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 Applicant(s) : Lin ZHEN-MAN`
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 For : **Surface Treatment of SARS-Infected Lungs**

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Dear Sir/Madam,

This letter is about the "Notice Requiring Extension of Time Fee" of First examination Office Action under 37 CFR 1.8 (b)(1).

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But the office's notice that the "date in" for filing applicant's reply on Jan.10, 06 and the correspondence of First examination Office Action mailed on Sep.31, 2005 , so the office was determined that the applicant was ten days overdue and out of time period for reply and it was wrongly determined under the 37 CFR 1.10. The office obviously did not take into account the delay due to oversea posting.


Besides, Dec.31, 2005, Jan.01, 2006 and Jan. 02, 2006 are holidays in Hong Kong, under the 37 CFR 1.7, the deadline of "date in" to filing of correspondence the office which should be extended after the day of Jan. 04, 2006. Please to see the Certificate of "Posting of Registered Packed" that was shown at the left.

Because the Examiner had not to point out the new time period is provided in the Office Action Summary, under the

"Time period for reply to an Office action" of 37 CFR 1.134, a maximum period of six months are allowed and the examiner must consider and respond to my letter that was sent on Oct. 12, 2005 under MPEP §704.14(b) and 37 CFR 41.39 & 41.43, but they did not, so the applicant has difficulty in replying this First examination Office Action in deadline.

If the office does not agree with the explanations and apply of above-mentioned, in addition, as per telecommunicate with your staff on Monday, 5th March 06, I will attach a Credit Card Payment Form for payment the USD \$110 required for extension of time fee pursuant to § 1.136(a).

Respectfully Submitted,




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