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OFFICE ACTION (OFFICIAL LETTER) ABOUT APPLICANT'S TRADEMARK APPLICATION

U.S. APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 79247397

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OFFICE ACTION

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This is a **PROVISIONAL FULL REFUSAL** of the request for extension of protection of the mark in the above-referenced U.S. application. See 15 U.S.C. §1141h(c). See below in this notification (hereafter "Office action") for details regarding the provisional full refusal.

INTRODUCTION

The referenced application has been reviewed by the assigned trademark examining attorney. Applicant must respond timely and completely to the issue(s) below. 15 U.S.C. §1062(b); 37 C.F.R. §§2.62(a), 2.65(a); TMEP §§711, 718.03.

SEARCH OF OFFICE'S DATABASE OF MARKS

The trademark examining attorney has searched the Office's database of registered and pending marks and has found no conflicting marks that would bar registration under Trademark Act Section 2(d). TMEP §704.02; see 15 U.S.C. §1052(d).

SUMMARY OF ISSUES

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- REQUIREMENT – REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

REQUIREMENT – DISCLAIMER

THIS PARTIAL REQUIREMENT APPLIES ONLY TO CLASSES 35, 38, 41, AND 42 ONLY

Applicant must provide a disclaimer of the unregistrable part(s) of the applied-for mark even though the mark as a whole appears to be registrable. See 15 U.S.C. §1056(a); TMEP §§1213, 1213.03(a). A disclaimer of an unregistrable part of a mark will not affect the mark's appearance. See *Schwarzkopf v. John H. Breck, Inc.*, 340 F.2d 978, 979-80, 144 USPQ 433, 433 (C.C.P.A. 1965).

In this case, applicant must disclaim the wording "SOCIAL" because it is not inherently distinctive. This unregistrable term at best are merely descriptive of an ingredient, quality, characteristic, function, feature, purpose, or use of applicant's goods and/or services. See 15 U.S.C. §1052(e)(1); *DuoProSS Meditech Corp. v. Inviro Med. Devices, Ltd.*, 695 F.3d 1247, 1251, 103 USPQ2d 1753, 1755 (Fed. Cir. 2012); TMEP §§1213, 1213.03(a).

The attached evidence from American Heritage Dictionary shows the wording "SOCIAL" means "of or relating to human society and its mode of organization: social classes; social problems; a social issue" and "interacting with other people and living in communities." The attached evidence from applicant's own website described its service as "bonding with your colleagues," "making a massive impact on your local community," and "creating awareness on local social causes." Thus, the word "SOCIAL" merely describes applicant's services because applicant's services involve interacting with others and relates to human society and social issues.

Applicant may respond to this issue by submitting a disclaimer in the following format:

No claim is made to the exclusive right to use “SOCIAL” for International Classes 35, 38, 41 and 42 apart from the mark as shown.

For an overview of disclaimers and instructions on how to satisfy this issue using the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS), see the [Disclaimer webpage](#).

REQUIREMENT – IDENTIFICATION OF GOODS AND SERVICES

Specific Issues with respect to International Class 25

The wording “clothing” in the identification of the goods is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of goods, for example, “shorts,” “shirts,” and “pants.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “headgear” in the identification of the goods is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of goods, for example, “hats” and “woolly hats.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

Specific Issues with respect to International Class 28

The wording “games” in the identification of the goods is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of goods, for example, “card games,” “memory games,” and “manipulative games.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “toys” in the identification of the goods is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of goods, for example, “plush toys,” “stuffed toys,” and “water toys.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “video game apparatus” in the identification of the goods is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of goods, for example, “video game consoles” and “hand-held units for playing video games other than those adapted for use with an external display screen or monitor.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “gymnastic and sporting articles” in the identification of the goods is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of goods, for example, “gymnastic apparatus” and “gymnastic parallel bars.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “decorations for Christmas trees” in the identification of the goods is indefinite because applicant must specify that the goods exclude “confectionary and electric Christmas lights.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01. Please see the suggested amendment below.

