

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE DIRECTOR

In re:

CORDUA RESTAURANTS, LP

Applicant

Decision on Request for Extension of Time  
to Seek Judicial Review under 37 C.F.R.  
§ 2.145(e)

App. Ser. No. 85214191  
Mark: CHURRASCOS (Stylized)

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

On May 22, 2014, Applicant Cordua Restaurants, LP (“Applicant”), filed a request for an extension of time of one hundred twenty (120) days to seek judicial review of the decision of the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board, dated March 24, 2014, in this matter, refusing registration of the above-referenced mark.

Under 37 C.F.R. § 2.145(e), the Director may extend the time for seeking judicial review for good cause if the request is made in writing before the time for seeking judicial review expires. Under 37 C.F.R. § 2.145(d), the time for seeking judicial review expires two months after the date of the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board’s decision in the case. The Board decision at issue was mailed on March 24, 2014, so this request for an extension of time to seek judicial review of that ruling is timely.

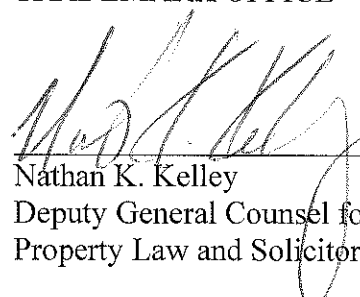
Further, Applicant, through its current counsel, states that it has only recently obtained new counsel, who needs additional time to evaluate the case, and gather evidence and information. It therefore appears that there is good cause for the requested one hundred twenty (120) day extension of time to seek judicial review.

Accordingly, the request is GRANTED. Applicant has an additional one hundred twenty (120) days, through and including September 22, 2014, to seek review of the Board's decision.

MICHELLE LEE,  
DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY OF  
COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL  
PROPERTY AND DEPUTY DIRECTOR  
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