

APPLE, INC.,

Opposer,

IPC No. 14-2011-00441

Opposition to:

-versus-

Appln. Serial No. 4-2010-013364 Date Filed: 09 December 2010 TM: U-SAVE AND LOGO

RICARDO L. BRITO,

Respondent-Applicant.

ORDER

On 02 February 2012, the Hearing Officer referred the case to mediation pursuant to Office Order No. 154, s. 2010 and Office Order No. 197, s. 2010. The Alternative Dispute Resolution Services of this Bureau submitted on 14 June 2012 the Manifestation and Motion of the Opposer, dated 11 June 2012. The Opposer moves that the trademark application be deemed abandoned and the case be deemed moot solely on account thereof. Attached to the Manifestation and Motion is the letter of the Respondent-Applicant to the Bureau of Trademarks also dated 11 June 2012, to wit:

I hereby respectfully manifest that I am no longer interested in registering the "U-SAVE AND LOGO" trademark, covered by the above mentioned trademark application, or from otherwise pursuing my trademark application therefor.

Accordingly, I hereby respectfully request that this letter be included in the filewrapper of Trademark Application Serial No. 4-2010-013364 for "U-SAVE AND LOGO" and that said application be deemed by the Bureau of Trademarks as abandoned.

With the express withdrawal or abandonment by the Respondent-Applicant of Trademark Application Serial No. 4-2010-013364, there is no more reason or basis to proceed with this case.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the Opposer's motion is hereby GRANTED. Accordingly, the instant opposition case is hereby **DISMISSED**. Let the file wrapper of Trademark Application Serial No. 4-2010-013364 be returned, together with copies of this Order and the Respondent-Applicant's letter dated 11 June 2012, to the Bureau of Trademarks for information and appropriate action.

SO ORDERED.

Taguig City, 19 July 2012.

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