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On February 2, 2004, the Trademark Examining Attorney submitted a request for remand, a copy of which is attached.

In view of the reasons given therein, the request for remand is granted. Action on the appeal is suspended, and the file is remanded to the Examining Attorney.

If another final refusal ultimately issues, the "six-month response" clause should be crossed out, and the file of this case should be returned to the Board. Action on the appeal will then be resumed; and applicant will be allowed time in which to file its supplemental brief, if so desired.