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Trademark Trial and Appeal Board  
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Opposition No. 91-122,939

ANHEUSER-BUSCH,  
INCORPORATED

v.

TY NANT SPRING WATER  
LIMITED

**Peter Cataldo, Interlocutory Attorney**

On March 29, 2002, the Board issued an order allowing applicant thirty days in which to show cause why default judgment should not be entered against it in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 55(b) for failure to file an answer in this proceeding.

On April 29, 2002, applicant filed a response indicating that it had timely served its answer to the notice of opposition. Applicant submitted therewith a copy of its answer, along with a request for suspension of the instant proceeding pending possible settlement negotiations between the parties herein.<sup>1</sup>

In view of the foregoing, the March 29, 2002 notice of default is hereby set aside, and applicant's answer

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<sup>1</sup> The Board notes that it is not in receipt of applicant's originally filed answer.

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(originally filed via certificate of first class mail dated July 2, 2001) is accepted and made of record. See TBMP § 317.02 and the authorities cited therein.

Because the parties are negotiating for a possible settlement of this case, proceedings herein are suspended until six months from the mailing date of this action, subject to the right of either party to request resumption at any time. See Trademark Rule 2.117(c).

In the event that there is no word from either party concerning the progress of their negotiations within the next six months, the Board will issue an order resuming proceedings and resetting appropriate dates.

If, during the suspension period, either of the parties or their attorneys should have a change of address, the Board should be so informed.