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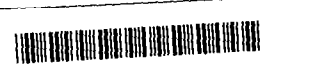
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION**

Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks
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Sir:

Your Petitioner, BIG O TIRES, INC., a corporation of the State of Nevada, located and doing business at 12650 East Briarwood Avenue, Englewood, Colorado 80112, through its undersigned counsel, hereby respectfully requests an extension of time, to and including **September 7, 2002**, to file a Notice of Opposition against the above-identified application.

The extension is needed to allow Petitioner to continue its investigation to determine if opposition is warranted, to confer with counsel, and to prepare the opposition papers, if necessary.

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This request is not made for the purpose of unduly delaying proceedings in the Patent and Trademark Office.

This request is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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