,907,425 (Paper 1) and paid the USPTO a total of \$51,875, which included a \$23,750 request fee and a \$28,125 post-institution fee.

On August 14, 2025, the Board entered a decision denying institution of the requested *inter partes* review (Paper 17), and on November 5, 2025, the Director denied Petitioner's request for Director Review (Paper 21).

Therefore, Petitioner hereby requests a refund of the \$28,125 post-institution fee submitted with the petition. Petitioner respectfully requests that the Board credit the refunded post-institution fee to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 10, 2026

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing
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