

IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL
AND APPEAL BOARD

Applicant: Esporta Health & Fitness Limited

Serial No: 76-100026

Filed: July 31, 2000

Trademark: ESPORTA

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Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks
2900 Crystal Drive
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REQUEST FOR FIRST EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 2.102(c) of the Trademark Rules of Practice, Potential Opposer, Electronic Arts Inc., headquartered at 209 Redwood Shores Parkway, Redwood City, California 94065, through its authorized attorney, requests a ninety (90) day extension of time, to and including *May 21, 2003*, within which to oppose the above-identified application, Serial No. 76100026, for the mark ESPORTA for "Video and audio cassette tape and CD recorders & players; audio and visual tapes and discs; compact discs and CD ROMS featuring exercising, health and fitness information and prerecorded music; telephones; cellular phones, in Class 9"; "Printed magazines, non-fiction books, leaflets, booklets, newsletters, and newsletters on subjects of exercise, health and fitness; mounted photographs; stationery; printed instruction and teaching materials on the subjects of exercise, health and fitness, in Class 16"; "Board games and toy action figures, basketballs, medicine balls, manually operated exercise machines, squash, racquetball and tennis rackets, cricket and baseball bats, and decorations for Christmas trees, in Class 28"; and for

“Provision of health club services, sporting, gymnasium and recreation facilities; physical education services; provision of instruction in sport, healthcare and beauty; health club services; providing sports information; organization of sports competitions; publication of books, magazines, newsletters, leaflets, booklets and newspapers on the subjects of sports, leisure and recreation, in Class 41”

Applicant's mark was published for Opposition on the Official Gazette on January 21, 2003.

REMARKS AND SHOWING OF GOOD CAUSE

The ninety-day extension of time requested herein is not requested for purposes of delay, but is necessary to permit Potential Opposer to complete its investigation of background factors which may lead to the filing of the contemplated Notice of Opposition, or to the decision that no such Notice of Opposition is warranted at this time. Such investigation is ongoing, but has not yet been completed.

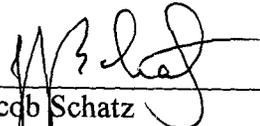
Potential Opposer submits that the statements set out above have satisfied the requisite showing of good cause contemplated by Rule 2.102(c). The Board's Order granting the extension of time requested herein is solicited.

Potential Opposer hereby submits in triplicate this First Request for Extension of Time to File Notice of Opposition against the above-referenced application. Potential Opposer believes there will be no filing fee for this Request. Please charge any fees that may be due to the Electronic Arts Inc. Deposit Account No. 501462. Please date stamp and return the enclosed return receipt postcard indicating receipt and filing of the enclosed First Request for Extension of Time to File Notice of Opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

ELECTRONIC ARTS INC.

Dated: 2/7/03

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RE: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE

Dear Assistant Commissioner:

Enclosed please find a Request for Extension of Time to Oppose the following application.

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Trademark:	ESPORTA
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The extension request is submitted in triplicate, as required. Also enclosed is a postage-paid return card.

Should there be any questions regarding the materials submitted, please call me directly at 650-628-7416.

Sincerely yours,

ELECTRONIC ARTS INC.

Sue Garfield
Senior Paralegal, Manager Intellectual Property

Enclosures

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(Date) 2-7-03

(Name) [Signature]