

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

TOYOTA MOTOR CORP.,
Petitioner,

v.

EMERGING AUTOMOTIVE LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2026-00070
U.S. Patent No. 12,337,716

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR REFUND OF POST-INSTITUTION FEE

Petitioner Toyota Motor Corp. (“Petitioner”) hereby files a request for a refund of the post-institution fees of **\$28,125** (“Post-Institution Fee”).

On October 21, 2025, Petitioner filed a Petition for Inter Partes Review of U.S. Patent No. 12,337,716. Paper 2. Accordingly, Petitioners submitted the Post-Institution Fee of \$28,125 for post-institution review of up to twenty (20) total claims under 37 C.F.R. § 42.15(a)(2).

On April 6, 2026, the Patent and Trademark Office ordered that the petition be denied institution. Paper 18. Because the petition to institute inter partes review was filed after March 19, 2013, and the proceeding was not instituted, Petitioner is entitled to request a refund of the above Post-Institution Fee that was previously paid. See, e.g., 78 FR 4233 (Jan. 18, 2013).

Petitioner hereby requests a refund of the \$28,125 Post-Institution Fee. Petitioners respectfully request that the Board credit the Post-Institution Fee totaling \$28,125 to Munck Wilson Mandala LLP’s Deposit Account No. 50-0208 under attorney reference number TMNA01-00002.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), the undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing paper was served on April 9, 2026 by electronic mail on the following counsel for Patent Owner:

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