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

ARGUS INDUSTRIES, INC.,
a California corporation

Opposer,

v.

TARGUS GROUP INTERNATIONAL,
INC., a California corporation,

Applicant.

Opposition No. 91156626

In the matter of application Serial No. 76/271704

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APPLICANT'S ANSWER TO NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

The Applicant named in the Opposition, Targus Group International, Inc. ("Applicant"), answers the Notice of Opposition ("Notice") filed by Opposer, Argus Industries, Inc. ("Opposer"), as follows, addressing the numbered grounds for opposition *seriatim*.

1. Answering Paragraph 1, Applicant has insufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the allegations contained therein and, therefore, denies them.

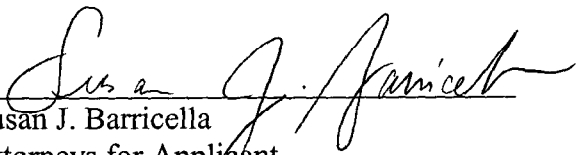
2. Answering Paragraph 2, Applicant has insufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the allegations contained therein and, therefore, denies them.

3. Answering Paragraph 3, Applicant denies each and every allegation contained therein.

WHEREFORE, Applicant urges that the Opposition be dismissed with prejudice to the
Opposer.

Respectfully submitted,
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