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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
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Notice of Opposition

Notice is hereby given that the following party opposes registration of the indicated application.

Opposer Information

Name	Vans, Inc.		
Entity	Corporation	Citizenship	Delaware
Address	6550 Katella Ave. Cypress, CA 90630 UNITED STATES		

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Applicant Information

Application No	86608802	Publication date	09/08/2015
Opposition Filing Date	10/05/2015	Opposition Period Ends	10/08/2015
Applicant	malldesports Inc. Suite 1026 Norcross, GA 30092 UNITED STATES		

Goods/Services Affected by Opposition

Class 025. First Use: 2015/03/01 First Use In Commerce: 2015/03/09 All goods and services in the class are opposed, namely: Padded elbow compression sleeves sold as an integral component of athletic clothing, namely, jersey; Running suits; Sports bra; Sports pants; Sports shirts with short sleeves; Sports vests; T-shirts

Grounds for Opposition

False suggestion of a connection	Trademark Act section 2(a)
Priority and likelihood of confusion	Trademark Act section 2(d)
Dilution	Trademark Act section 43(c)

Marks Cited by Opposer as Basis for Opposition

U.S. Registration No.	1861013	Application Date	11/16/1993
Registration Date	11/01/1994	Foreign Priority Date	NONE

Word Mark	VANS
Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 1967/02/00 First Use In Commerce: 1969/00/00 clothing and footwear; namely, sport shirts, T-shirts, hats, shorts, jogging suits, socks and shoes for men, women and children

U.S. Registration No.	1861882	Application Date	11/16/1993
Registration Date	11/08/1994	Foreign Priority Date	NONE

Word Mark	VANS
Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 1967/02/00 First Use In Commerce: 1969/00/00 clothing and footwear; namely, sport shirts, T-shirts, hats, shorts, jogging suits, socks and shoes for men, women and children

U.S. Registration No.	1267262	Application Date	09/30/1982
Registration Date	02/14/1984	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	VANS		
Design Mark			
Description of Mark	NONE		
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 1967/02/00 First Use In Commerce: 1969/00/00 Shoes		

U.S. Registration No.	1353939	Application Date	08/29/1983
Registration Date	08/13/1985	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	VANS		

Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 014. First use: First Use: 1975/10/20 First Use In Commerce: 1981/11/00 JEWELRY Class 018. First use: First Use: 1981/04/17 First Use In Commerce: 1982/03/00 WALLETS HANDBAGS AND ALL PURPOSE TOTE BAGS Class 025. First use: First Use: 1967/02/00 First Use In Commerce: 1969/00/00 WEARING APPAREL, NAMELY, SPORT SHIRTS, T-SHIRTS, HATS, SHORT, JOGGING SUITS, SOCKS, SWIMSUITS AND SHOES Class 028. First use: First Use: 1981/07/01 First Use In Commerce: 1982/03/00 [FLYING TOY DISCS]

U.S. Registration No.	2174502	Application Date	01/22/1997
Registration Date	07/21/1998	Foreign Priority Date	NONE

Word Mark	VANS OFF THE WALL
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Design Mark	
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Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 1977/03/18 First Use In Commerce: 1977/03/18 men's, women's and children's clothing, namely, shirts, T-shirts, shorts, under- wear, swim trunks, trousers, sweaters, jackets, coats, caps, hats, bandannas, vests and socks; footwear

U.S. Registration No.	2277833	Application Date	06/19/1998
Registration Date	09/14/1999	Foreign Priority Date	NONE

Word Mark	VANS
Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 1995/01/00 First Use In Commerce: 1995/01/00 men's, women's and children's clothing,namely sweaters, shirts, jackets, pants, t-shirts, shorts, turtlenecks, gloves,hats, beanies, vests, parkas and footwear

U.S. Registration No.	3070472	Application Date	10/19/2004
Registration Date	03/21/2006	Foreign Priority Date	NONE

Word Mark	VANS
Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 2002/12/10 First Use In Commerce: 2002/12/10 Women's clothing namely shirts, t-shirts, sweatshirts, slacks, shorts, bathing suits, underwear, coats, jackets, hats, beanies and footwear

U.S. Registration No.	3742510	Application Date	08/12/2009
Registration Date	01/26/2010	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	VANS		

Design Mark	<h1>VANS</h1>		
Description of Mark	NONE		
Goods/Services	<p>Class 009. First use: First Use: 1995/07/01 First Use In Commerce: 1995/07/01 sound recordings and pre-recorded videotapes and videodiscs featuring a compilation of musical performances of punk rock and related musical artists and group featured in connection with a skateboarding, extreme sports festival and tour</p> <p>Class 016. First use: First Use: 1995/07/01 First Use In Commerce: 1995/07/01 souvenir merchandise related to a skateboarding, extreme sports, punk rock festival and tour, namely posters, paper banners, stickers and souvenir programs</p> <p>Class 025. First use: First Use: 1995/07/01 First Use In Commerce: 1995/07/01 souvenir merchandise related to a skateboarding, extreme sports, punk rock festival and tour, namely t-shirts, jackets, sweatshirts, thermal shirts, caps and hats</p> <p>Class 041. First use: First Use: 1995/07/01 First Use In Commerce: 1995/07/01 organizing skateboarding, extreme sports, punk rock festivals, concerts and tours</p>		

