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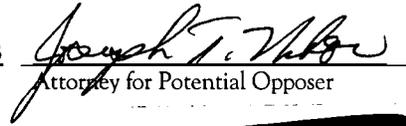
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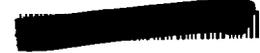
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE AN OPPOSITION**

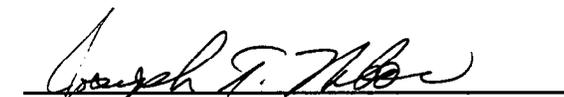
In connection with the above identified Application, **Cargill, Incorporated**, requests an additional extension of time to file an Opposition for sixty (60) days, to and including **February 25, 2004**. A first request for an original thirty days to and including December 27, 2003, has already been filed and approved. This extension is within the 120-day period specified in 37 C.F.R. §2.102(c).

An investigation of the above identified Application has been commenced, but has not been completed. An extension of time is necessary in order to provide enough time to complete the investigation, and if necessary, to prepare and file an Opposition. This request is not sought for purposes of delay. Thus, it is respectfully requested that this request be granted.

This request is submitted in triplicate in order to facilitate notification of all parties.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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