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First 90 Day Request for Extension of Time to Oppose for Good Cause

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 2.102, Zimmer Technology, Inc., 150 Wacker Drive, Suite 1200, Chicago, IL 60606, UNITED STATES, a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware, respectfully requests that it be granted a 90-day extension of time to file a notice of opposition against the above-identified mark for cause shown.

Potential opposer believes that good cause is established for this request by:

- The potential opposer needs additional time to investigate the claim

The time within which to file a notice of opposition is set to expire on 01/19/2006. Zimmer Technology, Inc. respectfully requests that the time period within which to file an opposition be extended until 04/19/2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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