U.S. Registration No.	3117220	Application Date	08/09/2005
Registration Date	07/18/2006	Foreign Priority Date	NONE

Word Mark	SYNDICATE		
Design Mark	<h1>SYNDICATE</h1>		
Description of Mark	NONE		
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 2004/12/01 First Use In Commerce: 2004/12/01 footwear, namely sneakers		

U.S. Registration No.	4510471	Application Date	08/27/2013
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Registration Date	04/08/2014	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	SYNDICATE		
Design Mark			
Description of Mark	NONE		
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 1999/07/31 First Use In Commerce: 1999/07/31 Footwear, namely, Sneakers, high-top shoes, sandals, flip flops, skateboarding shoes, surf shoes, moccasins; men's, women's and children's clothing, namely, shirts, t-shirts, tank tops, sweaters, sweatshirts, hoodies, fleece tops, fleece pullovers, fleece bottoms, jackets, pants, trousers, denims, leggings, shorts, boardshorts, skirts, dresses, swimwear, socks; beanies; hats; belts for clothing; boxers; mukluks; slippers; scarves; gloves; mittens; sleepwear		

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Date	10/05/2015

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In the Matter of Application:

Appl. No. : 86608802
Filed : April 24, 2015
Published : September 8, 2015
Mark : VANSYDICAL
Applicant : Malldesports Inc.

Vans, Inc.)	
Opposer,)	Opposition No. (Not Yet Assigned)
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Malldesports Inc.)	
Applicant.)	

NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Vans, Inc., a Delaware Corporation located at 6550 Katella Avenue, Cypress, California 90630 (“Opposer”), by its attorneys IpHorgan Ltd, hereby opposes registration of U.S. Application Serial No. 86608802 for the mark VANSYDICAL. In support of this Notice of Opposition, Opposer states as follows:

1) Upon information and belief, Applicant Malldesports Inc. (“Applicant”) is a company maintaining a Post Office address at 3775 Medlock Bridge Road, Suite 1026, Norcross Georgia 30092, United States of America.

2) Applicant filed the VANSYDICAL Application on April 24, 2015, based on Applicants’ claim of use of the VANSYDICAL Mark in U.S. commerce, pursuant to Trademark Act Section 1(a), in connection with the following goods:

Padded elbow compression sleeves sold as an integral component of athletic clothing, namely, jersey; Running suits; Sports bra; Sports pants; Sports shirts with short sleeves; Sports vests; T-shirts.

3) Based on information included in the VANSYDICAL Application, the Applicant asserts that the VANSYDICAL mark was first used on March 1, 2015, and first used in commerce in the United States on March 9, 2015.

4) The VANSYDICAL Application was published for opposition in connection with the goods identified in the above Paragraph 2 in the September 8, 2015, edition of the USPTO's *Official Gazette*.

5) Opposer believes that it will be injured or damaged by the registration of the VANSYDICAL mark in connection with the Class 25 goods identified in Paragraph 2.

6) Opposer is the owner of the VANS trademark, for use on or in connection with a variety of goods and services, including clothing products.

7) Opposer is the owner of the SYNDICATE trademark, for use on or in connection with various clothing products.

8) Continuously and since long prior to April 24, 2015, the filing date of the VANSYDICAL Application, Opposer has provided, marketed, and advertised and continues to provide, market, and advertise throughout the United States a variety of goods and services in multiple International Classes, included but not limited to International Class 25, under its registered VANS and SYNDICATE marks.

9) Continuously and since long prior to March 1, 2015, the alleged date of first use of the VANSYDICAL mark, Opposer has provided, marketed, and advertised and continues to provide, market, and advertise throughout the United States a variety of

goods and services in multiple International Classes, included but not limited to International Class 25, under its registered VANS and SYNDICATE marks.

10) Opposer is the owner of the following United States Trademark Registrations covering its VANS mark in Class 25 (collectively, “Opposer’s VANS Registrations”):

