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In re Application of:
Allied Domecq Spirits & Wine Limited



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REQUEST FOR SIXTY DAY (60) EXTENSION OF TIME TO
FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

NOW COMES, *Bissell Hotels, Inc.*, a North Carolina corporation, with a mailing address at 2115 Rexford Road, Suite 100, Charlotte, North Carolina 28211, by its undersigned attorneys, Ernest B. Lipscomb, III, Larry C. Jones, and Henry B. Ward, III, members of the firm of ALSTON & BIRD LLP, Bank of America Plaza, 101 South Tryon Street, Suite 4000, Charlotte, North Carolina 28280-4000, (704) 444-1000, hereby requests that its time for opposing the above-identified application be extended for a period of sixty (60) days, from February 14, 2003, up to and including **April 14, 2003**.

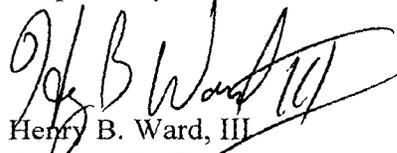
This extension of time is requested in order to afford a sufficient opportunity for Petitioner to complete an investigation as to the implications of the publication of the above-

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identified application. A sixty (60) day extension is requested because Petitioner realistically believes that the investigation of this matter cannot be completed within a shorter period of time. Accordingly, favorable action on this request is respectfully urged.

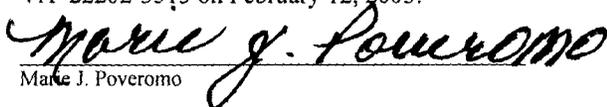
This Request for Extension of Time to File a Notice of Opposition is being submitted in triplicate, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 2.102(d).

Respectfully submitted,


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