

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

Pig Improvement Company UK  
Limited and PIC USA, Inc.,

Potential Opposers,

v.

Minitube of America, Inc.

Applicant.

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ANDRO-PIC

Serial No. 76/335

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**CONSENTED TO REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL 60-DAY  
EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE**

Pursuant to Trademark Rule 2.102, Pig Improvement Company UK Limited and PIC USA, Inc., potential opposers herein, through their authorized attorneys, request that they be granted an additional 60-day extension of time in which to oppose registration of the trademark ANDRO-PIC by applicant Minitube of America, Inc. This mark was published for opposition in the *Official Gazette* of the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 11, 2002, as Serial No. 76/335,383, for semen extender and storage medium used in the artificial insemination process for storage of the semen of pigs, cattle, horses and other animals, in International Class 5.

The original opposition period expired on July 11, 2002. Potential opposers requested a 60-day extension of time, extending the deadline to September 9, 2002, and subsequent 30-day extensions of time, extending the current deadline to November 8, 2002. Potential opposers respectfully request that an additional 60-day extension of time be

granted, extending the deadline to January 7, 2003. Counsel for Applicant, Stephen C. Werner, Jr., consented to the extension request both during a November 1, 2002 telephone conversation with and in a November 4, 2002 facsimile letter to the undersigned.

Potential Opposers and Applicant have reached agreement on a settlement of this matter, pursuant to which Applicant has withdrawn its application for registration of the ANDRO-PIC mark. The extension is requested to preserve Potential Opposers' rights with respect to any opposition pending the disposition of Applicant's request for withdrawal of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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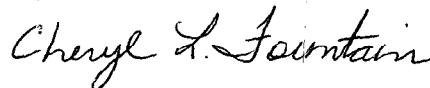
Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed the following:

1. Consented to Request for Additional 60-Day Extension of Time to Oppose;
2. Two copies of same;
3. Postcard for acknowledgment of receipt of same.

Please call Kristina Rosette at 202-662-5173 if you have any questions regarding the foregoing or the enclosed documents.

Very truly yours,



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Enclosure

cc: Kristina Rosette, Esq.