

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MULTI-COLOR CORPORATION
Petitioner

v.

BROOK & WHITTLE LIMITED
Patent Owner

PGR2025-00025
Patent No. 11,961,422

**JOINT MOTION TO HOLD THE PROCEEDINGS IN ABEYANCE AND
MOTION TO MODIFY DUE DATES 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, AND 8**

Pursuant to the Board’s March 30, 2026 Order, Patent Owner Brook & Whittle Limited (“Patent Owner”), and Petitioner Multi-Color Corporation (“Petitioner”) hereby jointly move to hold the proceedings in abeyance. The parties also jointly stipulate and move to extend DUE DATES 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8. As requested by the Board, regarding DUE DATE 8 (oral argument), the parties propose a date in the following range: August 7 or 11–14, 2026.

DUE DATES 2, 3, 5, and 6 may be extended by stipulation under the Scheduling Order. *See* Paper 15 at 5. DUE DATES 4, 7 and 8 may not be extended by stipulation under the Scheduling Order. *See id.* Therefore, pursuant to the Scheduling Order, the parties jointly conferred with the Board on March 27, 2026. *See* Paper 15 at 9–12. As the Board and the parties discussed during that conference, the basis for the requested extension is Petitioner’s ongoing bankruptcy proceedings. The parties believe that a temporary stay for six weeks or as long as required to complete the bankruptcy proceedings is warranted and in the interests of the parties and the Board. The Parties have agreed to the following DUE DATES consistent with the Board’s guidance:

Due Date	Action	Current Date	New Date
2	Petitioner Reply	April 29, 2026	June 10, 2026
3	Patent Owner Sur-Reply	June 10, 2026	July 22, 2026
4	Request for Oral Argument	May 6, 2026	June 17, 2026
5	Motion to Exclude Evidence	May 27, 2026	July 8, 2026
6	Opposition to Motion to Exclude Evidence	June 3, 2026	July 15, 2026
7	Reply to Motion to Exclude Evidence	June 10, 2026	July 22, 2026

The Parties agree to inform the Board of any updates in the bankruptcy proceedings that would impact the schedule. This stipulation and motion is being filed by counsel for Patent Owner with counsel for Petitioner's approval.

Dated: March 31, 2026

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing document, including any exhibits filed therewith, were served on the 31st day of March, 2026, via electronic mail directed to counsel of record for the Petitioners:

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