



VIRGIN ENTERPRISES LIMITED,	}	IPC No. 14-2016-00650
Opposer,	}	Opposition to:
	}	
-versus-	}	Application No. 4-2016-00009821
	}	Date Filed: 17 August 2016
HONG CHENGSHANG,	}	
Respondent-Applicant.	}	Trademark: VIRGIN VANILLA
x-----x	x	Order No. 2017 - <u>31</u> (D)

ORDER

VIRGIN ENTERPRISES LIMITED (“Opposer”) filed on 24 January 2017 a Manifestation stating, among other things, that:

“2. x x x Opposer respectfully manifests that it will no longer file its Verified Opposition due to lack of material time to comply with the formalities under our rules, particularly the consularized Verification/Certification of Non-Forum Shopping and/or consularized affidavit of its witness(es).

“3. Notwithstanding the withdrawal of this opposition, Opposer respectfully and expressly reserves its right to take any further and/or alternative actions (e.g. file petition for cancellation) to preserve all its rights sought to be protected by filing this opposition.”

With the Opposer's manifestation that it will no longer file its Verified Opposition, there is no more factual or legal basis to proceed with this case.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the instant case is hereby **DISMISSED**. Let the filewrapper of Trademark Application No. 4-2016-00009821 be returned, together with a copy of this Order and the Opposer's Manifestation to the Bureau of Trademarks for information and appropriate action.

SO ORDERED.

Taguig City, **07 FEB 2017**

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