

SUYEN CORPORATION,

Opposer,

IPC No. 14-2013-00088 Opposition to:

- versus -

Appln. No. 4-2003-008076 Date Filed: 4 July 2012

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY,

Respondent-Applicant.

Trademark: STICK & REFRESH

Order No. 2013- 234 (D)

ORDER

SUYEN CORPORATION ("Opposer"), filed on 29 April 2013 an opposition to Trademark Application Serial No. 4-2003-008076. The application, filed by THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY ("Respondent-Applicant"), covers the mark "STICK & REFRESH" for use on goods under Classes 3 and 5.

This Bureau issued a Notice to Answer dated 05 June 2013 and served upon copy thereof to Respondent-Applicant on 11 June 2013. The Respondent-Applicant filed his Answer on 18 September 2013.

In compliance to Office Order No. 154, s. 2010 ("Rules of Procedure for IPO Mediation Proceedings") and Office Order No. 197, s. 2010 ("Mechanics for IPO Mediation Settlement Period"), this Bureau issued on 02 October 2013 Order No. 2011-222 referring the case to mediation.

On 28 November 2013, the Respondent-Applicant filed a Manifestation stating that it is no longer interested in pursuing its application for registration of the trademark STICK & REFRESH.

Accordingly, with the withdrawal by the Respondent-Applicant of its trademark application, there is no more reason nor basis to proceed with this case.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the instant opposition case is hereby DISMISSED.

Let the filewrapper of Trademark Registration No. 4-2003-008076 be returned, together with a copy of this Order to the Bureau of Trademarks (BOT) for information and appropriate action.

SO ORDERED.

Taguig City, 05 December 2013.

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