

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re)
Application of:)
NISSAN CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES, LTD.)
Serial No.: 76/352,396) Published December 10, 2002
Filed: December 27, 2001)
Mark: NISSAN)

EIGHTH REQUEST WITH CONSENT FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Commissioner for Trademarks
2900 Crystal Drive
Arlington, VA 22202-3514

Dear Sir or Madam:

Under the provisions of Rule 2.102, Nissan Jidosha Kabushiki Kaisha, also trading as Nissan Motor Co., Ltd., a Japanese corporation with a place of business at No. 2 Takaracho, Kanagawa-ku, Yokohama-shi, Kenawaga-ken Japan; and Nissan North America, Inc., a California corporation, with a place of business at 18501 South Figueroa Street, Gardena, California 90248-4500, respectfully request that the time period for filing a Notice of Opposition be extended for a period of 30 days until and including September 9, 2003.

Applicant's counsel verbally consented to the extension requested.

The extension of time is requested because potential Opposer, Nissan Jidosha Kabushiki Kaisha, also trading as Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. and Nissan North America, Inc. require additional time to complete the investigation of facts concerning the Applicant's mark and actual or potential use of the mark, continue further discussions with Applicant and consider whether or not potential Opposer, Nissan Jidosha Kabushiki Kaisha, also trading as Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. and Nissan North America, Inc. still wish to oppose based on that investigation and discussions.

The request is not being made for the purposes of delay.

Potential Opposer Nissan Jidosha Kabushiki Kaisha, also trading as Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. hereby appoints Rhea Caras of Nissan North America, Inc., 18501 South Figueroa Street, Gardena, California 90248-4500, (310) 771-5906, as its domestic representative upon whom notices and process in proceedings affecting this application may be served.

This request is being filed in triplicate pursuant to §2.103(d).

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 6, 2003 By: Rhea Caras
Attorney for Potential Opposer
Nissan Jidosha Kabushiki Kaisha,
also trading as Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. and
Nissan North America, Inc.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the foregoing correspondence was placed in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, 2900 Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA 22202-3513, deposited with the United States Postal Service, and sent Express Mail - Post Office to Addressee, on this 6th day of August, 2003.

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing please find the following:

1. Eighth Request for Extension of Time to File Notice of Opposition; and
2. Certificate of Mailing.

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact me at (310) 771-5278.

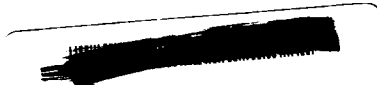
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Enclosures

cc: R. Caras



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