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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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Mario Valentino S.p.A.	:	
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Opposer,	:	
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v.	:	
	:	Opposition No. 150,652
Mario Valente Collezioni, Ltd.	:	
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Applicant.	:	

OPPOSER'S MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO RESPOND TO APPLICANT'S SECOND SET OF INTERROGATORIES

On February 6, 2004, Applicant served by mail, its Second Set of Interrogatories, with the due date being March 12, 2004. Opposer is a company located in Italy, and in addition to its United States counsel of record, Opposer requires the assistance of a law firm in Italy to prosecute this proceeding. Accordingly, Opposer requires an additional period of thirty days in which to respond to this set of interrogatories.

Prior to filing the instant motion, Opposer had contacted Applicant and requested that Applicant agree to the extension request being sought by the instant motion, and that Opposer would agree to any extension request that Applicant reasonably requested in return for Opposer's request. Applicant declined this request.

Accordingly, Opposer respectfully requests that the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

grant the request by Opposer herein, namely that Opposer have to and including April 12, 2004, in which to respond to Applicant's Second Set of Interrogatories.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: March 11, 2004

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that an original of the foregoing Opposer's Motion To Extend Time To Respond To Applicant's Second Set Of Interrogatories is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in a postage prepaid envelope addressed to: Box TTAB -- FEE, Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks, 2900 Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA 22202-3513 on March 11, 2004.

Dated: March 11, 2004
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Julius Rabinowitz

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Opposer's Motion To Extend Time To Respond To Applicant's Second Set Of Interrogatories was served on March 11, 2004, by telecopy, followed by first class mail, addressed as follows:

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