IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Stache et al.
Serial No.: 930,194
Group No.: 125
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For: CORTICOID 17-(ALKYL CARBONATES) AND PROCESSES
FOR THEIR PREPARATION

530 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10036
January 28, 1980

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for replying to the pending Official Action mailed October 30, 1979 in the above-identified application be extended for one month, i.e. from January 30, 1980 to February 29, 1980.

No previous Request for an Extension of Time to reply to the pending Action has been filed.

Copies of the Official Action and of any references cited were forwarded to the applicants, who are residents of a foreign country, shortly after receipt thereof by counsel. The applicants have since forwarded comments concerning the pending Action, which comments, however, have required further correspondence between counsel and the applicants.

Final and definitive instructions for responding to the pending Action have not yet been received.

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of the above-named document.

Donald R. Rentz, Esq.

[Signature]

[Date: January 28, 1980]
The requested extension of time is to permit receipt of such instructions and the preparation and filing of an appropriate response thereafter.

A copy of this Request and a stamped, self-addressed envelope are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner in replying.

Respectfully submitted,
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