Mark	Goods/Services (Class)	Reg. No. (Appl. No.)	Reg. Date (Filing Date)	Priority Date
VANS	Clothing and footwear; namely, sports shirts, t-shirts, hats, shorts, jogging suits, socks and shoes for men, women and children (Class 25)	1861013 (74458715)	Nov. 1, 1994 (Nov. 16, 1994)	1969
	Clothing and footwear; namely, sports shirts, t-shirts, hats, shorts, jogging suits, socks and shoes for men, women and children (Class 25)	1861882 (74458716)	Nov. 1, 1994 (Nov. 16, 1993)	1969
VANS	Shoes (Class 25)	1267262 (73396323)	Feb. 14, 1984 (Sept. 30, 1982)	1969
	Wearing apparel, namely, sports shirts, t-shirts, hats, shorts, jogging suits, socks, swimsuits and shoes (Class 25)	1353939 (73441417)	Aug. 13, 1985 (Aug. 29, 1983)	1969
	Men’s, women’s and children’s clothing, namely, shirts, t-shirts, shorts, underwear, swim trunks, trousers, sweaters, jackets, coats, caps, hats, bandannas, vests and socks, footwear (Class 25)	2174502 (75229185)	July 21, 1998 (Jan. 22, 1987)	March 18, 1973
	men's, women's and children's clothing, namely sweaters, shirts, jackets, pants, t-shirts, shorts, turtlenecks, gloves, hats,	2277833 (75505409)	Sept. 14, 1999 (June 19, 1998)	Jan. 1995

	beanies, vests, parkas and footwear			
	Women's clothing namely shirts, t-shirts, sweatshirts, slacks, shorts, bathing suits, underwear, coats, jackets, hats, beanies and footwear (Class 25)	3070472 (78502372)	March 21, 2006 (Oct. 19, 2004)	Dec. 10, 2002
VANS	Souvenir merchandise related to a skateboarding, extreme sports, punk rock festival and tour, namely posters, paper banners, stickers and souvenir programs, namely t-shirts, jackets, sweatshirts, thermal shirts, caps and hats (Class 25)	3742510 (77802906)	Jan. 26, 2010 (Aug. 12, 2009)	July 1, 1995

Attached hereto as Exhibit A are true and correct copies of the registration certificates and TESS printouts for Opposer's VANS Registrations. These registrations are valid, subsisting, and in full force and effect.

11) Opposer is the owner of the following United States Trademark Registrations covering its SYNDICATE mark (collectively, "Opposer's SYNDICATE Registrations"):

Mark	Goods/Services (Class)	Reg. No. (Appl. No.)	Reg. Date (Filing Date)	Priority Date
SYNDICATE	Footwear, namely sneakers (Class 25)	3117220 (78689057)	July 18, 2006 (Aug. 9, 2005)	Dec. 1, 2004
SYNDICATE	Footwear, namely, Sneakers, high-top shoes, sandals, flip flops, skateboarding shoes, surf shoes, moccasins; men's, women's and children's clothing, namely, shirts, t-shirts, tank tops, sweaters, sweatshirts, hoodies, fleece tops, fleece pullovers, fleece bottoms, jackets, pants,	4510471 (86049593)	April 8, 2014 (Aug. 27, 2013)	July 31, 1999

	trousers, denims, leggings, shorts, boardshorts, skirts, dresses, swimwear, socks; beanies; hats; belts for clothing; boxers; mukluks; slippers; scarves; gloves; mittens; sleepwear (Class 25)			
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Attached hereto as Exhibit B are true and correct copies of the registration certificates and TESS printouts for Opposer’s SYNDICATE Registrations. These registrations are valid, subsisting, and in full force and effect.

12) Opposer has filed Declarations of Use and Incontestability under Sections 8 and 15 of the Lanham Act for Registration Nos. 1861013, 1861882, 1267262, 1353939, 2174502 and 2277833. Each of these Declarations was accepted by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. As a result, these Registrations are incontestable under Section 15 of the Lanham Act.

13) Opposer has filed Declarations of Use and Incontestability under Sections 8 and 15 of the Lanham Act for Registration No. 3117220. These Declarations were accepted by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. As a result, this Registration is incontestable under Section 15 of the Lanham Act.

14) Opposer’s goods claimed in its registrations of the VANS and SYNDICATE marks are not limited as to their nature, type, channels of trade, or class of purchasers. Accordingly, it is presumed that these registrations encompass all goods of the type described, that they move in all normal channels of trade, and that they are available to all classes of purchasers.

15) Opposer's registrations covering its VANS and SYNDICATE marks all have priority dates, filing dates, and registration dates that predate the filing date and use dates of the VANSYDICAL application.

16) Opposer has expended substantial amounts of money, time, and effort in advertising, promoting, and popularizing Opposer's VANS and SYNDICATE marks in connection with Opposer's goods.

17) As a result of Opposer's use of the VANS and SYNDICATE marks, the trademarks have become recognized as identifying Opposer's goods and services and distinguishing them from the goods and services of others, and Opposer has established exceedingly valuable goodwill in its VANS and SYNDICATE marks.

18) The VANSYDICAL Mark, as applied to the Class 25 goods listed in Paragraph 2, so resembles the previously used and previously registered VANS Mark of the Opposer as to be likely to cause confusion or cause mistake, or to deceive, within the meaning of 15 USC § 1052 (d).

19) The VANSYDICAL Mark, as applied to the Class 25 goods listed in Paragraph 2, so resembles the previously used and previously registered VANS Mark of the Opposer as to be likely to suggest a false connection with Opposer's VANS' Mark within the meaning of 15 USC § 1052 (a) because consumers will likely assume that the goods offered under the VANSYDICAL mark emanate from or are connected to or endorsed by the Opposer.

