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

In re **Saffron Technology, Inc.**
Applicant

Appl. Ser. No. **76135526**



04-24-2003

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MOTION REQUESTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPLY BRIEF

Applicant/Appellant Saffron Technology, Inc., received a copy of the Examining Attorney's Appeal Brief dated April 8, 2003 wherein the Examining Attorney requested that the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board affirm his Section 2(d) refusal to register Applicant's mark in light of Reg. No. 2188744 for the mark "SAFFRON".

Applicant/Appellant Saffron Technology, Inc., through its attorneys, hereby requests an Extension of Time to File a Reply Brief, pursuant to Section 1203.02(d) of the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board Manual of Procedure, until June 6, 2003. The owner of Reg. No. 2188744 is presently in bankruptcy proceedings, and Applicant/Appellant has recently entered into negotiations with the bankruptcy trustee to obtain either a consent to registration or all right, title and interest in Reg. No. 2188744 from the bankruptcy trustee on behalf of the owner of the mark, thereby obviating the need to continue this appeal.

Respectfully submitted,



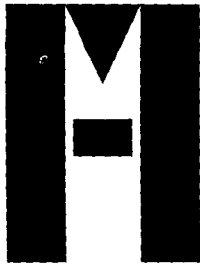
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Re: Proceeding No. 76135526; Motion for an Extension of Time to File a
Reply Brief



Dear Commissioner:

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Enclosed please find the following:

1. Original and duplicate copy of a Motion for an Extension of Time to File a Reply Brief filed by Applicant/Appellant, Saffron Technology, Inc., for the mark "SAFFRONONE", Trademark Application, 76135526;
2. A self-addressed, postage-prepaid postcard. Please stamp the postcard with the filing date and return it to the address indicated.

If there are any questions regarding the enclosed, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures
cc: Saffron Technology, Inc.

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Counsel to the Technology CommunitySM