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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
TO FILE A NOTICE OF OPPOSITION**

Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks  
2900 Crystal Drive  
Arlington, VA 22202-3513

Sir:

In connection with the above-entitled application, Amgen Inc. requests an extension of time in which to file a Notice of Opposition for thirty (30) days, to and including July 20, 2002.

An investigation of the above-identified application has commenced, but has not been completed. This request will allow counsel for potential opposer to complete its investigation of the facts in this action.

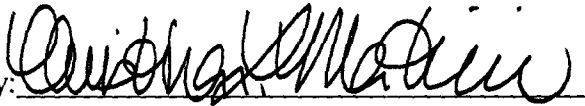
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It is therefore respectfully requested that an extension of time to file a notice of opposition be granted to enable an investigation of the facts to be completed and studied and, if necessary, to prepare and file a Notice of Opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I, Christina L. Martini, one of the attorneys for Amgen Inc., hereby certify that the foregoing Request for Extension of Time to File a Notice of Opposition, in triplicate, was mailed, first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the Hon. Assistant Commissioner of Trademarks, 2900 Crystal Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3513- BOX TTAB on June 20, 2002.



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June 20, 2002

Date of Signature