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REQUEST FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE

The Arcus Group, Inc., a Texas corporation, with its principal place of business at 6908 Saucon Valley Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76132, and David Gabriel, an individual residing at 6908 Saucon Valley Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76132, (hereinafter collectively "The Arcus Group"), by and through their attorneys, hereby request that the Board grant an additional thirty (30) day extension of time to file a Notice of Opposition in the above-referenced matter, up to and including April 14, 2003.

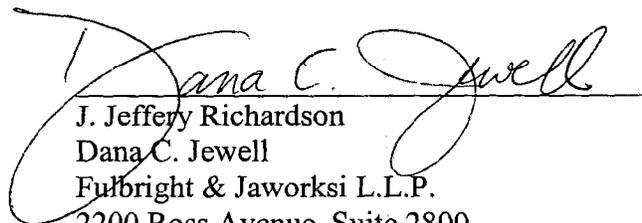
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This further extension of time to oppose is not made for purposes of delay, but is requested so that the parties may continue to explore the possibility of settlement in this matter. Counsel for applicant, Coleen Meehan, agreed to this thirty (30) day extension in a telephone conference with J. Jeffery Richardson, counsel for potential opposers, held on March 12, 2003.

It is believed that no fee is due in connection with this filing. However, if a fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this Request to Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 06-2380.

This request is being submitted in triplicate as required by 37 C.F.R. § 2.102(d).

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