20) The VANSYDICAL Mark, as applied to the Class 25 goods listed in Paragraph 2, so resembles the previously used and previously registered SYNDICATE

Mark of the Opposer as to be likely to cause confusion or cause mistake, or to deceive, within the meaning of 15 USC § 1052 (d).

21) The VANSYDICAL Mark, as applied to the Class 25 goods listed in Paragraph 2, so resembles the previously used and previously registered SYNDICATE Mark of the Opposer as to be likely to suggest a false connection with Opposer's SYNDICATE Mark within the meaning of 15 USC § 1052 (a) because consumers will likely assume that the goods offered under the VANSYDICAL mark emanate from or are connected to or endorsed by the Opposer.

22) The VANSYDICAL mark is confusingly similar in sound, appearance, and commercial impression to Opposer's registered VANS mark.

23) The VANSYDICAL Mark is confusingly similar in sound, appearance and commercial impression to Opposer's SYNDICATE mark.

24) The VANSYDICAL Application claims goods in Class 25 that are identical, nearly identical, similar, related, complementary, or some combination thereof, to the goods in Class 25 of Opposer's VANS registrations.

25) The VANSYDICAL Application claims goods in Class 25 that are identical, nearly identical, similar, related, complementary, or some combination thereof, to the goods in Class 25 of Opposer's SYNDICATE registrations.

26) Given the identical, related, and complementary nature of the Class 25 goods claimed in the VANSYDICAL Application and the goods covered by Opposer's VANS and SYNDICATE registrations, these goods are likely to be marketed and sold to the same consumers and in the same channels of trade. Accordingly, there is an identity of consumers who are likely to be confused as to the source of Applicant's goods.

27) Vans has registered its VANS marks and uses its VANS marks across a broad range of goods and services outside of International Class 25, and consumers have come to be familiar with the VANS marks in connection with this broad range of goods and services.

28) Owing to the confusing similarity of the parties' marks, the similarity and related nature of goods, and the broad exposure of the VANS and SYNDICATE marks to overlapping consumers, markets, and channels of trade, consumer confusion is likely.

29) If Applicant obtains registration of the VANSYDICAL Mark, Opposer's rights to use its own VANS and SYNDICATE Marks in connection with the goods identified herein will be impaired and will deprive Opposer of the ability to protect its reputation and goodwill associated with the VANS and SYNDICATE Marks.

30) Through Opposer's widespread, continuous, and extensive use of the VANS Marks, the VANS Marks have achieved a high degree of public recognition and become widely known, recognized, and famous among the consuming public as indicating goods and services originating exclusively from Opposer.

31) Opposer's VANS Marks became well-known, through extensive sales, advertising, marketing, and promotion of goods bearing the VANS Marks, prior to the first use dates and the filing date of the VANSYDICAL application.

32) In light of the fame of the Opposer's marks, the VANSYDICAL Mark will dilute Opposer's well-known and distinctive VANS and SYNDICATE Marks.

WHEREFORE, Vans, Inc. requests that this Notice of Opposition be sustained and that U.S. Application Serial No. 86608802 for the VANSYDICAL Mark be refused from achieving registration.

Date: October 5, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of each of the foregoing **NOTICE OF OPPOSITION** and attached Exhibits A and B was served this 5th Day of October, 2015, by (1) FEDEX International Priority courier delivery on the following Attorney of Record for Applicant at his place of business:

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EXHIBIT A

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Prior U.S. Cl.: 39

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Reg. No. 1,861,013

Registered Nov. 1, 1994

**TRADEMARK
PRINCIPAL REGISTER**

VANS

VANS, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORATION)
2095 BATAVIA STREET
ORANGE, CA 92665

FIRST USE 2-0-1967; IN COMMERCE
0-0-1969.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. 1,267,262, 1,353,939
AND OTHERS.

FOR: CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR;
NAMELY, SPORT SHIRTS, T-SHIRTS, HATS,
SHORTS, JOGGING SUITS, SOCKS AND
SHOES FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN,
IN CLASS 25 (U.S. CL. 39).

SER. NO. 74-458,715, FILED 11-16-1993.

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Typed Drawing

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Mark Drawing Code	(1) TYPED DRAWING
Serial Number	74458715
Filing Date	November 16, 1993
Current Basis	1A
Original Filing Basis	1A
Published for Opposition	August 9, 1994
Registration Number	1861013
Registration Date	November 1, 1994
Owner	(REGISTRANT) VANS INC CORPORATION DELAWARE 6550 Katella Ave Cypress CALIFORNIA 90630
Prior Registrations	1267262;1353939;AND OTHERS
Type of Mark	TRADEMARK
Register	PRINCIPAL
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**TRADEMARK
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The logo for VANS, featuring the word "VANS" in a bold, sans-serif font. The letter "V" is stylized with a thick horizontal bar extending from its top left to the top right, above the letters "A", "N", and "S".

