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*In re World Trade Centers Association,  
Inc.*

Serial No. 85473613  
Serial No. 85473617  
Serial No. 85474746  
Serial No. 85474748  
Serial No. 85527008  
Serial No. 85527029  
Serial No. 85527100  
Serial No. 85527119

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**Denise M. DelGizzi,  
Chief Clerk of the Board:**

On April 14, 2015, Applicant, filed a request for permission to be allowed an additional ten (10) minutes, for a total time of thirty (30) minutes, in which to set forth its position at the oral hearing scheduled for May 21, 2015, at 11:00 a.m. In light of the voluminous nature of the record and complexity of the issues, the request is granted as well taken.<sup>2</sup> See Trademark Trial and Appeal Board Manual of Procedure (“TBMP”) § 1216 (2014). *Cf. U.S. Navy v. United States*

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<sup>1</sup> This order supercedes the April 22, 2015 ex parte interlocutory order.

<sup>2</sup> Counsel for Applicant stated in its request that it does not object to allowing the Examining Attorney additional time at oral hearing.

*Manufacturing Co.*, 2 USPQ2d 1254, 1255 (TTAB 1987) (in view of the voluminous size of the record, by special permission of the Board, the parties were given additional time to present their arguments at oral hearing in inter partes proceeding).

Accordingly, Applicant is allowed thirty (30) minutes, and the Examining Attorney is allowed (15) minutes, in which to set forth their positions at the oral hearing.<sup>3</sup> See Trademark Rule 2.142(e)(1) (setting forth ratio of time in ex parte oral hearings).

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<sup>3</sup> Applicant, if desires, may reserve a portion of its thirty (30) minutes to use for rebuttal argument.