

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
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Opposition No. 92043941

S.C. Farmec S.A.

v.

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Janice D. Hyman, Paralegal Specialist:

Registrant's consented motion filed January 10, 2005 to extend time to file its answer to the petition to cancel is hereby granted and registrant's answer filed February 14, 2005 accepted as timely filed.

Registrant also filed, on February 16, 2005, a consented motion to suspend proceedings.

Because the parties are negotiating for possible settlement of this case, the motion is granted and proceedings herein are suspended until six months from the mailing date of this action, subject to the right of either party to request resumption at any time. See Trademark Rule 2.117(c).

In the event that there is no word from either party concerning the progress of their negotiations within the next six months, the Board will issue an order resuming proceedings and resetting trial dates, including the time for discovery.

If, during the suspension period, either of the parties or their attorneys should have a change of address, the Board should be so informed.¹