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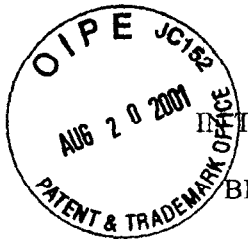

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FIRST REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE

In accordance with § 13 of the Federal Trademark Act, as amended, prospective Opposer, AutoZone, Inc., respectfully requests that the time for filing a Notice of Opposition against the above-identified application be extended for a period of sixty (60) days, namely to and including October 29, 2001.

Prospective Opposer is investigating the subject application and the proposed use of the mark to determine whether an opposition is warranted. The requested extension is to allow time for completion of that process and, if necessary, to prepare the Notice of Opposition. Therefore, it is believed that the extension is appropriate and should be granted.

AUTOZONE, INC.

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