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Serial Number	74458716
Filing Date	November 16, 1993
Current Basis	1A
Original Filing Basis	1A
Published for Opposition	August 16, 1994
Registration Number	1861882
Registration Date	November 8, 1994
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Reg. No. 1,267,262

Registered Feb. 14, 1984

TRADEMARK
Principal Register

VANS

Van Doren Rubber Company (California corporation)
1240 S. Claudina St.
Anaheim, Calif. 92805

For: SHOES, in CLASS 25 (U.S. Cl. 39).
First use Feb. 1967; in commerce 1969.

Ser. No. 396,323, filed Sep. 30, 1982.

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ANAHEIM, CA 92805, BY MERGER
WITH VAN DOREN RUBBER COMPANY,
INC. (CALIFORNIA CORPORATION)
ANAHEIM, CA

FOR: SHOES, IN CLASS 25 (U.S. CL.
39).

FIRST USE 2-0-1967; IN COMMERCE
0-0-1969.

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Office to be affixed on July 30, 1996.*

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Word Mark VANS

Goods and Services IC 025. US 039. G & S: Shoes. FIRST USE: 19670200. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19690000

Mark Drawing Code (1) TYPED DRAWING

Serial Number 73396323

Filing Date September 30, 1982

Current Basis 1A

Original Filing Basis 1A

Published for Opposition November 22, 1983

Change In Registration CHANGE IN REGISTRATION HAS OCCURRED

Registration Number **1267262**

Registration Date February 14, 1984

Owner (REGISTRANT) Van Doren Rubber Company, INC. CORPORATION CALIFORNIA 1240 S. Claudina St. Anaheim CALIFORNIA 92805

(LAST LISTED OWNER) VANS, INC. CORPORATION BY MERGER WITH DELAWARE 6550 Katella Ave. Cypress CALIFORNIA 90630

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Affidavit Text SECT 15. SECT 8 (6-YR). SECTION 8(10-YR) 20140218.

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Int. Cls.: 14, 18, 25 and 28

Prior U.S. Cls.: 3, 22, 28 and 39

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Reg. No. 1,353,939

Registered Aug. 13, 1985

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PRINCIPAL REGISTER**

The logo for VANS, featuring the word "VANS" in a bold, black, sans-serif font. A thick black horizontal bar is positioned above the letters, with a small vertical tick mark on the left side of the bar, just above the letter 'V'.

VAN DOREN RUBBER COMPANY, INC. (CALIFORNIA CORPORATION)
1240 SOUTH CLAUDINA ST.
ANAHEIM, CA 92805

FOR: JEWELRY, IN CLASS 14 (U.S. CL. 28).
FIRST USE 10-20-1975; IN COMMERCE
11-0-1981.

FOR: WALLETS HANDBAGS AND ALL
PURPOSE TOTE BAGS, IN CLASS 18 (U.S. CL.
3).

FIRST USE 4-17-1981; IN COMMERCE
3-0-1982.

FOR: WEARING APPAREL, NAMELY,
SPORT SHIRTS, T-SHIRTS, HATS, SHORT,

JOGGING SUITS, SOCKS, SWIMSUITS AND
SHOES, IN CLASS 25 (U.S. CL. 39).

FIRST USE 2-0-1967; IN COMMERCE
0-0-1969.

FOR: FLYING TOY DISCS, IN CLASS 28 (U.S.
CL. 22).

FIRST USE 7-1-1981; IN COMMERCE
3-0-1982.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. 1,267,100, 1,269,202
AND OTHERS.

SER. NO. 441,417, FILED 8-29-1983.

ROBERT PEVERADA, EXAMINING ATTORNEY



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Word Mark	VANS
Goods and Services	IC 014. US 028. G & S: JEWELRY. FIRST USE: 19751020. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19811100 IC 018. US 003. G & S: WALLETS HANDBAGS AND ALL PURPOSE TOTE BAGS. FIRST USE: 19810417. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19820300 IC 025. US 039. G & S: WEARING APPAREL, NAMELY, SPORT SHIRTS, T-SHIRTS, HATS, SHORT, JOGGING SUITS, SOCKS, SWIMSUITS AND SHOES. FIRST USE: 19670200. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19690000 (CANCELLED) IC 028. US 022 023 038 050. G & S: [FLYING TOY DISCS]. FIRST USE: 19810701. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19820300
Mark Drawing Code	(5) WORDS, LETTERS, AND/OR NUMBERS IN STYLIZED FORM
Serial Number	73441417
Filing Date	August 29, 1983
Current Basis	1A
Original Filing Basis	1A
Published for Opposition	June 4, 1985
Change In Registration	CHANGE IN REGISTRATION HAS OCCURRED
Registration Number	1353939
Registration Date	August 13, 1985
Owner	(REGISTRANT) VAN DOREN RUBBER COMPANY, INC. CORPORATION CALIFORNIA 1240 SOUTH CLAUDINA ST. ANAHEIM CALIFORNIA 92805 (LAST LISTED OWNER) Vans, Inc. CORPORATION DELAWARE 6550 Katella Ave. Cypress

CALIFORNIA 90630

Assignment Recorded ASSIGNMENT RECORDED

Prior Registrations 1267100;1267262;1269201;1269202

Type of Mark TRADEMARK

Register PRINCIPAL

Affidavit Text SECT 15. SECT 8 (6-YR). SECTION 8(10-YR) 20051122. PARTIAL SECTION 8(10-YR) 20150908.

