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Opposition No. 91228562

Lecia Rives

v.

Miles Ahead

George C. Pologeorgis,
Administrative Trademark Judge:

An answer to the notice of opposition was due (as last reset) in this proceeding on August 31, 2016.¹ Inasmuch as it appears that no answer has been filed, nor has Applicant filed a motion to further extend the time to file an answer, notice of default is hereby entered against Applicant pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 55(a).²

Applicant is allowed until **thirty (30) days** from the mailing date of this order to show cause why judgment by default should not be entered against Applicant in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 55(b)(2).

¹ On August 1, 2016, Applicant filed an unconsented motion to extend his time to file an answer by thirty days. The Board granted the motion as conceded on September 7, 2016 and allowed Applicant until August 31, 2016 in which to file and serve his answer. Although the Board granted Applicant's motion subsequent to the extended deadline requested by Applicant, Applicant should nonetheless have filed his answer by the requested extension or should have filed another extension request on or prior to the initially requested extension deadline.

² Inasmuch as Applicant is in default, the parties' obligations to hold the discovery conference, and to serve initial disclosures, are effectively stayed. See TBMP § 312.01 (2016).

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Proceedings are otherwise suspended pending Applicant's response to this order.