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

In re Application of)
PRODUCTION METAL FORMING, INC.)

Trademark Attorney: Richard Alves, Jr.

Serial No.: 75/655,037)

Law Office: 113

Filed: March 5, 1999)

For: HIDE-A-HOSE)

Commissioner for Trademarks
2900 Crystal Drive
Arlington, VA 22202-3514

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE BRIEF ON APPEAL

Honorable Commissioner:

Applicant hereby requests an extension of time of thirty (30) days in which to file its brief on appeal. As grounds for this extension, Applicant notes that the sole basis for refusal is an alleged likelihood of confusion with registration no. 2,201,730 ("the '730 registration"). Applicant is exploring other options relating to the '730 registration in an attempt to resolve the outstanding basis for refusal.

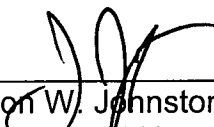
This is the first request for extension of time to file Applicant's appeal brief, and it is submitted that such request is supported by good cause and should be granted.

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Respectfully submitted,

DORITY & MANNING,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, P.A.

Date: 8/4/03



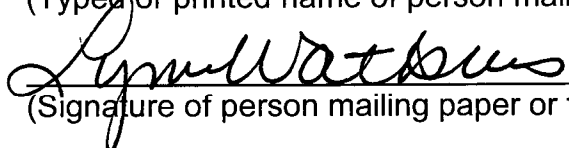
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