

SHARP KABUSHIKI KAISHA also	}	IPC No. 14-2012-00596
trading as SHARP CORPORATION,	}	
Opposer,	}	Opposition to:
	}	Appln. Serial No. 4-2012-008566
- versus -	}	Date Filed: 13 July 2012
	}	TM: SHARPY
CLAY PAKY SPA,	}	(1)
Respondent-Applicant.	}	Order No. 2015 - 141 (D)
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#### ORDER

SHARP KABUSHIKI KAISHA ("Opposer") filed on 25 February 2013 an opposition to Trademark Application Serial No. 4-2012-008566 on the ground that the subject mark "SHARPY" is confusingly similar to the Opposer's registered "SHARP" trademarks.

Pursuant to the Regulations on Inter Partes Proceedings, this Bureau issued a Notice to Answer and served a copy thereof to CLAY PAKY SPA ("Respondent-Applicant") on 13 March 2013. The Respondent-Applicant failed to file its Answer.

On 15 July 2015, the Respondent-Applicant filed a Manifestation stating that it is has formally withdrawn its trademark application. Attached to the Respondent-Applicant's Manifestation is a copy of the Withdrawal.

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 Application Serial No. 4-2012-008566 be returned, together with a copy of this Order to the Bureau of Trademarks (BOT) for information and appropriate action.

SO ORDERED.

Taguig City, 20 July 2015.

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