

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

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In the Matter of Application No. 78/028,147
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ONAN CORPORATION)
Opposer,)

v.)

POWERENT LIMITED,)
Applicant.)

Opposition No. 125,764

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Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks
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Arlington, Virginia 22202-3513

APPLICANT'S ANSWER TO NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Applicant, Powerent Limited, for its Answer to the Notice of Opposition filed by Onan Corporation, against application for registration of the trademark POWERENT, Application No. 78/028147, filed September 28, 2000, and published in the *Official Gazette* on April 16, 2002, pleads and avers as follows:

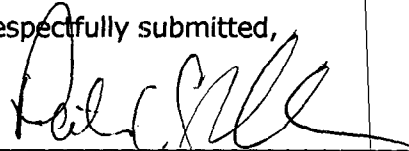
1. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations of Paragraph 1 of the Notice of Opposition, and accordingly denies the same.
2. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations of Paragraph 2 of the Notice of Opposition, and accordingly denies the same.
3. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations of Paragraph 3 of the Notice of Opposition, and accordingly denies the same.
4. Applicant admits the allegations of Paragraph 4 of the Notice of Opposition. However, applicant submits that the subject application, and the corresponding U.K. Registration No. 1365643, have been assigned to Longville Group Limited, a corporation of the United Kingdom, but such assignment has not yet been recorded.
5. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations of Paragraph 5 of the Notice of Opposition, and accordingly denies the same.

6. Applicant admits that it seeks registration for the mark POWERENT in Application Serial No. 78/028147. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the remaining allegations of Paragraph 6 of the Notice of Opposition, and accordingly denies the same.

7. Applicant denies the allegations of Paragraph 7 of the Notice of Opposition.

8. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations of Paragraph 8 of the Notice of Opposition, and accordingly denies the same.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks, Box TTAB, 2900 Crystal Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3513, on November 8, 2002.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing APPLICANT'S ANSWER TO NOTICE OF OPPOSITION was mailed by first class mail, postage prepaid, to Attorneys for Opposer: Jeffrey L. Costellia, Nixon Peabody LLP, 8180 Greensboro Drive, Suite 800, McLean, Virginia 22102, this 8th day of November, 2002.



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