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Applicant: Agway, Inc.
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The request for further extension of time to oppose filed **May 28, 2002** on behalf of **Walton & Post, Inc.** is noted.

The record in the application file reveals that the mark was published for opposition purposes on **October 13, 1998**. Since that time, potential opposer has been granted **27** extensions of time to oppose, totalling approximately **40** months, in which to negotiate a settlement. 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, **Walton & Post, Inc.** is allowed until **July 24, 2002** 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.