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Mark: INVISIBLE DISABILITIES

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US Serial Number: 85548560 Application Filing Feb. 21, 2012

Date:

US Registration 4315808 Registration Date: Apr. 09, 2013
Number:

Register: Principal

Mark Type: Service Mark

Status: Registered. The registration date is used to determine when post-registration maintenance documents are due.

Status Date: Apr. 09, 2013

Publication Date: Jan. 22, 2013

#### **Mark Information**

Mark Literal INVISIBLE DISABILITIES

Elements:

Standard Character Yes. The mark consists of standard characters without claim to any particular font style, size, or color.

Claim:

Mark Drawing 4 - STANDARD CHARACTER MARK

Type:

Disclaimer: "DISABILITIES"

#### **Goods and Services**

Note: The following symbols indicate that the registrant/owner has amended the goods/services:

• Brackets [..] indicate deleted goods/services;

• Double parenthesis ((..)) identify any goods/services not claimed in a Section 15 affidavit of incontestability; and

Asterisks \*..\* identify additional (new) wording in the goods/services.

For: charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals

with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain

International 036 - Primary Class U.S Class(es): 100, 101, 102

Class(es):

Class Status: ACTIVE

Basis: 1(a)

**First Use:** Jan. 01, 2010 **Use in Commerce:** Jul. 01, 2010

For: Education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, bike-a-thons, concerts, cultural and art events, health fairs and walk-a-thons, in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals

with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain

International 041 - Primary Class U.S Class(es): 100, 101, 107

Class(es):

Class Status: ACTIVE

Basis: 1(a)

**First Use:** Jan. 01, 2010 **Use in Commerce:** Mar. 01, 2010

#### **Basis Information (Case Level)**

 Filed Use: Yes
 Currently Use: Yes
 Amended Use: No

 Filed ITU: No
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 Filed 44D: No
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 Amended 44D: No

Filed 44E: No Currently 44E: No Amended 44E: No

Filed 66A: No Currently 66A: No Filed No Basis: No Currently No Basis: No

#### **Current Owner(s) Information**

Owner Name: Invisible Disabilities Association

Owner Address: P.O. Box 4067

Parker, COLORADO 80134

UNITED STATES

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION

State or Country COLORADO

Where Organized:

## **Attorney/Correspondence Information**

#### Attorney of Record

Attorney Name: Andrew A. Gonzalez, Esq., NY Bar Member

Correspondent

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Name/Address: GONZALEZ & OBERLANDER LLP

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UNITED STATES

#### **Domestic Representative - Not Found**

#### **Prosecution History**

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#### **TM Staff and Location Information**

