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Opposition No. 91204122

Empire State Building Company
L.L.C.

v.

Michael Liang

Karl Kochersperger, Paralegal Specialist:

Applicant's consented motion (filed September 19, 2014) to extend its time to respond to opposer's motion for summary judgment is granted. Applicant's due date is reset in accordance with applicant's motion. Proceedings remain suspended pending disposition of opposer's motion for summary judgment (filed August 14, 2014) and applicant's motion to accept the late-filed answer.¹ Any paper filed during the pendency of this motion which is not relevant thereto will be given no consideration. *See* Trademark Rule 2.127(d).

In addition to tolling the time to respond to outstanding discovery requests, suspension of proceedings tolls the time for parties to make required disclosures. *See* TBMP § 528.03.

¹ Applicant's consented motion to extend trial dates filed September 18, 2014 is noted. This filing was improper and will receive no further consideration as proceedings are currently suspended pending the outstanding motions.

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The motion for summary judgment will be decided in due course.