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Opposition No. 91160945

Athletics Investment Group
LLC, d/b/a The Oakland
Athletics Baseball Company

v.

The Board of Trustees of
The University of Alabama

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Opposer's consented motion filed June 29, 2009 to extend testimony periods is granted. Trademark Rule 2.127(a).¹

Testimony periods are reset in accordance with opposer's motion. No further extensions of the trial dates will be granted.

¹ It is noted, however, that opposer's motion to extend was not signed by the attorney whose name appears as signatory to the motion. Rather, the attorney's name has been "penned," and followed by someone's initials. This is an improper violation of the requirement that the attorney who files a paper with the Office signs the paper him/herself to show that he/she has read the paper and affirms that there is a sound basis for its filing. See Trademark Rule 2.17(a), and Patent and Trademark Rules 10.14 and 10.18. In the future, "penned" submissions may be returned without consideration.