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Int. Cl.: 25

Prior U.S. Cls.: 22 and 39

Reg. No. 2,174,502

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Registered July 21, 1998

**TRADEMARK
PRINCIPAL REGISTER**



VANS, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORATION)
2095 BATAVIA
ORANGE, CA 92865

FOR: MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S
CLOTHING, NAMELY, SHIRTS, T-SHIRTS,
SHORTS, UNDERWEAR, SWIM TRUNKS,
TROUSERS, SWEATERS, JACKETS, COATS,
CAPS, HATS, BANDANNAS, VESTS AND

SOCKS; FOOTWEAR, IN CLASS 25 (U.S. CLS. 22
AND 39).

FIRST USE 3-18-1977; IN COMMERCE
3-18-1977.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. 1,267,262, 1,861,882
AND OTHERS.

SER. NO. 75-229,185, FILED 1-22-1997.

TERESA LEE, EXAMINING ATTORNEY



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Word Mark	VANS OFF THE WALL
Goods and Services	IC 025. US 022 039. G & S: men's, women's and children's clothing, namely, shirts, T-shirts, shorts, underwear, swim trunks, trousers, sweaters, jackets, coats, caps, hats, bandannas, vests and socks; footwear. FIRST USE: 19770318. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19770318
Mark Drawing Code	(3) DESIGN PLUS WORDS, LETTERS, AND/OR NUMBERS
Design Search Code	18.05.05 - Armored trucks; Cabs, tractor-trailer; Garbage trucks; Pickup trucks; Tanker trucks; Tow trucks; Trucks, heavy hauling; Trucks, pick-up; Trucks, tanker; Vans
Serial Number	75229185
Filing Date	January 22, 1997
Current Basis	1A
Original Filing Basis	1A
Published for Opposition	April 28, 1998
Registration Number	2174502
Registration Date	July 21, 1998
Owner	(REGISTRANT) VANS, INC. CORPORATION DELAWARE 15700 SHOEMAKER AVENUE SANTA FE SPRINGS CALIFORNIA 90670
Prior Registrations	1267262;1353939;1378174;1861882;AND OTHERS
Type of Mark	TRADEMARK
Register	PRINCIPAL
Affidavit Text	SECT 15. SECT 8 (6-YR). SECTION 8(10-YR) 20090328.
Renewal	1ST RENEWAL 20090328

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Int. Cl.: 25

Prior U.S. Cls.: 22 and 39

Reg. No. 2,277,833

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Registered Sep. 14, 1999

**TRADEMARK
PRINCIPAL REGISTER**



VANS, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORATION)
15700 SHOEMAKER AVENUE
SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA 90670

FOR: MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S
CLOTHING, NAMELY SWEATERS, SHIRTS,
JACKETS, PANTS, T-SHIRTS, SHORTS, TUR-
TLENECKS, GLOVES, HATS, BEANIES,
VESTS, PARKAS AND FOOTWEAR, IN CLASS
25 (U.S. CLS. 22 AND 39).

FIRST USE 1-0-1995; IN COMMERCE
1-0-1995.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. 1,267,262 AND
1,861,882.

SER. NO. 75-505,409, FILED 6-19-1998.

MICHAEL BAIRD, EXAMINING ATTORNEY



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Word Mark	VANS
Goods and Services	IC 025. US 022 039. G & S: men's, women's and children's clothing, namely sweaters, shirts, jackets, pants, t-shirts, shorts, turtlenecks, gloves, hats, beanies, vests, parkas and footwear. FIRST USE: 19950100. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19950100
Mark Drawing Code	(3) DESIGN PLUS WORDS, LETTERS, AND/OR NUMBERS
Design Search Code	26.03.01 - Ovals as carriers and single line borders
Serial Number	75505409
Filing Date	June 19, 1998
Current Basis	1A
Original Filing Basis	1A
Published for Opposition	June 22, 1999
Registration Number	2277833
Registration Date	September 14, 1999
Owner	(REGISTRANT) VANS, INC. CORPORATION DELAWARE 6550 Katella Avenue Cypress CALIFORNIA 90630
Attorney of Record	CRAIG E GOSSELIN
Prior Registrations	1267262;1861882
Type of Mark	TRADEMARK
Register	PRINCIPAL
Affidavit Text	SECT 15. SECT 8 (6-YR). SECTION 8(10-YR) 20090317.
Renewal	1ST RENEWAL 20090317

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Int. Cl.: 25

Prior U.S. Cls.: 22 and 39

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Reg. No. 3,070,472

Registered Mar. 21, 2006

**TRADEMARK
PRINCIPAL REGISTER**



VANS, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORATION)
15700 SHOEMAKER AVENUE
SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA 90670

FIRST USE 12-10-2002; IN COMMERCE 12-10-2002.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. 1,861,013, 2,277,833
AND OTHERS.

