

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
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Mailed: June 7, 2005

Opposition No. 91161941

International Medical Group,  
Inc.

v.

Americom Life and Annuity  
Insurance Company

Cindy B. Greenbaum, Attorney:

Opposer's motion for discovery pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 56(f) is uncontested by applicant, and therefore granted as conceded.

Accordingly, applicant has until THIRTY DAYS from the mailing date of this order to provide complete responses to opposer's Document Request Nos. 6, 7 and 8, and opposer has until SIXTY DAYS from the mailing date of this order to notice and take the 30(b)(6) deposition of applicant, said deposition to be limited solely to the issues raised in applicant's summary judgment motion.

In addition, the proposed protective agreement, attached to opposer's 56(f) motion, is hereby approved and entered. The parties are referred, as appropriate, to TBMP Sections 412.03 (Signature of Protective Order), 412.04

(Filing Confidential Materials With Board), 412.05 (Handling of Confidential Materials by Board).

The parties are advised that only confidential or trade secret information should be filed pursuant to a protective agreement. Such an agreement may not be used as a means of circumventing paragraphs (d) and (e) of 37 CFR Section 2.27, which provide, in essence, that the file of a published application or issued registration, and all proceeding relating thereto, should otherwise be available for public inspection.

Opposer has until NINETY DAYS from the mailing date of this order to respond to the pending summary judgment motion, and applicant has until FIFTEEN DAYS from the date of service of opposer's response to file a reply, if any.

Proceedings remain otherwise suspended.