TM Staff Information - None

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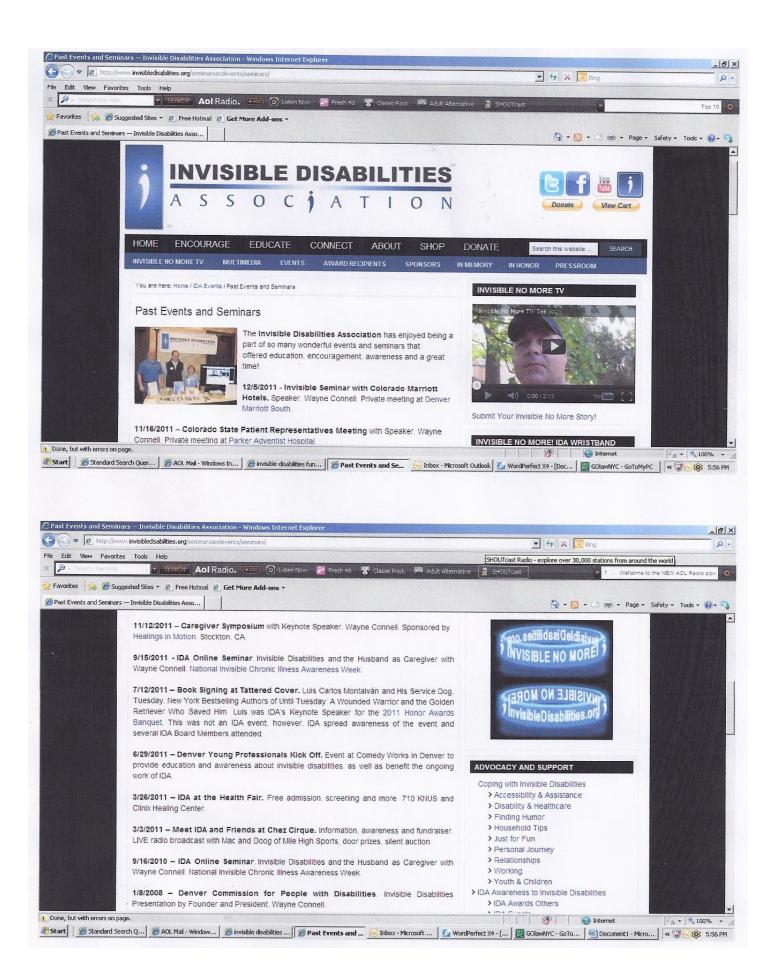
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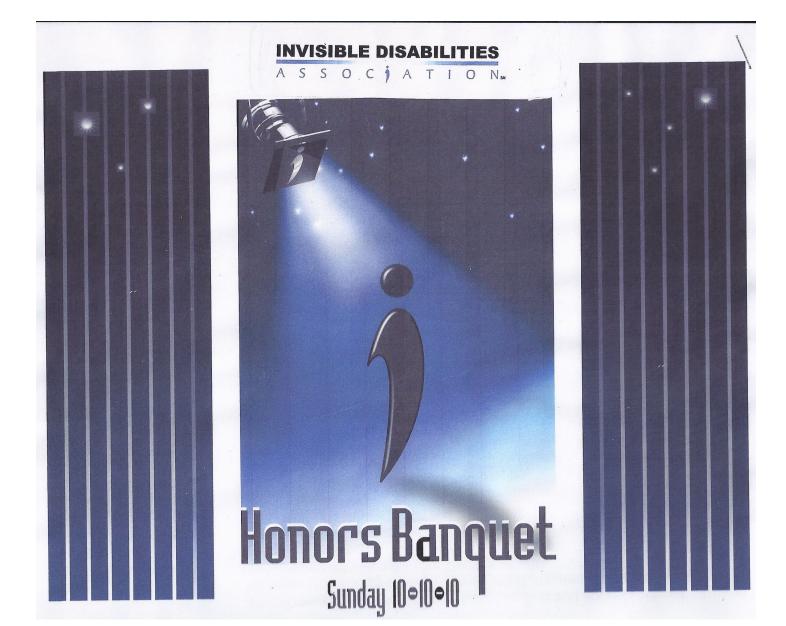
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## **Trademark/Service Mark Application, Principal Register**

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LITERAL ELEMENT	INVISIBLE DISABILITIES	
MARK STATEMENT	The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font, style, size, or color.	
REGISTER	Principal	
APPLICANT INFORMATION		
*OWNER OF MARK	Invisible Disabilities Association	
*STREET	P.O. Box 4067	
*CITY	Parker	
*STATE (Required for U.S. applicants)	Colorado	
*COUNTRY	United States	
*ZIP/POSTAL CODE (Required for U.S. applicants only)	80134	
PHONE	[720] 432-1144	
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ТҮРЕ	corporation	
STATE/COUNTRY OF INCORPORATION	Colorado	
GOODS AND/OR SERVICES AND BASIS INFORMAT	ΓΙΟΝ	
INTERNATIONAL CLASS	036	
*IDENTIFICATION	charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain	
FILING BASIS	SECTION 1(a)	
FIRST USE ANYWHERE DATE	At least as early as 01/01/2010	
FIRST USE IN COMMERCE DATE	At least as early as 07/01/2010	
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SPECIMEN DESCRIPTION	promotional literature offering events and seminars showing the mark as filed		
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SIGNATORY'S NAME	Andrew A. Gonzalez, Esq., NY Bar Member			
SIGNATORY'S POSITION	Attorney of Record			
DATE SIGNED	02/20/2012			

#### Trademark/Service Mark Application, Principal Register

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#### **To the Commissioner for Trademarks:**

MARK: INVISIBLE DISABILITIES (Standard Characters, see <u>mark</u>)
The literal element of the mark consists of INVISIBLE DISABILITIES.
The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font, style, size, or color.