Specific Issues with respect to International Class 35

The term “commercial administration” in the identification of services is indefinite because applicant must specify that the services are “commercial administration of the licensing of the goods and services of others.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01. Please see the suggested amendment below.

The wording “office” in the identification of the services is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of services, for example, “providing office functions” and “office administration services.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

Specific Issues with respect to International Class 38

The wording “telecommunications” in the identification of the services is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of services, for example, “telecommunications consultation,” “telecommunications gateway services,” and “digital network telecommunications service.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “provision of access to platforms on the Internet as well as on the mobile Internet” in the identification of the services is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of services, for example, “providing internet access in order to allow users to access Internet and mobile Internet web platforms,” “internet access provider services in order to allow users to access Internet and mobile Internet web platforms,” and “providing remote internet services in order to allow users to access Internet and mobile Internet web platforms.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “provision of access to portals on the Internet” in the identification of the services is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of services, for example, “providing internet access in order to allow users to access Internet web portals,” “internet access provider services in order to allow users to access Internet web portals,” and “providing remote internet services in order to allow users to access Internet web portals.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

Specific Issues with respect to International Class 41

The wording “education” is indefinite because it does not indicate the type of educational service provided. See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01. For example, applicant could be providing seminars on a particular topic, analyzing educational test scores and data for others, or providing educational testing.

Applicant must specify the nature of the educational service being provided. If applicant is providing classes or similar group learning activities, the identification must specify (1) the form of the activity (e.g., classes, seminars, workshops) and (2) the subject matter or field (e.g., retirement benefits, nutrition, business management).

Applicant may adopt the following wording, if accurate: “education, namely, conducting {indicate specific mode of instruction, e.g., classes, seminars, conferences, workshops} in the field of {indicate specific field, e.g., pet care, math, tax preparation}.”

The term “training” in the identification of services is indefinite because applicant must specify that the services are “training services in the field of {indicate field or subject matter}.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “entertainment” in the identification of the services is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of services, for example, “entertainment services, namely, an ongoing multimedia program featuring {indicate subject matter, e.g., comedy, action, adventure, etc.} distributed via various platforms across multiple forms of transmission media” and “entertainment services, namely, providing a web site featuring photographic, audio, video and prose presentations featuring {indicate subject matter of presentations}.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “sporting and cultural activities” in the identification of the services is indefinite and must be clarified because applicant must specify the particular type of services, for example, “organization of events for cultural purposes,” “organization of cultural shows,” and “providing information relating to sports and sporting events.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

Specific Issues with respect to International Class 42

The wording of “provision of Internet platforms (software)” contains parentheses. Generally, applicants should *not* use parentheses and brackets in identifications in their applications so as to avoid confusion with the USPTO’s practice of using parentheses and brackets in registrations to indicate services that have been deleted from registrations or in an affidavit of incontestability to indicate services not claimed. See TMEP §1402.12. The only exception is that parenthetical information is permitted in identifications in an application if it serves to explain or translate the matter immediately preceding the parenthetical phrase in such a way that it does not affect the clarity or scope of the identification, e.g., “fried tofu pieces (abura-age).” *Id.*

Therefore, applicant must remove the parentheses from the identification and incorporate any parenthetical or bracketed information into the description of the services.

Moreover, the wording “provision of Internet platforms (software)” in the identification of services is indefinite because applicant must specify that the services are “provision of Internet software platforms, namely, providing a website featuring an on-line non-downloadable software that enables users to {specify activities that users may perform using the software, e.g., design websites, edit digital photographs, prepare and file tax forms}.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “scientific and technological services as well as research and design services relating thereto” in the identification of services is indefinite because applicant must specify that the services are “scientific and technological services, namely, {specify type of services, e.g., scientific research, analysis, testing} in the field of {indicate field or subject matter}, as well as scientific and technological research and design services relating thereto.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

The wording “industrial analysis and research services” in the identification of services is indefinite because applicant must specify that the services are “industrial research in the field of {indicate field or goods that are subject of research} and consulting relating thereto.” See 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(6); TMEP §1402.01.

