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Opposition No. 91185443

Johnson & Johnson

v.

Sanjay Bhandari, and
Farmacia Chemists Limited

On February 6, 2009, the Board issued an order requiring --for the second time-- assignee and joined party defendant Sanjay Bhandari to provide his/her national citizenship for the record. In reply, applicants did not provide Sanjay Bhandari's citizenship, but instead stated in their March 2, 2009 filing that "[a]pplicant has gone into liquidation and the application will become abandoned."¹ The Board construes this as applicants' abandonment of their application Serial No. 76286667. Although the abandonment does not contain opposer's written consent, as required by Trademark Rule

¹The filing fails to indicate proof of service on opposer as required by Trademark Rule 2.119. In order to expedite this matter, opposer is directed to the following URL where it may view a copy of the filing:
<http://ttabvueint.uspto.gov/ttabvue/v?pno=91185443&pty=OPP&eno=13>

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2.135, the Board notes that opposer previously filed (on January 27, 2009) a withdrawal of the opposition. In view thereof, the application is abandoned without prejudice, and the opposition is dismissed without prejudice.

***By the Trademark Trial
and Appeal Board***