The applicant, Invisible Disabilities Association, a corporation of Colorado, having an address of P.O. Box 4067
Parker, Colorado 80134
United States

requests registration of the trademark/service mark identified above in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the Principal Register established by the Act of July 5, 1946 (15 U.S.C. Section 1051 et seq.), as amended, for the following:

International Class 036: charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain

In International Class 036, the mark was first used by the applicant or the applicant's related company or licensee or predecessor in interest at least as early as 01/01/2010, and first used in commerce at least as early as 07/01/2010, and is now in use in such commerce. The applicant is submitting one(or more) specimen(s) showing the mark as used in commerce on or in connection with any item in the class of listed goods and/or services, consisting of a(n) promotional literature requesting charitible and fundraising support showing the mark as filed.

Specimen File1

International Class 041: education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain

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Specimen File1
Specimen File2

The applicant's current Attorney Information:

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A fee payment in the amount of \$650 has been submitted with the application, representing payment for 2 class(es).

#### **Declaration**

The undersigned, being hereby warned that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, and that such willful false statements, and the like, may jeopardize the validity of the application or any resulting registration, declares that he/she is properly authorized to execute this application on behalf of the applicant; he/she believes the applicant to be the owner of the trademark/service mark sought to be registered, or, if the application is being filed under 15 U.S.C. Section 1051(b), he/she believes applicant to be entitled to use such mark in commerce; to the best of his/her knowledge and belief no other person, firm, corporation, or association has the right to use the mark in commerce, either in the identical form thereof or in such near resemblance thereto as to be likely, when used on or in connection with the goods/services of such other person, to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive; and that all statements made of his/her own knowledge are true; and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

#### **Declaration Signature**

Signature: /aag/ Date: 02/20/2012

Signatory's Name: Andrew A. Gonzalez, Esq., NY Bar Member

Signatory's Position: Attorney of Record

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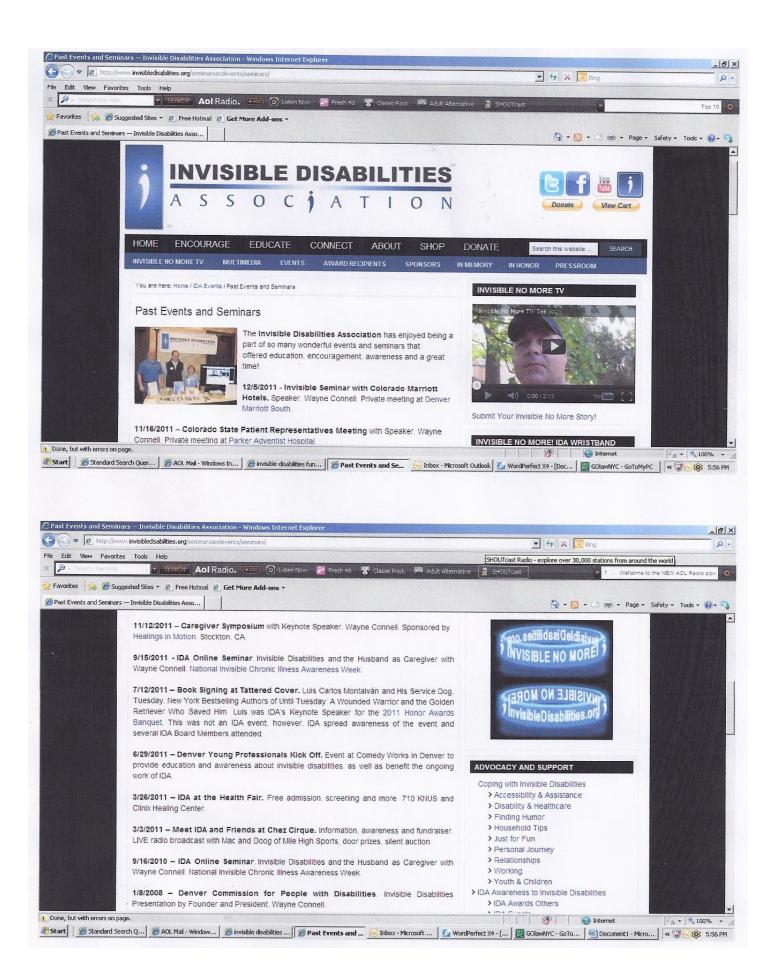
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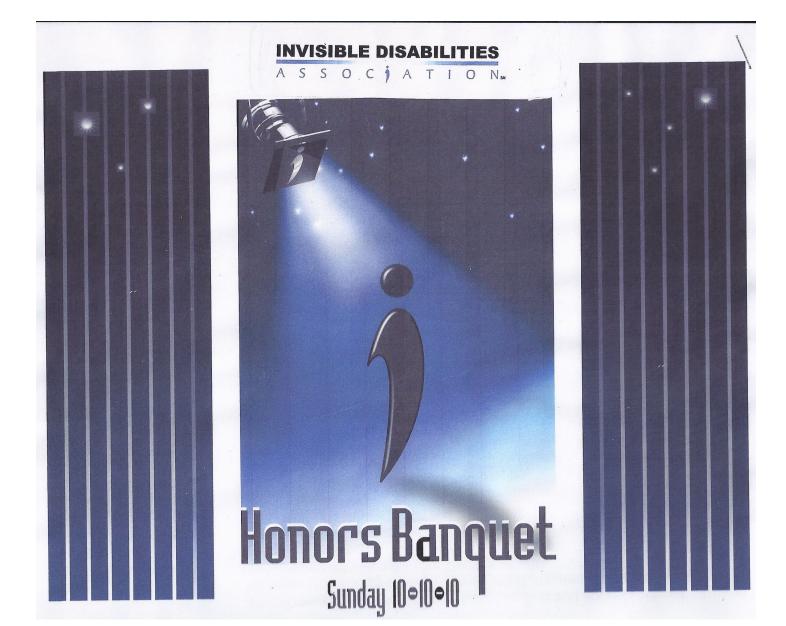
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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (USPTO) OFFICE ACTION (OFFICIAL LETTER) ABOUT APPLICANT'S TRADEMARK APPLICATION

