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

Proceeding	91226679
Party	Defendant Wenlan Chia
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
The Trademark Trial and Appeal Board**

In the matter of U.S. Serial No. 86/675,926  
For the mark TREK-A-PORTER TREK A PORTER

The Net-a-Porter Group Limited,	:	
	:	
Opposer,	:	
	:	
vs.	:	Opposition No. 91226679
	:	
Wenlan Chia,	:	
	:	
Applicant.	:	

**ANSWER AND GROUNDS OF DEFENSE**

COMES NOW Applicant, Wenlan Chia (hereinafter “Applicant”), by and through counsel, The Trademark Company, PLLC, and files its Answer and Grounds of Defense to the Notice of Opposition and in response to Opposer, The Net-a-Porter Group Limited’s (hereinafter “Opposer”), allegations states as follows:

**ANSWER**

Applicant denies the allegations set forth in the Introductory Paragraph of the Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof. In response to the specifically enumerated paragraphs, the Applicant states as follows:

1. Applicant is without knowledge of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 1 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies the same.
2. Applicant is without knowledge of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 2 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies the same.
3. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 3 of the Notice of Opposition as phrased and demands strict proof thereof.

4. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 4 of the Notice of Opposition as phrased and demands strict proof thereof.

5. Applicant is without knowledge of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 5 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies the same.

6. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 6 of the Notice of Opposition as phrased and demands strict proof thereof.

7. Applicant is without knowledge of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 7 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies the same.

8. Applicant cannot verify the authenticity of the attached Exhibit A and therefore denies the same.

9. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 9 of the Notice of Opposition as phrased and demands strict proof thereof.

10. Applicant admits the allegations set forth in Paragraph 10 of the Notice of Opposition.

11. Applicant admits the allegations set forth in Paragraph 11 of the Notice of Opposition.

12. Applicant is without knowledge of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 12 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies the same.

13. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in the second sentence of Paragraph 13 of the Notice of Opposition as phrased and demands strict proof thereof; otherwise, Applicant denies the allegations set forth in the Paragraph 13 of the Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

14. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 14 of the Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

15. Applicant hereby incorporates by reference its responses to the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 – 14 of the Notice of Opposition as stated hereinabove.

16. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 16 of the Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

17. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 17 of the Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

18. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 18 of the Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

19. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 19 of the Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

20. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 20 of the Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

Applicant further denies all allegations not specifically, actually or constructively, admitted in the foregoing paragraphs of this Answer and Grounds of Defense.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that the Notice of Opposition be dismissed.

Respectfully submitted this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I caused a copy of the foregoing this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016  
to be served, via first class mail, postage prepaid, upon:

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