

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
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Opposition No. 91205411

Virgin Enterprises Limited

v.

Michael Casey

Eric McWilliams, Supervisory Paralegal:

The parties' stipulation dated September 4, 2013, to suspend proceedings for three months is noted. Because the parties are negotiating for possible settlement of this case, proceedings herein are suspended as requested, subject to the right of either party to request resumption at any time. See Trademark Rule 2.117(c).

In the event that there is no word from either party concerning the progress of their negotiations, upon conclusion of the suspension period, proceedings shall resume without further notice or order from the Board, upon the schedule set out in the parties' September 4, 2013 stipulation.

While the Board is amenable for pre-trial resolutions of proceedings, it is noted that the parties have sought and have been granted multiple suspensions of proceedings. Having said

that, the parties are advised that to continue suspension after this period expires, or to seek further extensions, the parties will be expected to provide a report on the progress of their settlement talks to establish good cause.

This report must include: a recitation of issues that have been resolved, issues that remain to be resolved, and a timetable for resolution. Absent such a report, any future motion to extend or suspend may not be approved, even though agreed to by the parties.

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.

If, during the suspension period, either of the parties or their attorneys should have a change of address, the Board should be so informed.