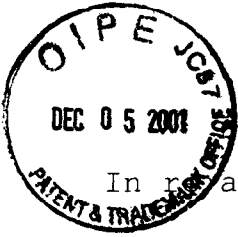


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BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In re application of  
Mike Brown-Grandstands, Inc.

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks  
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Sir:

In connection with the above mark which was published in the OFFICIAL GAZETTE of November 6, 2001, BG plc, BG Group plc, and BG Intellectual Property Limited, through their undersigned attorney, hereby request that the time for filing an opposition be extended by sixty days to February 4, 2002.

An investigation of the facts is underway toward the consideration of and the filing of a Notice of Opposition, including obtaining and reviewing relevant files and documents, corresponding with, requesting and considering further information from the potential opposer and its attorneys who are located in England. However, there is insufficient time to complete these activities and to prepare and file a Notice of Opposition within the time provided by law. It is expected that these activities can be

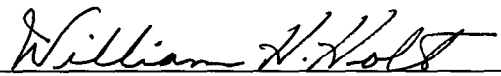
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completed within the extended period requested herein.

This request is submitted in triplicate.

Favorable consideration is courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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