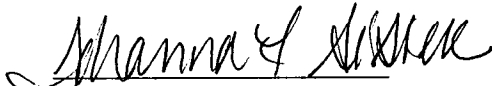


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Beringer Blass Wine Estates Company,

Opposer

v.

Robert L. Lieff,

Applicant

Trademark Application

Serial Nos. 76/433153, 76/433154

Filed: July 19, 2002

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Marks: LIEFF AUBERGE ROAD
VINEYARD,
AUBERGE ROAD VINEYARD

Opposition No. 91158121

**MOTION ON CONSENT TO
EXTEND TIME TO FILE ANSWER**

Pursuant to F.R.C.P. 6(b) and TBMP § 509, Applicant, Robert L. Lieff, with the consent of the Opposer, hereby moves to extend the deadline to file an Answer to the Notice of Opposition by two months from November 25, 2003 to January 25, 2004.

Opposer's counsel, Gary Krugman, consented to the extension by electronic mail on November 10, 2003.

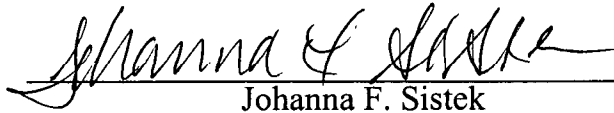
Good cause exists for the granting of this motion. The parties are engaged in settlement negotiations, and need additional time to conclude the negotiations.

Two additional copies of this motion are enclosed, pursuant to TBMP §502.02, so that if the motion is approved, it may be stamped and forwarded to each party.

Respectfully submitted,

DATED: November 24, 2003.

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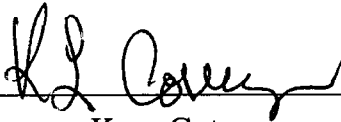
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Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed for filing with the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office are the following materials in regard to the above-referenced trademark opposition:

1. Applicant's Motion on Consent to Extend Time to Answer;
2. A self-addressed stamped postal acknowledgement card.

Please acknowledge receipt of the enclosed materials by date-stamping and returning the enclosed postal-acknowledgment card.

Sincerely,

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