

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ERICA CURTIS,)	Cancellation No. 92045343
)	RE: Registration No.
Petitioner)	2,996,662
v.)	Mark: SWEET PEA
)	
PACIFIC COAST FEATHER COMPANY,)	
)	MOTION TO ACCEPT LATE
)	FILING OF ANSWER
Registrant.)	

Commissioner for Trademarks
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
P.O. Box 1451
Alexandria VA 22313-1451

Date: April 6, 2006

Dear Sir:

This is to request the acceptance of a late filing of the Answer (enclosed) to the above-identified Petition to Cancel trademark Registration No. 2,996,662. The petition was mailed directly to the registrant and reached the desk of the person who is responsible for trademark matters, but who is completely inexperienced in cancellation matters. She did not understand the significance of the communication or that there was a deadline for response. The petition was not communicated to the undersigned, who is the attorney of record in the trademark application/registration. Registrant's attorney was not aware of the Petition to Cancel until after the deadline for filing the answer had passed. The acceptance of this petition would not appear to prejudice the rights of petitioner in any way. Petitioner has since filed a first set of interrogatories and request for production of documents to which a response is being prepared.

Accordingly, granting of the petition and acceptance of the answer is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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