**APPLICATION SERIAL NO.** 85548560

**MARK**: INVISIBLE DISABILITIES

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#### CORRESPONDENT ADDRESS:

ANDREW A. GONZALEZ, ESQ., NY BAR MEMBER GONZALEZ & OBERLANDER LLP 841 BROADWAY STE 500 NEW YORK, NY 10003-4704 CLICK HERE TO RESPOND TO THIS LETTER: http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/teas/response\_forms.jsp

**APPLICANT**: Invisible Disabilities Association

CORRESPONDENT'S REFERENCE/DOCKET NO:

N/A

**CORRESPONDENT E-MAIL ADDRESS:** 

#### **OFFICE ACTION**

#### STRICT DEADLINE TO RESPOND TO THIS LETTER

TO AVOID ABANDONMENT OF APPLICANT'S TRADEMARK APPLICATION, THE USPTO MUST RECEIVE APPLICANT'S COMPLETE RESPONSE TO THIS LETTER WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF THE ISSUE/MAILING DATE BELOW.

#### **ISSUE/MAILING DATE:**

The referenced application has been reviewed by the assigned trademark examining attorney. Applicant must respond timely and completely to the issue(s) below. 15 U.S.C. §1062(b); 37 C.F.R. §§2.62, 2.65(a); TMEP §§711, 718.03.

#### **Search of Office Records for Conflicting Marks**

The Office records have been searched and there are no similar registered or pending marks that would bar registration under Trademark Act Section 2(d), 15 U.S.C. §1052(d). TMEP §704.02.

#### **Summary of the Issues**

- 1. Identification of the Services in International Class 41;
- 2. Disclaimer of "DISABILITIES".

#### <u>Identification of the Services – International Class 41 Only</u>

NOTE: The identification of the services in International Class 36 is acceptable as submitted. The requirement for an acceptable identification applies only to the services listed in International Class 41.

The applicant has applied for the mark "i" for "education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 41.

The wording "education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" is acceptable as submitted.

