

Request for Reconsideration after Final Action

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MARK SECTION	
MARK	http://tmng-al.uspto.gov/resting2/api/img/86272988/large
LITERAL ELEMENT	TIAOWEN WANG
STANDARD CHARACTERS	YES
USPTO-GENERATED IMAGE	YES
MARK STATEMENT	The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font style, size or color.
ARGUMENT(S)	
<p>AMENDMENTS 1. Living Individual Inquiry: Applicant wishes to clarify that the name TIAOWEN WANG in the mark does not identify a particular living individual and asks that the application be amended to include the following statement: ?The name shown in the mark does not identify a particular living individual.? REMARKS This Request for Reconsideration responds to the Final Office Action mailed March 9, 2015. In this Final Office Action, the Examiner has required that Applicant clarify whether the name TIAOWEN WANG in the mark identifies a particular living individual. As part of this response, applicant has submitted an amendment to the application to include the statement that ?the name shown in the mark does not identify a particular living individual.? Applicant adopted the mark because its English translation is ?King of Stripes.? Because the Examining Attorney has issued a Final Office Action, Applicant has also submitted a Notice of Appeal directly with the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board. It is Applicant?s understanding that the Examining Attorney will have the opportunity to review Applicant?s Request for Reconsideration prior to institution of the appeal. Applicant requests that the Appeal be suspended by the Board pending the Examining Attorney?s review of this Request for Reconsideration. Conclusion In light of the above, Applicant believes it has responded to all issues raised in the Office Action and respectfully requests that the application be passed to publication. However, should any questions arise with respect to the application or the issues addressed herein, please contact the undersigned.</p>	
ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS SECTION	
NAME(S), PORTRAITS(S), SIGNATURE(S) OF INDIVIDUAL(S)	The name(s), portrait(s), and/or signature(s) shown in the mark does not identify a particular living individual.
SIGNATURE SECTION	

RESPONSE SIGNATURE	/TL/
SIGNATORY'S NAME	TARA LINKNER
SIGNATORY'S POSITION	ATTORNEY OF RECORD, ILLINOIS BAR MEMBER
SIGNATORY'S PHONE NUMBER	773-961-1547
DATE SIGNED	08/06/2015
AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY	YES
CONCURRENT APPEAL NOTICE FILED	YES
FILING INFORMATION SECTION	
SUBMIT DATE	Thu Aug 06 08:44:32 EDT 2015
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Request for Reconsideration after Final Action To the Commissioner for Trademarks:

Application serial no. **86272988** TIAOWEN WANG(Standard Characters, see <http://tmng-al.uspto.gov/resting2/api/img/86272988/large>) has been amended as follows:

ARGUMENT(S)

In response to the substantive refusal(s), please note the following:

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SIGNATURE(S)

Request for Reconsideration Signature

Signature: /TL/ Date: 08/06/2015

Signatory's Name: TARA LINKNER

Signatory's Position: ATTORNEY OF RECORD, ILLINOIS BAR MEMBER

Signatory's Phone Number: 773-961-1547

The signatory has confirmed that he/she is an attorney who is a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of a U.S. state, which includes the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and other federal territories and possessions; and he/she is currently the owner's/holder's attorney or an associate thereof; and to the best of his/her knowledge, if prior to his/her appointment another U.S. attorney or a Canadian attorney/agent not currently associated with his/her company/firm previously represented the owner/holder in this matter: (1) the owner/holder has filed or is concurrently filing a signed revocation of or substitute power of attorney with the USPTO; (2) the USPTO has granted the request of the prior representative to withdraw; (3) the owner/holder has filed a power of attorney appointing him/her in this matter; or (4) the owner's/holder's appointed U.S. attorney or Canadian attorney/agent has filed a power of attorney appointing him/her as an associate attorney in this matter.

The applicant is filing a Notice of Appeal in conjunction with this Request for Reconsideration.

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