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Opposer,	}	
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TANDUAY DISTILLERS, INC.,	}	
Respondent-Applicant.	}	•
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**IPC NO. 14-2016-00096** Opposition to:

Appln. Ser. No. 4-2015-011494 Date Filed: 05 October 2015

Trademark: **GALLEON** Order No. 2016-\_\_<u>/13\_\_(D</u>)

## ORDER

The Opposer filed on 03 May 2016 a Verified Manifestation stating that Opposer has received a communication from Respondent-Applicant's counsel, that Respondent-Applicant had decided to voluntarily withdraw its trademark application for GALLEON. With the express withdrawal by the Respondent-Applicant of its trademark application, there is no more reason or basis to proceed with this case.

**WHEREFORE**, premises considered, this case is hereby **DISMISSED**. Let the filewrapper of Trademark Application Serial No. 4-2015-011494 be returned, together with a copy of this Order and the aforementioned Verified Manifestation of the Opposer, to the Bureau of Trademarks for information and appropriate action.

SO ORDERED.

Taguig City, 3 1 MAY 2016

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