

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board  
2900 Crystal Drive  
Arlington, Virginia 22202-3513

Mailed: February 24, 2004

Opposition No. 91110853

VINA SAN PEDRO, S.A.

v.

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**Cindy B. Greenbaum, Attorney:**

Applicant's consented motions filed January 15, 2004 and February 17, 2004 to extend time to file its answer to the notice of opposition are granted. Trademark Rule 2.127(a).

Accordingly, answer is due March 16, 2004.

The Board notes that for the past five and one-half years, the parties have effected numerous extensions or suspensions to accommodate the parties' settlement negotiations, yet no settlement has been reached. If the parties agree to another extension or suspension, they will be expected to report to the Board on the progress of their settlement negotiations. Such report must include a recitation of issues that have been resolved, issues that remain to be resolved, and a firm timetable for resolution. Absent such a report, any future motion to extend or

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suspend, even though agreed to by the parties, may not be approved.

Trial dates, including the close of discovery, are reset as follows:

DISCOVERY PERIOD TO CLOSE: **June 15, 2004**

Thirty-day testimony period for party in position of plaintiff to close: **September 13, 2004**

Thirty-day testimony period for party in position of defendant to close: **November 12, 2004**

Fifteen-day rebuttal testimony period to close: **December 27, 2004**

In each instance, a copy of the transcript of testimony together with copies of documentary exhibits, must be served on the adverse party within thirty days after completion of the taking of testimony. Trademark Rule 2.125.

Briefs shall be filed in accordance with Trademark Rule 2.128(a) and (b). An oral hearing will be set only upon request filed as provided by Trademark Rule 2.129.