

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
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Opposition No. 91156321

The Chamber of Commerce of
the United States of
America

v.

United States Hispanic
Chamber of Commerce
Foundation

Angela Campbell, Paralegal Specialist:

Applicant's stipulated motion for extension of time filed September 17, 2007 and amended stipulated motion for extension of time filed October 1, 2007 to extend trial dates, including dates for the counterclaim, are granted. Trademark Rule 2.127(a).

Trial dates, including dates for the counterclaim, are reset in accordance with applicant's motion.

The USPTO published a notice of final rulemaking in the Federal Register on August 1, 2007, at 72 F.R. 42242. By this notice, various rules governing Trademark Trial and Appeal Board inter partes proceedings are amended. Certain amendments have an effective date of August 31, 2007, while most have an effective date of November 1, 2007. For further information, the parties are referred to a reprint

of the final rule and a chart summarizing the affected rules, their changes, and effective dates, both viewable on the USPTO website via these web addresses:

<http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/com/sol/notices/72fr42242.pdf>

<http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/com/sol/notices/72fr42242FinalRuleChart.pdf>

By one rule change effective August 31, 2007, the Board's standard protective order is made applicable to all TTAB inter partes cases, whether already pending or commenced on or after that date. However, as explained in the final rule and chart, this change will not affect any case in which any protective order has already been approved or imposed by the Board. Further, as explained in the final rule, parties are free to agree to a substitute protective order or to supplement or amend the standard order even after August 31, 2007, subject to Board approval. The standard protective order can be viewed using the following web address:

<http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/dcom/ttab/tbmp/stndagmnt.htm>