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The request to extend time to oppose is granted until 11/4/2006 on behalf of potential opposer Association of MBA Executives Inc.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board at (571)272-8500 if you have any questions relating to this extension.

## New Developments at the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

TTAB forms for electronic filing of extensions of time to oppose, notices of opposition, petition for cancellation, notice of ex parte appeal, and inter partes filings are now available at <a href="http://estta.uspto.gov">http://estta.uspto.gov</a>. Images of TTAB proceeding files can be viewed using TTABVue at <a href="http://ttabvue.uspto.gov">http://ttabvue.uspto.gov</a>.

Parties should also be aware of changes in the rules affecting trademark matters, including rules of practice before the TTAB. See Rules of Practice for Trademark-Related Filings Under the Madrid Protocol Implementation Act, 68 Fed. R. 55,748 (September 26, 2003) (effective November 2, 2003) Reorganization of Correspondence and Other Provisions, 68 Fed. Reg. 48,286 (August 13, 2003) (effective September 12, 2003). Notices concerning the rules changes are available at www.uspto.gov.