

MONDE NISSIN CORPORATION,	}	IPC NO. 14-2015-00221
Opposer,	}	Opposition to:
- versus -	}	Application Serial No. M/0000/01160699
	}	Date Filed: 27 February 2013
LES AMIS HOLDINGS PTE. LTD.,	}	Trademark: NAMNAM NOODLE BAR
Respondent-Applicant.	}	
Xx		Order No. 2015 - <u>228</u> (D)

ORDER

MONDE NISSIN CORPORATION ("Opposer"), filed on 06 May 2015 an opposition to Trademark Application Serial No. M/0000/01160699. The application filed by LES AMIS HOLDINGS PTE. LTD., ("Respondent-Applicant"), covers the mark "NAMNAM NOODLE BAR" for use on goods under Class 43. The opposition is anchored on Section 123.1 (d) of R.A. No. 8293, also known as the Intellectual Property Code of the Philippines ("IP Code").

This Bureau issued a Notice to Answer and served a copy thereof to the Respondent-Applicant on 15 July 2015. The Respondent-Applicant, however, failed to file an Answer.

On 24 November 2015, the Respondent-Applicant filed a Manifestation stating that it has already withdrawn at the WIPO the Philippine designation of International Trademark Registration No. 1160699 for "NAMNAM NOODLE BAR".

Accordingly, with the withdrawal by the Respondent-Applicant of its trademark application, there is no more reason or basis to proceed with this case.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the instant opposition case is hereby DISMISSED. Let the filewrapper of Trademark Application Serial No. M/0000/01160699 be returned, together with a copy of this Order to the Bureau of Trademark (BOT) for information and appropriate action.

SO ORDERED.

Taguig City, 16 December 2015.

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