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Opposition No. 91164983

The Stephan Co.

v.

E.T. Browne Drug Co., Inc.

Monique Tyson, Paralegal Specialist:

The motion (filed September 30, 2005) to suspend the proceeding pending final determination of a civil action between the parties is hereby granted as well taken. It is the policy of the Board to suspend proceedings when the parties are involved in a civil action, which may be dispositive of or have a bearing on the Board case. See Trademark Rule 2.117(a).

Accordingly, proceedings are suspended pending final disposition of the civil action between the parties.

Within twenty days after the final determination of the civil action, the interested party should notify the Board so that this case may be called up for appropriate action. During the suspension period the Board should be

notified of any address changes for the parties or their attorneys.