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WORLD INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANISATION 34, CHEMIN DES COLOMBETTES PO BOX 18 1211 GENEVA 20 SWITZERLAND

Date of Notification: 01 April 2019

(By registered Mail)

International Registration No: 1439058
Mark:

Holder: Guangdong Camel apparel Co., Ltd of China

Notification of the Irish Patents Office of Total Provisional Refusal

Dear Sir/Madam,

This notification is issued pursuant to Article 5 of the Protocol relating to the Madrid Agreement concerning the International Registration of Marks and Rule 17(2) of the Common Regulations under the Agreement and Protocol, and is to inform you that protection for this mark is refused for the reasons set out below. Any references to Sections are to Sections of the Trade Marks Act, 1996 and to Rules are to Rules of the Trade Marks Rules, 1996.

1.

Section 10(2)

There exists a likelihood of confusion on the part of the public between the mark and the following earlier mark(s):

International Registration No:1438301

Mark:

Holder:Beijing Camel Footwear Co., Ltd

108 Building 2

No. 6 Nanding Road

Fengtai District

Beijing

China

Date of Application:07/09/2018

Date of Registration:07/09/2018

Class 24: Textile material; cloth; non-woven textile fabrics; felt; bath towels; bed covers; bed linen; sleeping bags; tablecloths, not of paper; gloves for washing.

- 2. This refusal is in respect of all of the goods/services for which protection is sought.
- 3. The holder may make representations in writing, or may request an extension of time for doing so, not later than 01/07/2019. A request for an extension of time received after that date may be granted at the discretion of the Controller.
- 4. If representations or a request for an extension of time are not received by the specified date, protection of the mark will be refused.
- 5. Representations to the Controller or a request for a hearing in relation to this notification of refusal must be accompanied by an address for service within the European Economic Area as required by Rule 10(1)(a) as amended by Statutory Instrument No. 410 of 2010; failure to furnish such address will result in the holder being deemed to have abandoned his request for protection.
- 6. If, following the receipt of representations, it is considered that the requirements for protection are met, the mark will be published in the Official Journal and protection of it will be subject to opposition and observations by third parties. A refusal based on opposition or observations received may subsequently be issued.

7. Date of refusal: 01 April 2019

Yours faithfully

Frank Jordan

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