Applicant may adopt the following identification, *if accurate* (changes highlighted in **bold** and suggestions highlighted in **bold italic**):

International Class 25:

Clothing, **namely, _____** {indicate particular goods, e.g., shorts, shirts, pants}; footwear; headgear, **namely, _____** {indicate particular goods, e.g., hats, woolly hats}

International Class 28:

Games, **namely, _____** {indicate particular goods, e.g., card games, memory games, manipulative games}; toys, **namely, _____** {indicate particular goods, e.g., plush toys, stuffed toys, water toys}; video game apparatus, **namely, _____** {indicate particular goods, e.g., video game consoles, hand-held units for playing video games other than those adapted for use with an external display screen or monitor}; gymnastic and sporting articles, **namely, _____** {indicate particular goods, e.g., gymnastic apparatus, gymnastic parallel bars}; decorations for Christmas trees, **excluding confectionary and electric Christmas lights**

International Class 35:

Advertising; commercial business management; commercial administration of the licensing of the goods and services of others; office functions, **namely, _____** {indicate particular services, e.g., providing office functions, office administration services}

International Class 38:

Telecommunications, **namely, _____** {indicate particular services, e.g., telecommunications consultation, telecommunications gateway}

services, digital network telecommunications service}; provision of access to platforms on the Internet as well as on the mobile Internet, **namely**, _____ *{indicate particular services, e.g., providing internet access, internet access provider services, providing remote internet services}*, **in order to allow users to access Internet and mobile Internet web platforms**; provision of access to portals on the Internet, **namely**, _____ *{indicate particular services, e.g., providing internet access, internet access provider services, providing remote internet services}*, **in order to allow users to access Internet web portals**

International Class 41:

Education services, **namely**, conducting _____ *{indicate specific mode of instruction, e.g., classes, seminars, conferences, workshops}* **in the field of** _____ *{indicate specific field, e.g., pet care, math, tax preparation}*; training services **in the field of** _____ *{indicate field or subject matter}*; entertainment services, **namely**, _____ *{indicate particular services, e.g., an ongoing multimedia program featuring _____ {indicate subject matter, e.g., comedy, action, adventure, etc.} distributed via various platforms across multiple forms of transmission media, providing a web site featuring photographic, audio, video and prose presentations featuring {indicate subject matter of presentations}}*; sporting and cultural activities, **namely**, _____ *{indicate particular services, e.g., organization of events for cultural purposes, organization of cultural shows, providing information relating to sports and sporting events}*

International Class 42:

Provision of Internet platforms software, **namely**, providing a website featuring an on-line non-downloadable software that enables users to _____ *{specify activities that users may perform using the software, e.g., design websites, edit digital photographs, prepare and file tax forms}*; scientific and technological services, **namely**, _____ *{specify type of services, e.g., scientific research, analysis, testing}* **in the field of** _____ *{indicate field or subject matter}*, as well as research and design services relating thereto; industrial research **in the field of** _____ *{indicate field or goods that are subject of research}* **and consulting relating thereto**; design and development of computers and software.

Applicant may amend the identification to clarify or limit the goods and/or services, but not to broaden or expand the goods and/or services beyond those in the original application or as acceptably amended. See 37 C.F.R. §2.71(a); TMEP §1402.06. Generally, any deleted goods and/or services may not later be reinserted. See TMEP §1402.07(e). Additionally, for applications filed under Trademark Act Section 66(a), the scope of the identification for purposes of permissible amendments is limited by the international class assigned by the International Bureau of the World Intellectual Property Organization (International Bureau); and the classification of goods and/or services may not be changed from that assigned by the International Bureau. 37 C.F.R. §2.85(d); TMEP §§1401.03(d), 1904.02(b). Further, in a multiple-class Section 66(a) application, classes may not be added or goods and/or services transferred from one existing class to another. 37 C.F.R. §2.85(d); TMEP §1401.03(d).

For assistance with identifying and classifying goods and services in trademark applications, please see the USPTO's online searchable [*U.S. Acceptable Identification of Goods and Services Manual*](#). See TMEP §1402.04.

