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Applicant:	Ventana Medical Systems, Inc.
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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, Bayer HealthCare LLC, 100 Bayer Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15205, UNITED STATES, a Limited liability company, 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 01/11/2007. Bayer HealthCare LLC respectfully requests that the time period within which to file an opposition be extended until 04/11/2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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