

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

In re Application of:) Trademark Attorney: A. Gustason
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Serial No.: 76/659,857) Law Office: 117
Filed: May 9, 2006) Our File Ref.: CXP-116-TM
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REQUEST FOR SUSPENSION AND REMAND FOR FURTHER EXAMINATION
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR SECTION 2.142(d)

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Honorable Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 2.142(d), Applicant requests that the subject appeal be suspended and that the subject application be remanded for further examination of additional timely materials on file but not yet considered.

Specifically, the sole outstanding issue is a refusal based on a likelihood of confusion based on U.S. Registration No. 3,132,159. A Petition for Cancellation of U.S. Registration No. 3,132,159 was filed November 30, 2007 via Express Mail. When properly considered, and, if accepted, such cancellation would place the subject application in complete condition for approval for issuance of a formal Notice of Publication. Thus, the present appeal would be rendered moot. As of this writing, there has been no consideration of such materials.

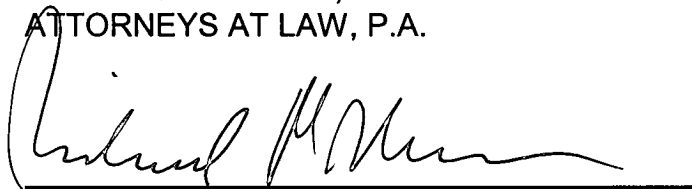
Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that suspension of the subject appeal and remand of the subject application for further examination is the more efficient use

of the PTO examination and administrative resources. Accordingly, suspension and remand are requested, for consideration of the petition referenced hereinabove.

In the alternative, suspension only of the subject appeal is requested, until a ruling on the above-indicated Cancellation Petition, as grant of such Petition would render moot the present appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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