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In re Surgical Specialties Corporation  
(US), Inc.

Serial No. 86081312

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**Lalita Greene, Paralegal Specialist:**

In view of the decision by the Trademark Examining Attorney on May 18, 2015, the appeal is resumed; and applicant is allowed until sixty days from the mailing date hereof in which to file its brief herein.<sup>1</sup> A request for an oral hearing, if desired, must be made not later than ten days after the due date for applicant's reply brief.

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[<sup>1</sup>]It should be noted that the Trademark Attorney inadvertently indicated that "TO AVOID ABANDONMENT OF APPLICANT'S TRADEMARK APPLICATION, THE USPTO MUST RECEIVE APPLICANT'S COMPLETE RESPONSE TO THIS LETTER **WITHIN 6 MONTHS** OF THE ISSUE/MAILING DATE BELOW." This clause is not applicable under the circumstances of this case.