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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD**

In re Trademark Application of

Applicant: Veritas Operating Corporation

Serial No.: 76/184,955

Mark: VERITAS VISION

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR TRADEMARKS:

**REQUEST UNDER RULE 2.102 FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR FILING NOTICE OF OPPOSITION**

In the matter of the above-identified trademark application, which was published in the *Official Gazette* of October 8, 2002, Verity, Inc, a Delaware corporation located at 894 Ross Drive, Sunnyvale, California 94089, by and through its attorneys, hereby requests that the opposition period be extended thirty (30) days from the present deadline of August 4, 2003 or until September 3, 2003.

The parties are exploring means to settle this matter. The time sought by this request is to permit the parties to determine if an agreement can be reached and the matter resolved without the necessity of filing an opposition. This request is made in good faith and not for purposes of delay.

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Applicant's counsel, Joi A. White, in an email dated July 29, 2003, consented to this request for an extension of time, waiving signature. A copy of this Request has been served upon Ms. White.

This request is being submitted in triplicate as required by 35 C.F.R. Section 2.102(d).

Respectfully submitted,

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