

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE DIRECTOR

LEMANS CORPORATION

Opposer/Petitioner,

v.

LEMAR XAVIER LEWIS

Applicant/Respondent.

Decision on 37 C.F.R. § 2.145(e) Request
for Extension of Time to Appeal

Opposition No. 91214578
Mark: THORO/Serial No. 85/956,925

Opposition No. 91226723
Mark: THÖRÖ/Serial No. 86/367,828

Cancellation No. 92063552
Mark: THORO (stylized)
Registration No. 3,206,498

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

On June 19, 2017, the Applicant/Respondent in these consolidated opposition and cancellation proceedings, LeMar Xavier Lewis, filed a request for an extension of time to appeal the April 26, 2017, decision of the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board. The April 26 decision denied his request for reconsideration of the Board's November 30, 2016, final decision in the consolidated case. Applicant/Respondent, who has been proceeding *pro se*, states that he needs the additional time to seek sufficient legal representation regarding this appeal. The request for extension did not state the length of the extension requested.

Under 37 C.F.R. § 2.145(e), the Director may, for good cause, extend the time to appeal, if the request is made in writing before the time for filing such appeal expires. Under 37 C.F.R. § 2.145(d)(1), the time to appeal expires sixty-three (63) days after the date of the Board decision from which appeal is taken. The Board denied Applicant/Respondent's Request for Reconsideration on April 26, 2017, and any request

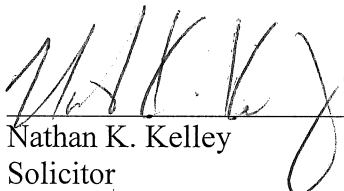
for extension of time was due on or before June 28, 2017. Thus, Applicant/Respondent's June 19, 2017, request for extension of time is timely.

Further, Applicant/Respondent states that he needs the additional time to seek legal counsel for appeal. It therefore appears that there is good cause for the requested extension.

Accordingly, the request is GRANTED. Applicant/Respondent may have an additional thirty (30) days from the date of this order, through and including **August 4, 2017**, to appeal the Board's April 26, 2017, decision.

JOSEPH MATAL,
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