

5. Fifth plea in law, in the alternative, alleging an infringement of the general principle of legality and Article 16(1) of Council Regulation (EU) No 2015/1589 of 13 July 2015 laying down detailed rules for the application of Article 108 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union ⁽¹⁾ as recovery may be requested from the multinational groups to which the Belgian entities that have received a ruling belong.

⁽¹⁾ Council Regulation (EU) No 2015/1589 of 13 July 2015 laying down detailed rules for the application of Article 108 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (OJ 2015 L 248, p. 9).

Action brought on 23 March 2016 — PayPal v EUIPO — Hub Culture (VENMO)

(Case T-132/16)

(2016/C 191/49)

Language in which the application was lodged: English

Parties

Applicant: PayPal, Inc. (San Jose, California, United States) (represented by: A. Renck, lawyer and I. Junkar, Solicitor)

Defendant: European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO)

Other party to the proceedings before the Board of Appeal: Hub Culture Ltd (Hamilton, Bermuda)

Details of the proceedings before EUIPO

Proprietor of the trade mark at issue: Other party to the proceedings before the Board of Appeal

Trade mark at issue: EU word mark 'VENMO' — EU trade mark No 9 509 357

Procedure before EUIPO: Proceedings for a declaration of invalidity

Contested decision: Decision of the Fifth Board of Appeal of EUIPO of 12 January 2016 in Case R 2974/2014-5

Form of order sought

The applicant claims that the Court should:

- annul the contested decision;
- order that the costs of the proceeding be borne by EUIPO and by the other party to the proceedings before the Board of Appeal if it joins as intervener.

Plea in law

- Infringement of Article 52(1)(b) of Regulation No 207/2009.

Action brought on 5 April 2016 — Le Pen v Parliament

(Case T-140/16)

(2016/C 191/50)

Language of the case: French

Parties

Applicant: Jean-Marie Le Pen (La Trinité-sur-Mer, France) (represented by: M. Ceccaldi and J.P. Le Moigne, lawyers)