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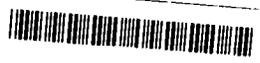
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE, WITH CONSENT**

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Sir:

Pursuant to Section 13 of the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1063, and Trademark Rule 2.102, 37 C.F.R. § 2.102, request is hereby made for a sixty (60) day extension of the time within which a Notice of Opposition may be filed with respect to the above-identified application. This request is made on behalf of the prospective opposer:

Bostik Findley, Inc.  
 11320 Watertown Plank Road  
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Charles R. Cypher, counsel for the applicant, consented to the requested extension in an e-mail dated September 19, 2003.

The time within which a Notice of Opposition must be filed now expires on **September 30, 2003**. If this request is granted, the time within which the prospective opposer may file a Notice of Opposition would be extended to and include **November 29, 2003**.

The parties are actively engaged in discussions regarding a possible coexistence agreement, and require additional time to complete these discussions. The prospective opposers believe these facts constitute good cause under Trademark Rule 2.102(c), and respectfully requests that the time within which it may file a Notice of Opposition be extended accordingly.

The foregoing request is made in good faith and not for the purposes of delay and is being submitted in triplicate in accordance with Trademark Rule 2.102(d).

Respectfully submitted,

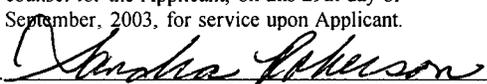
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