However, the wording "entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" is indefinite and must be clarified. *See* TMEP §1402.01. Specifically, the term "events" is indefinite as the applicant is required to provide its type of events. For example, if accurate, the applicant may amend to "entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, *namely, cultural and art events* in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class

Additionally, the wording "presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" is indefinite because the applicant has failed to provide the field of the services. For example, it is not clear if the applicant is providing these services as entertainment or for educational purposes (or both). Therefore, the applicant must provide the field of its presentation of live speaking engagements.

Applicant must use the common commercial or generic names for the services, be as complete and specific as possible, and avoid the use of indefinite words and phrases. If applicant uses indefinite words and phrases such as "services in connection with," "such as," "including," "and like services," "systems," "products," "concepts," or "not limited to," such wording must be followed by "namely," and a list of the specific services identified by their common commercial or generic names. *See* TMEP §§1402.01, 1402.03(a).

Applicant may substitute the following wording, if accurate:

"Charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 36; (no change)

"Education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, *namely, cultural and art events* in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; *entertainment and educational services, namely*, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 41.

TMEP §§1402.01 and 1402.03.

The identification of goods or services should be clear, accurate and as concise as possible. See Procter & Gamble Co. v. Economics Laboratory, Inc., 175 USPQ 505 (TTAB 1972); In re Cardinal Laboratories, Inc., 149 USPQ 709 (TTAB 1966); California Spray-Chemical Corp. v. Osmose Wood Preserving Co. of America, Inc., 102 USPQ 321 (Comm'r Pats. 1954); Ex parte A.C. Gilbert Co., 99 USPQ 344 (Comm'r Pats. 1953). Furthermore, the identification of goods and services must be specific and definite. In re Societe Generale des Eaux Minerales de Vittel S.A., 1 USPQ2d 1296 (TTAB 1986), rev'd on other grounds, 824 F.2d 957, 3 USPQ2d 1450 (Fed. Cir. 1987).

The examining attorney may make any requirements necessary to ensure that the identification is clear and accurate and conforms to the requirements of the statute and rules. When an applicant has submitted an indefinite identification of goods or services, it is Office practice to suggest an acceptable identification. However, *it is the applicant's duty and prerogative to identify the goods and services.* TMEP Section 1402.01(d).

Although identifications of services may be amended to clarify or limit the services, adding to or broadening the scope of the services is not permitted. 37 C.F.R. §2.71(a); *see* TMEP §§1402.06 *et seq.*, 1402.07. Therefore, applicant may not amend the identification to include services that are not within the scope of the services set forth in the present identification.

For assistance with identifying and classifying goods and/or services in trademark applications, please see the online searchable *Manual of Acceptable Identifications of Goods and Services* at <a href="http://tess2.uspto.gov/netahtml/tidm.html">http://tess2.uspto.gov/netahtml/tidm.html</a>. See TMEP §1402.04.

#### **Disclaimer Required**

Applicant must disclaim the descriptive word "DISABILITIES" apart from the mark as shown because it merely describes a feature and characteristic of the services. *See* 15 U.S.C. §1056(a); TMEP §§1213, 1213.03(a).

The applicant has applied for the mark "INVISIBLE DISABILITIES" for "Charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 36; "education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 41.

The term "disabilities" is defined as "i»¿an illness, injury or condition that makes it difficult for someone to do the things that other people do". (See attached definition). As is evident by the applicant's identification, the applicant's services are for the benefit of those who have disabilities (chronic illnesses, injuries and pain). Thus, the applicant's use of the term "disabilities" merely describes a feature and characteristic of the services. Therefore, the term "disabilities" is merely descriptive and must be disclaimed.

The Office can require an applicant to disclaim an unregistrable part of a mark consisting of particular wording, symbols, numbers, design elements or combinations thereof. 15 U.S.C. §1056(a). Under Trademark Act Section 2(e), the Office can refuse registration of an entire mark if

the entire mark is merely descriptive, deceptively misdescriptive, or primarily geographically descriptive of the goods. 15 U.S.C. §1052(e). Thus, the Office may require an applicant to disclaim a portion of a mark that, when used in connection with the goods or services, is merely descriptive, deceptively misdescriptive, primarily geographically descriptive, or otherwise unregistrable (e.g., generic). *See* TMEP §§1213, 1213.03.

Failure to comply with a disclaimer requirement can result in a refusal to register the entire mark. TMEP §1213.01(b).

