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The request for further extension of time to oppose filed November 4, 2002 on behalf of Occidental Petroleum Corporation is noted.

The record in the application file reveals that the mark was published for opposition purposes on April 18, 2000. Since that time, potential opposer has been granted fifteen (15) extensions of time to oppose, totaling approximately twenty-nine (29) months, in which to oppose and or draft a settlement agreement. It would appear that more than enough time has been allowed for this purpose.

Nevertheless, in order to assist the parties in reaching an accord, the instant request is granted. Accordingly, Occidental Petroleum Corporation is allowed until January 3, 2003 in which to oppose the registration sought by applicant.

However, unless it is indicated that settlement has been reached and nothing remains except formal execution, no further extension of time will be approved.