FOR: WOMEN'S CLOTHING NAMELY SHIRTS,
T-SHIRTS, SWEATSHIRTS, SLACKS, SHORTS,
BATHING SUITS, UNDERWEAR, COATS, JACK-
ETS, HATS, BEANIES AND FOOTWEAR, IN CLASS
25 (U.S. CLS. 22 AND 39).

SER. NO. 78-502,372, FILED 10-19-2004.

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Word Mark	VANS
Goods and Services	IC 025. US 022 039. G & S: Women's clothing namely shirts, t-shirts, sweatshirts, slacks, shorts, bathing suits, underwear, coats, jackets, hats, beanies and footwear. FIRST USE: 20021210. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 20021210
Mark Drawing Code	(5) WORDS, LETTERS, AND/OR NUMBERS IN STYLIZED FORM
Serial Number	78502372
Filing Date	October 19, 2004
Current Basis	1A
Original Filing Basis	1A
Published for Opposition	December 27, 2005
Registration Number	3070472
Registration Date	March 21, 2006
Owner	(REGISTRANT) Vans, Inc. CORPORATION DELAWARE 6550 Katella Ave Cypress CALIFORNIA 90630
Prior Registrations	1861013;1861882;2277833;AND OTHERS
Description of Mark	Color is not claimed as a feature of the mark.
Type of Mark	TRADEMARK
Register	PRINCIPAL
Affidavit Text	SECT 8 (6-YR).
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VANS

Reg. No. 3,742,510 VANS, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORATION)
Registered Jan. 26, 2010 6550 KATELLA AVE.
CYPRSS, CA 90630

Int. Cls.: 9, 16, 25 and 41 FOR: SOUND RECORDINGS AND PRE-RECORDED VIDEOTAPES AND VIDEODISCS FEATURING A COMPILATION OF MUSICAL PERFORMANCES OF PUNK ROCK AND RELATED MUSICAL ARTISTS AND GROUP FEATURED IN CONNECTION WITH A SKATEBOARDING, EXTREME SPORTS FESTIVAL AND TOUR, IN CLASS 9 (U.S. CLS. 21, 23, 26, 36 AND 38).
**TRADEMARK
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PRINCIPAL REGISTER**

FIRST USE 7-1-1995; IN COMMERCE 7-1-1995.

FOR: SOUVENIR MERCHANDISE RELATED TO A SKATEBOARDING, EXTREME SPORTS, PUNK ROCK FESTIVAL AND TOUR, NAMELY POSTERS, PAPER BANNERS, STICKERS AND SOUVENIR PROGRAMS, IN CLASS 16 (U.S. CLS. 2, 5, 22, 23, 29, 37, 38 AND 50).

FIRST USE 7-1-1995; IN COMMERCE 7-1-1995.

FOR: SOUVENIR MERCHANDISE RELATED TO A SKATEBOARDING, EXTREME SPORTS, PUNK ROCK FESTIVAL AND TOUR, NAMELY T-SHIRTS, JACKETS, SWEATSHIRTS, THERMAL SHIRTS, CAPS AND HATS, IN CLASS 25 (U.S. CLS. 22 AND 39).

FIRST USE 7-1-1995; IN COMMERCE 7-1-1995.

FOR: ORGANIZING SKATEBOARDING, EXTREME SPORTS, PUNK ROCK FESTIVALS, CONCERTS AND TOURS, IN CLASS 41 (U.S. CLS. 100, 101 AND 107).

FIRST USE 7-1-1995; IN COMMERCE 7-1-1995.

THE MARK CONSISTS OF STANDARD CHARACTERS WITHOUT CLAIM TO ANY PARTICULAR FONT, STYLE, SIZE, OR COLOR.

SER. NO. 77-802,906, FILED 8-12-2009.

CHERYL CLAYTON, EXAMINING ATTORNEY



David J. Kyfos

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Word Mark	VANS
Goods and Services	<p>IC 009. US 021 023 026 036 038. G & S: sound recordings and pre-recorded videotapes and videodiscs featuring a compilation of musical performances of punk rock and related musical artists and group featured in connection with a skateboarding, extreme sports festival and tour. FIRST USE: 19950701. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19950701</p> <p>IC 016. US 002 005 022 023 029 037 038 050. G & S: souvenir merchandise related to a skateboarding, extreme sports, punk rock festival and tour, namely posters, paper banners, stickers and souvenir programs. FIRST USE: 19950701. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19950701</p> <p>IC 025. US 022 039. G & S: souvenir merchandise related to a skateboarding, extreme sports, punk rock festival and tour, namely t-shirts, jackets, sweatshirts, thermal shirts, caps and hats. FIRST USE: 19950701. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19950701</p> <p>IC 041. US 100 101 107. G & S: organizing skateboarding, extreme sports, punk rock festivals, concerts and tours. FIRST USE: 19950701. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19950701</p>
Standard Characters Claimed	
Mark Drawing Code	(4) STANDARD CHARACTER MARK
Serial Number	77802906
Filing Date	August 12, 2009
Current Basis	1A
Original Filing Basis	1A
Published for Opposition	November 10, 2009
Registration Number	3742510

