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In re U.S. Trademark Application

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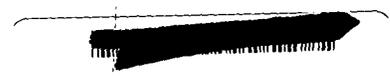
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION**

Sir:

Ford Motor Company, a Michigan corporation, having a place of business at The American Road, Dearborn, Michigan 48121, hereby requests that the Board grant an additional 30-day extension of time to file a Notice of Opposition in the above-identified matter, to and including **April 15, 2003**.

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This extension is not for the purpose of delay, and is necessary in order for Ford Motor Company to further investigate and evaluate the necessity of filing a Notice of Opposition.

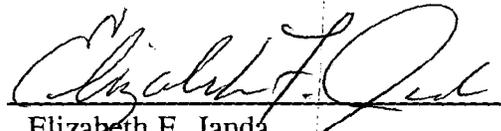
On March 17, 2003, counsel for Potential Opposer spoke via telephone with Linda McCloud, counsel for Applicant, who consented to this extension of time.

This request is being served on Applicant's counsel, and is submitted in triplicate as required by 37 C.F.R. § 2.102(d).

Respectfully submitted,

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

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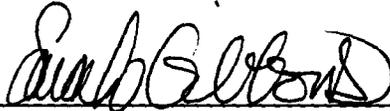
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