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

Proceeding	91245759
Party	Plaintiff Schein OrthopÃ©die Service KG
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only involving the United States, yet the parties still are progressing towards a final agreement.

4. All communications take longer than in a typical proceeding because a) Opposer is located in Germany, b) Opposer's primary counsel is located in Germany, and c) Opposer's US counsel is located in New York. In addition, a) Applicant is located in Hong Kong, b) Applicant also works through a Germany attorney because some negotiations take place in that country, and c) Applicant's US counsel is located in Los Angeles.
5. To date, no discovery has been served in this opposition because the parties have been discussing settlement from the beginning and believed that the case could be resolved without undue burdens and expenses, though as mentioned, the Discovery Conference has been conducted and Initial Disclosures have been exchanged.
6. Counsel for Applicant has consented to the granting of this Motion.

Wherefore, Opposer respectfully requests that proceedings be suspended 60 days as set forth above.

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