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Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
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Opposition No. **91/156,531**

Verilux, Inc.

v.

Linaya Gail Hahn

Andrew P. Baxley, Interlocutory Attorney:

Applicant's motion (filed July 14, 2003) to extend time to answer is hereby granted as conceded.¹ See Trademark Rule 2.127(a). Applicant is allowed until **forty days** from the mailing date of this order to file her answer.

Discovery and trial dates remain as set.

¹ It is noted that applicant has filed her July 15, 2003 communication three times and her motion to extend time to answer twice. The multiple filings are an unnecessary drain of Board resources and should be avoided.

It is further noted that proposed dates should not be included in unconsented motions to extend. The better practice is to request an extension of a specified length to run from the date of the Board's decision on the motion to extend. See TBMP Section 509.02.