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Opposition No. 91212028

Duke University

v.

Montgomery Youth Hockey Association, Inc.

Victoria von Vistauxx, Paralegal Specialist:

Opposer's consented motion (filed August 17, 2016) to suspend this proceeding for seventy-five days is granted.¹

Because the parties are negotiating for a possible settlement of this case, proceedings are suspended, subject to the right of either party to request resumption at any time. *See* Trademark Rule 2.117(c), and 2.127(a); and TBMP § 605.02).

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 forth in Opposer's motion.²

¹ In view of the instant order, Opposer's motion embodied in the above referenced order, to extend trial dates is considered moot and will received no further consideration.

² Opposer's progress report concerning the parties' settlement negotiations, is noted. The parties are reminded that they should continue to update the Board with progress of their settlement negotiations if further motions to extend or suspend are filed.

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 Rules 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.³

³ If the parties are (or during the pendency of this proceeding become) parties to another proceeding involving the subject application/registration, the parties must notify the Board so the Board can consider whether consolidation or suspension of proceedings is appropriate.