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BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD



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In Re Application For Trademark Registration)

By:)

VitaFree/ZX International Ltd.,)
An Irish Corporation)

Serial Number: 76/246,365)

Filed: April 25, 2001)

Trademark: METABO-EPHEDRA)

Int'l Class No.: International Class 05)

STIPULATED FOURTH REQUEST
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Stipulated Fourth Request For Extension of Time To File NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

To The Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks:

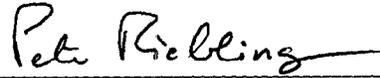
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 2.102, it is hereby requested that the time for filing a Notice of Opposition to the registration of the mark that is the subject of the above-referenced application, which was published for opposition in the December 4, 2001 issue of the Official Gazette, be extended for sixty (60) additional days, i.e., from April 2, 2002 through and including **June 1, 2002**. Applicant's President, Tom Nelson, stipulated and agreed to this sixty (60) day extension in a telephone call on April 2, 2002 with Tex Prows, Esq., in-house counsel for potential Opposer. Good cause for this extension exists, because the potential Opposer requires additional time to investigate the Applicant's use of the mark and to consider if settlement is appropriate.

This request is submitted on behalf of Metabolife International, Inc. a corporation of the State of California, located at 5643 Copely Dr., San Diego, California 92111.

This request is submitted in triplicate (original plus two copies) in compliance with 37 C.F.R 2.102(d).

Please direct all related communications to Peter J. Riebling, Esq.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Peter Riebling". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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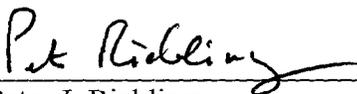
CERTIFICATE OF FILING

I, Peter J. Riebling, hereby certify that the foregoing STIPULATED FOURTH REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A NOTICE OF OPPOSITION has been hand delivered, in an envelope addressed as follows:

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Dated: April 2, 200



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