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In re TM France

Serial No. 79149804

Filed: 12/11/2013

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Applicant's brief and request for remand filed August 29, 2016 are noted. In its brief and request for remand, Applicant seeks to amend the application that is the subject of this appeal.

Applicant is advised that if it wishes to amend its application, the proper procedure is to file a request for remand to the Board as a separate paper and not part of its brief. In view thereof, the Board construes Applicant's brief with proposed amendment as a request for remand. *See* TBMP § 1205.01.

Good cause having been shown, action on the appeal is suspended, and the record of the application file is herewith remanded to the Examining Attorney for consideration of the proposed amendment.

In the event registrability is found on the basis of the amendment, the appeal will be moot and proceedings will be terminated accordingly. In the event the refusal of registration is maintained, the Board shall be so informed, proceedings

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will be resumed and Applicant will be allowed time in which to file a supplemental brief on appeal.