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Dear Sir

Australian Trade Mark Application No. 704779 in the name of Veuve Clicquot Ponsardin, Maison fondé en 1772 for COLOUR ORANGE in classes 32 and 33

We enclose the following documents:

- Application for an extension of time under section 224;
- 2 Statutory Declaration in support;
- 3 our cheque for \$130 being the prescribed fees.

Yours faithfully

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Application for an Extension of Time under Section 224

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IN THE MATTER of Australian Trade Mark Application No. 704779 in the name of VEUVE CLICQUOT PONSARDIN

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IN THE MATTER of the examiner's objection thereto

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, JOHN PATRICK HUMPHRYS BARKER, of 101 Collins Street, Melbourne, Victoria 3000, Solicitor, DO SOLEMNLY AND SINCERELY DECLARE as follows:

- I am a solicitor in the employ of Freehill Hollingdale & Page, the trade mark attorneys for the Applicant in relation to this application. I am authorised to make this Statutory Declaration on behalf of the Applicant.
- I make this Statutory Declaration from my own knowledge.
- This application was filed on 19 March 1996. The examiner's first report was dated 16 January 1997, giving a due date for acceptance of this application of 16 April 1998.
- The date for acceptance of this application was extended on a number of occasions by the Trade Marks Office without application by the Applicant in acknowledgment of the delays of the Trade Marks Office and the fact that the examiner had altered the basis for his objection after several reports had already been received and responded to. The current due date for acceptance of this application is 16 January 1998.
- The examiner's ninth and final report was dated 13 November 1998. Shortly after the receipt of this report, on 2 December 1998, the Applicant sought a hearing of this application. This application will now be heard in Melbourne on 3 February 1998.
- The Trade Marks Office has advised that the due date for acceptance of a trade mark must occur at least one month after the date of the hearing of that application. Consequently, IP Australia

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the Applicant requests that the due date for acceptance of this application for a further period of two months to 16 March 1999.

- As the due date for acceptance has been extended by a period of more than 21 months, the Applicant is required, pursuant to Regulation 4.12 of the Trade Marks Regulations 1995, to make an application under Section 224 of the Trade Marks Act 1995 for an extension of the due date for acceptance of this trade mark application.
- For the reasons set out above, I believe, and I am aware that the applicant believes, that special circumstances exist for the granting of a further extension of the due date for acceptance of this matter.

AND I MAKE THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION believing the same to be true and correct in every particular.

DECLARED by the said

JOHN PATRICK HUMPHRYS BARKER

in the State of Victoria

this 14th day of JANUARY 1999

Before me:

MARK HEINRICH KRENZER

Freehill Hollingdale & Page 101 Collins Street 'Aelbourr e A natural person who is a current practitioner within the meaning of the Legal Practice Act 1996.