REQUIREMENT – REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

To permit proper examination of the application, applicant must provide all the following information:

(1) Explain whether the wording in the mark “FRIDAY” has any meaning or significance in the trade or industry in which applicant’s goods and/or services are manufactured or provided, any meaning or significance as applied to applicant’s goods and/or services, or if such wording is a term of art within applicant’s industry.

(2) Respond to the following questions:

Does applicant’s services occur on Fridays and, if so, how frequently does applicant’s services occur on Fridays?

Does the wording in the mark “FRIDAY” have any significance to the marketing of applicant’s goods and/or services and, if so, what is the significance?

Is the wording in the mark “FRIDAY” mentioned in the marketing of applicant’s goods and/or services and, if so, how is “FRIDAY” mentioned?

See 37 C.F.R. §2.61(b); TMEP §814.

Failure to comply with a request for information is grounds for refusing registration. *In re Harley*, 119 USPQ2d 1755, 1757-58 (TTAB 2016); TMEP §814.

CONCLUSION

If applicant has questions regarding this Office action, please telephone or e-mail the assigned trademark examining attorney. All relevant e-mail communications will be placed in the official application record; however, an e-mail communication will not be accepted as a response to this Office action and will not extend the deadline for filing a proper response. See 37 C.F.R. §§2.62(c), 2.191; TMEP §§304.01-.02, 709.04-.05. Further, although the trademark examining attorney may provide additional explanation pertaining to the refusal(s) and/or requirement(s) in this Office action, the trademark examining attorney may not provide legal advice or statements about applicant’s rights. See TMEP §§705.02, 709.06.

WHO IS PERMITTED TO RESPOND TO THIS PROVISIONAL FULL REFUSAL: Any response to this provisional refusal must be personally signed by an individual applicant, all joint applicants, or someone with legal authority to bind a juristic applicant (e.g., a corporate officer or

general partner). 37 C.F.R. §§2.62(b), 2.193(e)(2)(ii); TMEP §712.01. If applicant hires a qualified U.S. attorney to respond on his or her behalf, then the attorney must sign the response. 37 C.F.R. §§2.193(e)(2)(i), 11.18(a); TMEP §§611.03(b), 712.01. Qualified U.S. attorneys include those in good standing with a bar of the highest court of any U.S. state, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and other U.S. commonwealths or U.S. territories. See 37 C.F.R. §§2.17(a), 2.62(b), 11.1, 11.14(a); TMEP §§602, 712.01. Additionally, for all responses, the proper signatory must personally sign the document or personally enter his or her electronic signature on the electronic filing. See 37 C.F.R. §2.193(a); TMEP §§611.01(b), 611.02. The name of the signatory must also be printed or typed immediately below or adjacent to the signature, or identified elsewhere in the filing. 37 C.F.R. §2.193(d); TMEP §611.01(b).

In general, foreign attorneys are not permitted to represent applicants before the USPTO (e.g., file written communications, authorize an amendment to an application, or submit legal arguments in response to a requirement or refusal). See 37 C.F.R. §11.14(c), (e); TMEP §§602.03-.03(b), 608.01.

DESIGNATION OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE: The USPTO encourages applicants who do not reside in the United States to designate a domestic representative upon whom any notice or process may be served. TMEP §610; see 15 U.S.C. §§1051(e), 1141h(d); 37 C.F.R. §2.24(a)(1)-(2). Such designations may be filed online at <http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/teas/correspondence.jsp>.

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All informal e-mail communications relevant to this application will be placed in the official application record.

WHO MUST SIGN THE RESPONSE: It must be personally signed by an individual applicant or someone with legal authority to bind an applicant (i.e., a corporate officer, a general partner, all joint applicants). If an applicant is represented by an attorney, the attorney must sign the response.

