



الجمهورية العربية المتحدة  
MINISTRY OF ECONOMY

TRADEMARKS DEPARTMENT  
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY SECTOR  
MINISTRY OF ECONOMY

**MADRID PROTOCOL**  
**TOTAL PROVISIONAL REFUSAL OF PROTECTION**  
Rule 17(1) of the Regulations

<b>I. Name of the Office:</b>  Trademarks Department, Intellectual Property Sector, Ministry of Economy, United Arab Emirates
<b>II. International registration number:</b>  1089415A
<b>III. Name of the holder:</b>  Ducates Grup Srl.
<b>IV. Information concerning the type of provisional refusal:</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total provisional refusal based on an <i>ex officio</i> examination. <input type="checkbox"/> Total provisional refusal based on an opposition.  <i>Where the refusal is based on an opposition:</i>  (i) Name of the opponent:  (ii) Address of the opponent:
<b>V. Information concerning the scope of the provisional refusal:</b>  <i>The provisional refusal affects <u>all</u> the goods and services.</i>
<b>VI. Grounds for refusal (where applicable, see item VII):</b> The mark has been refused because the protection of marks for alcoholic products is prohibited under the laws of the UAE and because the mark contains references to alcoholic beverages, which is contrary to public order.

**VII. Information relating to an earlier mark:**

- (i) Filing date and number, and, if any, priority date:
- (ii) Registration date and number (if available):
- (iii) Name and address of the owner:
- (iv) Representation of the mark:

List of the relevant goods and services (this list may be in the language of the earlier application or registration):

**VIII. Provisions of the applicable law:**

Article 3 (2) of the law No. 36 of 2021 on Trademarks

**IX. Information relating to the possibility to request a review, file an appeal or otherwise respond to the refusal:**

- (i) Time limit to request a review, file an appeal or otherwise respond to the refusal:  
**30 days**
- (ii) Calculation of time limit (*the time limit runs from*):  
  
From the date on which the International Bureau transmits a copy of this notification to the holder
- (iii) Authority to which such request for review, appeal or response should be made:  
  
Appeal Committee, Trademarks Department, Intellectual Property Sector,  
Ministry of Economy, United Arab Emirates
- (iv) Whether the request for review, appeal or response has to be filed in a specific language or through a local representative:  
  
The holder must respond to this notification in Arabic and through a local agent

**X. Date and signature of the Office:**

16 January 2025

Mostafa Ismail

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