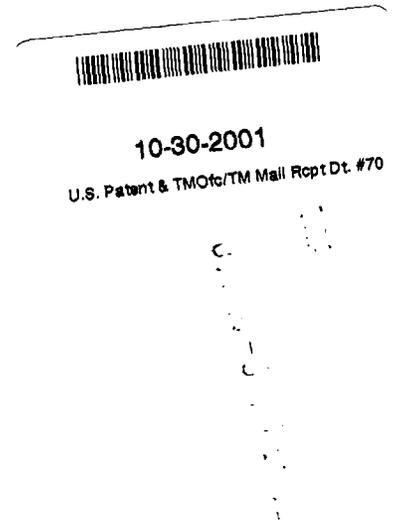


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BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

Trademark Application

Serial No. : 78/062,564
Filed : May 8, 2001
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Applicant : Vigel LLC
Mark : VIGEL
International Class : 5



REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION

Pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1063 (Lanham Act § 13) and Trademark Rule 2.102, request is hereby made for a sixty (60) day extension of 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:

Schering-Plough Healthcare Products, Inc.
3030 Jackson Avenue
Memphis, Tennessee 38151

, and on behalf of its affiliated and related companies. The time within which a Notice of Opposition must be filed presently expires on November 1, 2001. If this request is granted, the time within which the prospective opposer may file a Notice of Opposition would be extended to and include January 1, 2002.

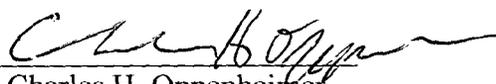
Petitioner is in the process of securing information pertaining to the trademark shown in the above-entitled application. The time requested herein is necessary to allow for the securing of this information and to enable petitioner to consider and evaluate said information.

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,

Schering-Plough Healthcare
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Dated: October 30, 2001

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is an original and two copies of a Request for First Extension of Time to file a Notice of Opposition in the matter of Trademark Application No. 78/062,564 for the mark VIGEL, filed on May 8, 2001 in the name of Vigel, LLC.

We also enclosed a stamped, self-addressed postcard for acknowledging receipt of said request.

Respectfully submitted,

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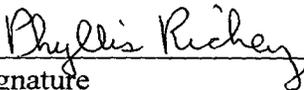
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