PERIODICALLY CHECK THE STATUS OF THE APPLICATION: To ensure that applicant does not miss crucial deadlines or official notices, check the status of the application every three to four months using the Trademark Status and Document Retrieval (TSDR) system at <http://tsdr.uspto.gov/>. Please keep a copy of the TSDR status screen. If the status shows no change for more than six months, contact the Trademark Assistance Center by e-mail at TrademarkAssistanceCenter@uspto.gov or call 1-800-786-9199. For more information on checking status, see <http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/process/status/>.

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What is Social Friday?

What is it? It's all about making your Friday afternoons more productive, paving the way to the weekend by spending time creating awareness on local social causes.

Did you know that research shows Friday afternoons to be the least productive moment during your working week? Well, all that's about to change. Together we can harness our down time and transform Friday fatigue into a powerful tool for change. Bonding with your colleagues for a good cause has never been so rewarding. Making a massive impact on your local community by dedicating your time and skills has never been so much fun. Looking forward to the weekend has never been so richly deserved!

Social Friday is about you, it's about making a global impact in a world that needs people just like you to stand up and be counted. We need more and more Friday afternoon volunteers from the private sector and schools to step in and help us make a real, lasting difference in our local communities.

As BlackRock's CEO Larry Fink says: *"To prosper over time, every company must not only deliver financial performance, but also show how it makes a positive contribution to society."*



Why do it?

For so many reasons. It goes without saying that the local causes around you will benefit greatly from any voluntary action you get involved with, but the benefits go so much deeper.

Volunteering is a two-way street and by spending time on projects outside work that you love, you'll find you can't wait for Friday afternoons to roll around. Focussing on projects with your team outside the office is a fabulous way to reconnect and bond over something so different to daily office life.

Strengthening community, your relationships and your company's reputation, need we say more? Well, just one thing, there are no membership fees, clubs you have to join; you just have to apply for implementing the initiative and make **Social Friday** happen.

To learn more about the numerous benefits of volunteering, follow the link to the article.
<https://www.thebalancesmb.com/unexpected-benefits-of-volunteering-4132453>



Who is behind it?

Like-minded people from across Europe have joined forces to drive **Social Friday** forward. Each with a passion for long-term change and devotion to create awareness on local social causes.

Being aware of the difficulties and hardships societies and communities face on day-to-day basis is the core of creating conditions for attention and long-term improvement. We stand for the belief that our educational system should also play a major role in this process and support the future professionals already at early stages. And that's an important change in the mindset where we find inspiration to carry our mission – to motivate schools and companies worldwide to use their most unproductive working hours for creating environment of socially active citizens.

With no affiliations to religious or political groups, the team simply wants to help companies, schools and communities work together for a stronger economy and a better society.

Do you want be part of this amazing global movement? [Join us](#) on this journey for a better tomorrow and get your **Social Friday** going



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so·cial (sō shəl)

Share:

adj.

- a.** Of or relating to human society and its modes of organization: social classes; social problems; a social issue.

b. Of or relating to rank and status in society: social standing.

c. Of, relating to, or occupied with matters affecting human welfare: social programs.
- a.** Interacting with other people and living in communities: Humans are social creatures.

b. Biology Living together in organized groups or similar close aggregates: Ants are social insects.
- a.** Inclined to seek out or enjoy the company of others; sociable: He's outgoing and very social.

b. Spent in or marked by friendly relations or companionship: How has your social life been lately?

c. Intended for convivial activities: a social club.
- Linguistics** Of or relating to a variety of a language that is used by a group of people sharing some characteristic, such as ethnicity or income level, and differs in pronunciation, grammar, or vocabulary from the standard variety.

n.

- An informal social gathering, as of the members of a church congregation.
- Informal A Social Security number.

[Middle English *social*, domestic, from Old French *social*, from Latin *socius*, of companionship, from *socius*, companion; see *SEEK* in the Appendix of Indo-European roots.]

so·cial·ly /sō shəl·ē/

Synonyms: social, companionable, convivial, gregarious, sociable

These adjectives mean inclined to, marked by, or passed in friendly companionship with others: a friendly social gathering; a companionable colleague; a cheery, convivial disposition; a gregarious person who avoids solitude; a sociable conversation.

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