A "disclaimer" is a statement that applicant does not claim exclusive rights to an unregistrable component of a mark. TMEP §1213. A disclaimer does not affect the appearance of the applied-for mark. See TMEP §1213.10.

A disclaimer does not physically remove the disclaimed matter from the mark, but rather is a written statement that applicant does not claim exclusive rights to the disclaimed wording and/or design separate and apart from the mark as shown in the drawing. TMEP §§1213, 1213.10.

The following cases further explain the disclaimer requirement: *Dena Corp. v. Belvedere Int'l Inc.*, 950 F.2d 1555, 21 USPQ2d 1047 (Fed. Cir. 1991); *In re Brown-Forman Corp.*, 81 USPQ2d 1284 (TTAB 2006); *In re Kraft, Inc.*, 218 USPQ 571 (TTAB 1983).

The computerized printing format for the Office's *Trademark Official Gazette* requires a standardized format for a disclaimer. TMEP §1213.08(a)(i). The following is the standard format used by the Office:

No claim is made to the exclusive right to use "DISABILITIES" apart from the mark as shown.

TMEP §1213.08(a)(i); see In re Owatonna Tool Co., 231 USPQ 493 (Comm'r Pats. 1983).

#### **Telephone Response Suggested**

Applicant is encouraged to telephone the assigned trademark examining attorney to resolve the issues raised in this Office action.

/Ty Murray/ Attorney Advisor Law Office 113 571-272-9438 ty.murray@uspto.gov

TO RESPOND TO THIS LETTER: Go to <a href="http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/teas/response\_forms.jsp">http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/teas/response\_forms.jsp</a>. Please wait 48-72 hours from the issue/mailing date before using TEAS, to allow for necessary system updates of the application. For *technical* assistance with online forms, e-mail <a href="https://example.gov">TEAS@uspto.gov</a>. For questions about the Office action itself, please contact the assigned trademark examining attorney. E-mail communications will not be accepted as responses to Office actions; therefore, do not respond to this Office action by e-mail.

All informal e-mail communications relevant to this application will be placed in the official application record.

WHO MUST SIGN THE RESPONSE: It must be personally signed by an individual applicant or someone with legal authority to bind an applicant (i.e., a corporate officer, a general partner, all joint applicants). If an applicant is represented by an attorney, the attorney must sign the response.

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#### **Response to Office Action**

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MARK STATEMENT	The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font style, size or color.			
GOODS AND/OR SERVICES SECTION (036)(no ch	nange)			
GOODS AND/OR SERVICES SECTION (041)(curre	ent)			
INTERNATIONAL CLASS 041				
DESCRIPTION				
education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain;				

injuries and pain

FILING BASIS	Section 1(a)
FIRST USE ANYWHERE DATE	At least as early as 01/01/2010
FIRST USE IN COMMERCE DATE	At least as early as 03/01/2010

#### GOODS AND/OR SERVICES SECTION (041)(proposed)

INTERNATIONAL CLASS

#### TRACKED TEXT DESCRIPTION

education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, auctions, bike-a-thons, concerts, cultural and arts events, health fairs and walk-a-thons, in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain

#### FINAL DESCRIPTION

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FILING BASIS	Section 1(a)			
FIRST USE ANYWHERE DATE	At least as early as 01/01/2010			
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ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS SECTION				
No claim is made to the exclusive right to use DISABILITIES apart from the mar as shown.				
SIGNATURE SECTION				
RESPONSE SIGNATURE	/aag/			
SIGNATORY'S NAME Andrew A. Gonzalez, Esq., NY Bar Member				
SIGNATORY'S POSITION Attorney of Record				
SIGNATORY'S PHONE NUMBER	[914] 220-5474 and [212] 587-7977			
DATE SIGNED	08/02/2012			
AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY	YES			
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#### **Response to Office Action**

#### **To the Commissioner for Trademarks:**

Application serial no. **85548560** INVISIBLE DISABILITIES(Standard Characters, see http://tess2.uspto.gov/ImageAgent/ImageAgentProxy?getImage=85548560) has been amended as follows:

#### CLASSIFICATION AND LISTING OF GOODS/SERVICES

#### Applicant proposes to amend the following class of goods/services in the application:

Current: Class 041 for education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain

Original Filing Basis:

Filing Basis: Section 1(a), Use in Commerce: The applicant is using the mark in commerce, or the applicant's related company or licensee is using the mark in commerce, on or in connection with the identified goods and/or services. 15 U.S.C. Section 1051(a), as amended. The mark was first used at least as early as 01/01/2010 and first used in commerce at least as early as 03/01/2010, and is now in use in such commerce.

