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REQUEST FOR NINETY-DAY
EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE

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Commissioner for Trademarks
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Sir:

Star Systems, Inc., a corporation of the state of Delaware, having a principal place of business at 401 West "A" Street, Suite 600, San Diego, California 92101, hereby requests a ninety-day extension of time in which to oppose the above-identified application.

Star Systems, Inc., is the owner of a host of U.S. trademarks including the word "STAR" for a variety of financial services and the owner of U.S. registration 2,288,441 for the mark **STAR STATION** for "integration of computer systems and networks; providing multiple user access to global information network for the transfer and dissemination of a wide range of information" and U.S. application 78/068,146 for the mark **STAR UNIVERSAL TERMINAL** for "debit and credit card terminals; credit card readers; smart

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cards/microprocessing chip readers, check MICR readers for the purposes of conducting electronic payments.”


This request is necessary in order to enable Star Systems, Inc. to evaluate the likelihood of confusion between its marks and the mark for which applicant seeks registration. Granting of this request will extend the deadline for opposition to April 30, 2003.

This Request is being submitted in triplicate, as required by 37 CFR § 2.102(d).

Respectfully submitted,

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