

Operative part of the judgment

The Court:

- 1) Dismisses the action;
- 2) Order PM to bear, in addition to its own costs, the costs incurred by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA).

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 402, 31.10.2016.

Judgment of the General Court of 17 October 2017 — Murka v EUIPO (SCATTER SLOTS)

(Case T-704/16) ⁽¹⁾

(EU trade mark — Application for the EU word mark SCATTER SLOTS — Absolute ground for refusal — Descriptiveness — Article 7(1)(c) of Regulation (EC) No 207/2009 (now Article 7(1)(c) of Regulation (EU) 2017/1001) — Distinctive character acquired through use — Article 7(3) of Regulation No 207/2009 (now Article 7(3) of Regulation (EU) 2017/1001))

(2017/C 402/41)

Language of the case: English

Parties

Applicant: Murka Ltd (Tortola, British Virgin Islands) (represented by: S. Santos Rodriguez, lawyer)

Defendant: European Union Intellectual Property Office (represented by: J. Ivanauskas, acting as Agent)

Re:

Action brought against the decision of the First Board of Appeal of EUIPO of 21 June 2016 (Case R 471/2016-1), concerning the application for registration of the word sign SCATTER SLOTS as an EU trade mark.

Operative part of the judgment

The Court:

1. Dismisses the action;
2. Orders Murka Ltd to pay the costs.

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 454, 5.12.2016.

Judgment of the General Court of 6 October 2017 — Karelia v EUIPO (KARELIA)

(Case T-878/16) ⁽¹⁾

(EU trade mark — Application for the EU word mark 'KARELIA' — Absolute ground for refusal — Descriptive character — No distinctive character — Article 7(1)(b) and (c) of Regulation (EC) No 207/2009 (now Article 7(1)(b) and (c) of Regulation (EU) 2017/1001)

(2017/C 402/42)

Language of the case: English

Parties

Applicant: Ino Karelia (Kalamata, Greece) (represented by: M. Karpathakis, lawyer)

Defendant: European Union Intellectual Property Office (represented by: L. Rampini, Agent)

Re:

Action brought against the decision of the Fifth Board of Appeal of EUIPO of 19 September 2016 (Case R 1562/2015-5), relating to an application for registration of the word sign 'KARELIA' as an EU trade mark

Operative part of the judgment

The Court:

1. *Dismisses the action;*
2. *Orders Ms Ino Karelia to pay the costs.*

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 38, 6.2.2017.

Order of the President of the General Court of 28 September 2017 — Vnesheconombank v Council
(Case T-737/14 R)

(Application for interim measures — Common foreign and security policy — Restrictive measures adopted in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine — Application for the suspension of operation of measures — No urgency)

(2017/C 402/43)

Language of the case: Spanish

Parties

Applicant: Bank for Development and Foreign Economic Affairs (Vnesheconombank) (Moscow, Russia) (represented by: J. Viñals Camallonga, J. Iriarte Ángel and L. Barriola Urruticoechea, lawyers)

Defendant: Council of the European Union (represented by: F. Florindo Gijón and P. Mahnič Bruni, acting as Agents)

Intervener in support of the defendant: European Commission (represented by: F. Castillo de la Torre, S. Pardo Quintillán and D. Gauci, acting as Agents)

Re:

Application based on Articles 278 and 279 TFEU seeking suspension of operation of Council Decision 2014/512/CFSP of 31 July 2014 concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine (OJ 2014, L 229, p. 13) and of Council Regulation (EU) No 833/2014 of 31 July 2014 concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine (OJ 2014 L 229, p. 1), in so far as they concern the applicant.

Operative part of the order

1. *The application for interim measures is dismissed.*
 2. *Costs are reserved.*
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