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In re Universal Display Corporation

Ex Parte Appeal No. 90357339

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Appellant's notice of appeal was filed on July 21, 2022 and Appellant has sought and been granted numerous extensions of time to file its appeal brief because Appellant's counsel has been preparing for and is beginning an emergency injunction hearing on a trademark infringement case in the Southern District of Florida, and in view of an emergency injunction hearing, and preparation for the hearing, including depositions, and witness preparation, this has impacted Appellant counsel's ability to help Appellant resolve the appeal as suggested by the Examining Attorney and/or, in the alternative, to meet the briefing deadline set by the Board's last order.

On August 10, 2023, Appellant filed a subsequent request to extend time to file its appeal brief because Appellant's counsel now has a new unavoidable emergency. Appellant's counsel time has been unexpectedly and emergently absorbed by his family obligations, and plans to work with Appellant to meet the requirements of either an allowance or filing a brief have been completely undermined and proved impossible to carry out.

Based on the totality of circumstances, the instant request is granted to the extent that Appellant is allowed until **September 10, 2023** in which to file its brief, but no further extensions will be granted except for extraordinary circumstances. *See* Trademark Trial and Appeal Board Manual of Procedure (TBMP) § 1203.02(d).