

## OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL

UNITED HOME PRODUCTS, INC., Opposer-Appellant,

- versus -

RICARDO BRITO, Respondent-Appellee. Appeal No. 14-2012-0065 IPC No. 14-2011-00387 Opposition to: TM App. No. 4-2011-003074 Date Filed: 17 March 2011

Trademark: "UNI-HOME"

## ORDER

On 18 February 2013, this Office issued an Order referring the present case to the Intellectual Property Office Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Services, in accordance with Office Order No. 154, Series of 2010, or the Rules of Procedure for IPO Mediation Proceedings.

On 06 June 2013, the IPOPHL ADR Services furnished this Office with the original copy of the Join Motion to Approve Compromise Agreement, executed by the Parties on 16 May 2013, as well as the corresponding Mediator's Report.

The COMPROMISE AGREEMENT states in part that:

1. Opposer-Appellant hereby withdraws its opposition to Respondent-Appellee's Trademark Application No. 4-2011disinfectants; preparations for killing weeds and destroying vermin.

Class 10 – Surgical, medical, dental and veterinary instruments and apparatus (including artificial limbs, eyes and teeth).

3. Respondent-Appellee undertakes not to use and apply in the future the registration of the mark "UNI-HOME" for any and all goods falling under Class 03, Class 05 and Class 10 of the International Classification of Goods.

The present appeal involving the Appellant's opposition to the Appellee's Trademark Application No. 4-2011-003074 for the mark "UNI-HOME", as referred to in the Joint Motion to Approve the Compromise Agreement, this Office takes notice of the Appellant's undertaking to no longer pursue the instant appeal.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the COMPROMISE AGREEMENT is hereby noted and included in the records of this case. Accordingly, the appeal is hereby **DISMISSED**. Let a copy of this Order and the records of this case be furnished and returned to the Bureau of Legal Affairs for appropriate action. Further, let the IPOPHL ADR Service and the library of the Documentation, Information and Technology Transfer Bureau be furnished a copy of this Order for information, guidance, and records purposes.

SO ORDERED.

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