Registration Date January 26, 2010
Owner (REGISTRANT) Vans, Inc. CORPORATION DELAWARE 6550 Katella Ave. Cyprss CALIFORNIA 90630
Type of Mark TRADEMARK. SERVICE MARK
Register PRINCIPAL
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Int. Cl.: 25

Prior U.S. Cls.: 22 and 39

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Reg. No. 3,117,220

Registered July 18, 2006

**TRADEMARK
PRINCIPAL REGISTER**

SYNDICATE

VANS, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORATION)
15700 SHOEMAKER AVENUE
SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA 90670

FOR: FOOTWEAR, NAMELY SNEAKERS, IN
CLASS 25 (U.S. CLS. 22 AND 39).

FIRST USE 12-1-2004; IN COMMERCE 12-1-2004.

THE MARK CONSISTS OF STANDARD CHAR-
ACTERS WITHOUT CLAIM TO ANY PARTICULAR
FONT, STYLE, SIZE, OR COLOR.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NO. 2,591,648.

SER. NO. 78-689,057, FILED 8-9-2005.

ELISSA GARBER KON, EXAMINING ATTORNEY

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Word Mark	SYNDICATE
Goods and Services	IC 025. US 022 039. G & S: footwear, namely sneakers. FIRST USE: 20041201. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 20041201
Standard Characters Claimed	
Mark Drawing Code	(4) STANDARD CHARACTER MARK
Serial Number	78689057
Filing Date	August 9, 2005
Current Basis	1A
Original Filing Basis	1A
Published for Opposition	April 25, 2006
Registration Number	3117220
Registration Date	July 18, 2006
Owner	(REGISTRANT) Vans, Inc. CORPORATION DELAWARE 15700 Shoemaker Avenue Santa Fe Springs CALIFORNIA 90670
Prior Registrations	2591648
Type of Mark	TRADEMARK
Register	PRINCIPAL
Affidavit Text	SECT 15. SECT 8 (6-YR).
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SYNDICATE

Reg. No. 4,510,471
Registered Apr. 8, 2014
Int. Cl.: 25

TRADEMARK
PRINCIPAL REGISTER

VANS, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORATION)
LEGAL DPT
6550 KATELLA AVE
CYPRESS, CA 90630

FOR: FOOTWEAR, NAMELY, SNEAKERS, HIGH-TOP SHOES, SANDALS, FLIP FLOPS, SKATEBOARDING SHOES, SURF SHOES, MOCCASINS; MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, NAMELY, SHIRTS, T-SHIRTS, TANK TOPS, SWEATERS, SWEATSHIRTS, HOODIES, FLEECE TOPS, FLEECE PULLOVERS, FLEECE BOTTOMS, JACKETS, PANTS, TROUSERS, DENIMS, LEGGINGS, SHORTS, BOARDSHORTS, SKIRTS, DRESSES, SWIMWEAR, SOCKS; BEANIES; HATS; BELTS FOR CLOTHING; BOXERS; MUKLUKS; SLIPPERS; SCARVES; GLOVES; MITTENS; SLEEPWEAR, IN CLASS 25 (U.S. CLS. 22 AND 39).

FIRST USE 7-31-1999; IN COMMERCE 7-31-1999.

THE MARK CONSISTS OF STANDARD CHARACTERS WITHOUT CLAIM TO ANY PARTICULAR FONT, STYLE, SIZE, OR COLOR.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NO. 3,117,220.

SER. NO. 86-049,593, FILED 8-27-2013.

FONG HSU, EXAMINING ATTORNEY



Michelle K. Lee
Deputy Director of the United States
Patent and Trademark Office

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Requirements in the First Ten Years*

What and When to File:

First Filing Deadline: You must file a Declaration of Use (or Excusable Nonuse) between the 5th and 6th years after the registration date. *See* 15 U.S.C. §§1058, 1141k. If the declaration is accepted, the registration will continue in force for the remainder of the ten-year period, calculated from the registration date, unless cancelled by an order of the Commissioner for Trademarks or a federal court.

Second Filing Deadline: You must file a Declaration of Use (or Excusable Nonuse) **and** an Application for Renewal between the 9th and 10th years after the registration date.*
See 15 U.S.C. §1059.

Requirements in Successive Ten-Year Periods*

What and When to File:

You must file a Declaration of Use (or Excusable Nonuse) **and** an Application for Renewal between every 9th and 10th-year period, calculated from the registration date.*

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The above documents will be accepted as timely if filed within six months after the deadlines listed above with the payment of an additional fee.

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