

Reports of Cases

Judgment of the General Court (First Chamber) of 30 September 2014 — Scooters India v OHIM — Brandconcern (LAMBRETTA)

(Case T-51/12)

(Community trade mark — Revocation proceedings — Community word mark LAMBRETTA — Genuine use of the mark — Partial revocation — Article 51(2) of Regulation (EC) No 207/2009)

- 1. Approximation of laws Trade marks Directive 2008/95 Identification of the goods or services concerned by the trade mark Use of the general indications in the headings of the classes of the Nice classification Lawfulness Conditions Sufficiently clear and precise identification (European Parliament and Council Directive 2008/95) (see para. 21)
- 2. Approximation of laws Trade marks Directive 2008/95 Identification of the goods or services concerned by the trade mark Use of the general indications in the headings of the classes of the Nice classification Extent of the resulting protection Obligation on the applicant to specify the products or services covered by his application (European Parliament and Council Directive 2008/95) (see para. 22)

Re:

ACTION brought against the decision of the First Board of Appeal of OHIM of 1 December 2011 (Case R 2312/2010-1), relating to revocation proceedings between Brandconcern BV and Scooters India Ltd.

Operative part

The Court:

1. Annuls the decision of the First Board of Appeal of the Office for Harmonisation in the Internal Market (Trade Marks and Designs) (OHIM) of 1 December 2011 (Case R 2312/2010-1);

- 2. Orders OHIM to bear its own costs and to pay those incurred by Scooters India Ltd, including those incurred for the purposes of the proceedings before the Board of Appeal;
- 3. Orders Brandconcern BV to bear its own costs.