Action brought on 19 January 2011 — Bank Refah Kargaran v Council

(Case T-24/11)

(2011/C 80/44)

Language of the case: French

Parties

Applicant: Bank Refah Kargaran (Tehran, Iran) (represented by: J.-M. Thouvenin, lawyer)

Defendant: Council of the European Union

Form of order sought

- Annul Decision 2010/644/CSFP of 26 October 2010 in so far as it concerns the applicant;
- Annul Council Regulation (EU) No 961/2010 of 25 October 2010 in so far as it concerns the applicant;
- Declare that Decision 2010/413/CSFP does not apply to the applicant;
- Order the Council to pay the costs.

Pleas in law and main arguments

The pleas in law and principal arguments raised by the applicant are, in essence, identical or similar to those raised in Case T-4/11 Export Development Bank of Iran v Council.

Action brought on 17 January 2011 — Germans Boada v OHIM (Shape of a ceramics cutter)

(Case T-25/11)

(2011/C 80/45)

Language of the case: Spanish

Parties

Applicant: Germans Boada (Rubí, Spain) (represented by J. Carbonell Callicó, lawyer)

Defendant: Office for Harmonisation in the Internal Market (Trade Marks and Designs)

Form of order sought

The applicant claims that the Court should:

 alter the decision of the First Board of Appeal of the Office for Harmonisation in the Internal Market (Trade Marks and Designs) of 28 October 2010, in Case R 771/2010-1, in accordance with Article 65(3) CTMR and on grounds of infringement of the principle of equal treatment and infringement of Article 7(1)(b) and (3) CTMR, and register three-dimensional trade mark 7.317.911;

- in the alternative and solely in the event that the first claim does not succeed, annul the decision of the First Board of Appeal of OHIM of 28 October 2010, in Case R 771/2010-1, on the ground of infringement of Articles 75 and 76 CTMR;
- order OHIM to pay the costs, in accordance with Article 87(2) CTMR.

Pleas in law and main arguments

Community trade mark concerned: Three-dimensional trade mark in the shape of a ceramics cutter, for goods in Class 8

Decision of the Examiner: Application refused

Decision of the Board of Appeal: Appeal dismissed

Pleas in law: Infringement of Article 7(1)(b) of Regulation (EC) No 207/2009, (¹) since the mark applied for has distinctive character, and of Article 7(3) of Regulation (EC) No 207/2009, on the ground that it has been shown that the mark concerned has acquired distinctiveness through use. Infringement of the principle of equal treatment and of Article 14 of the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, since OHIM should have taken into account only the facts and evidence submitted by the parties in due time. Infringement of Articles 75 and 76 of Regulation (EC) No 207/2009, on the ground that OHIM failed to take into account facts and evidence submitted by the applicant in due form and in due time.

Action brought on 14 January 2011 — Technische Universität Dresden v Commission

(Case T-29/11)

(2011/C 80/46)

Language of the case: German

Parties

Applicant: Technische Universität Dresden (Dresden, Germany) (represented by: G. Brüggen, lawyer)

Defendant: European Commission

⁽¹⁾ Council Regulation (EC) No 207/2009 of 26 February 2009 on the Community trade mark (OJ 2009 L 78, p. 1).