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Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
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Opposition No. 121,151

AMERICAN HONDA MOTOR CO.,
INC.

v.

TBC CORPORATION

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The procedural history of this case is summarized in the December 13, 2002 Board order, and will not be repeated herein. However, it appears that the December 13, 2002 Board order crossed in the mail with opposer's combined motions (filed December 15, 2002) to suspend proceedings and extend discovery for opposer, which motions now are ready for consideration.¹

Applicant has opposed the motions, and opposer has filed a reply, which the Board has considered.² See Trademark Rule 2.127(a).

The December 13, 2002 Board order moots opposer's motion to suspend to the extent opposer seeks suspension pending the disposition of the motions underlying said

¹ Discovery, as last reset, was scheduled to close on December 15, 2002.

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order. With regard to opposer's motion to extend discovery only for itself, the Board notes that opposer's argument in support of the motion is virtually non-existent.

Accordingly, the motion to extend is denied for failure to establish the requisite good cause. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 6(b).

Dates remain as set in the September 4, 2002 Board order.

² The reply is in the nature of a conditional withdrawal of the motion. However, as the condition has not yet been met, the Board now rules on the underlying motion to extend.