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

In re Application of:)
BOYDS COLLECTION, LTD.,)
A MARYLAND CORPORATION)
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Serial No.: 76/003167)
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Filed: March 17, 2000)
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Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks
2900 Crystal Drive
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Attention: Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

THIRD REQUEST UNDER RULE 2.102 TO EXTEND
TIME FOR FILING NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Branch Office, Inc. ("Petitioner"), a U.S. corporation located at 1703 South Park Avenue, Alexandria, Indiana 46001, by and through its attorneys, hereby requests that the time for filing a Notice of Opposition to the above identified application, due November 1, 2002, be extended for a period of sixty (60) days up to and including December 31, 2002.

Petitioner is presently attempting to negotiate an amicable resolution with Applicant. The requested extension is to enable both parties to have sufficient time to resolve their differences prior to the filing (if any) of an Opposition. Applicant's attorney has consented to this request, as

evidenced by the attached letter.

It is submitted that Petitioner has shown good cause for this request and respectfully requests that the extension be granted.

This Request is submitted in triplicate, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 2.012(d).

Respectfully submitted,
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Re: **Opposition to "Bailey and Friends" ITU S.N. 76/003,167**
Our Reference No. 0107/00595

Dear Mr. Moore:

It was a pleasure speaking with you today.

Per our telecon, as counsel for the applicant THE BOYDS COLLECTION, I hereby grant "The Branch Office" an extension for filing an Opposition in the above-identified trademark application.

In light of the protracted negotiations in this matter, I understand that the parties agree on a 60-day extension.

Regards,



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MJC/wpd