#### Proposed

**Tracked Text Description:** education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, auctions, bike-a-thons, concerts, cultural and arts events, health fairs and walk-a-thons, in support of individuals

with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain

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#### ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

#### Disclaimer

No claim is made to the exclusive right to use DISABILITIES apart from the mark as shown.

#### SIGNATURE(S) Response Signature

Signature: /aag/ Date: 08/02/2012

Signatory's Name: Andrew A. Gonzalez, Esq., NY Bar Member

Signatory's Position: Attorney of Record

Signatory's Phone Number: [914] 220-5474 and [212] 587-7977

The signatory has confirmed that he/she is an attorney who is a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of a U.S. state, which includes the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and other federal territories and possessions; and he/she is currently the applicant's attorney or an associate thereof; and to the best of his/her knowledge, if prior to his/her appointment another U.S. attorney or a Canadian attorney/agent not currently associated with his/her company/firm previously represented the applicant in this matter: (1) the applicant has filed or is concurrently filing a signed revocation of or substitute power of attorney with the USPTO; (2) the USPTO has granted the request of the prior representative to withdraw; (3) the applicant has filed a power of attorney appointing him/her in this matter; or (4) the applicant's appointed U.S. attorney or Canadian attorney/agent has filed a power of attorney appointing him/her as an associate attorney in this matter.

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#### **PUB INFORMATION**

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#### MARK DATA

STANDARD CHARACTER MARK	YES
LITERAL MARK ELEMENT	INVISIBLE DISABILITIES
MARK DRAWING CODE	4-STANDARD CHARACTER MARK
COLOR DRAWING FLAG	NO

#### **CURRENT OWNER INFORMATION**

PARTY TYPE	10-ORIGINAL APPLICANT
NAME	Invisible Disabilities Association
ADDRESS	P.O. Box 4067 Parker, CO 80134
ENTITY	03-CORPORATION

CITIZENSHIP	Colorado
GOODS AND	D SERVICES
INTERNATIONAL CLASS	036
DESCRIPTION TEXT	charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain
INTERNATIONAL CLASS	041
DESCRIPTION TEXT	education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, auctions, bike-a-thons, concerts, cultural and arts events, health fairs and walk-a-thons, in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain

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DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE	NONE		

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (USPTO) OFFICE ACTION (OFFICIAL LETTER) ABOUT APPLICANT'S TRADEMARK APPLICATION

**APPLICATION SERIAL NO.** 85548560

**MARK**: INVISIBLE DISABILITIES

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#### CORRESPONDENT ADDRESS:

ANDREW A. GONZALEZ, ESQ., NY BAR MEMBER GONZALEZ & OBERLANDER LLP 841 BROADWAY STE 500 NEW YORK, NY 10003-4704 CLICK HERE TO RESPOND TO THIS LETTER:

http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/teas/response\_forms.jsp

**APPLICANT**: Invisible Disabilities Association

**CORRESPONDENT'S REFERENCE/DOCKET NO:** 

N/A

**CORRESPONDENT E-MAIL ADDRESS:** 

#### **OFFICE ACTION**

#### STRICT DEADLINE TO RESPOND TO THIS LETTER

TO AVOID ABANDONMENT OF APPLICANT'S TRADEMARK APPLICATION, THE USPTO MUST RECEIVE APPLICANT'S COMPLETE RESPONSE TO THIS LETTER WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF THE ISSUE/MAILING DATE BELOW.

#### **ISSUE/MAILING DATE:**

#### THIS IS A FINAL ACTION.

This Final Action is in reply to the applicant's Response of August 7, 2012. The applicant's amended identification in International Class 41 remains indefinite. Therefore the requirement for an acceptable identification of the services in International Class 41 is made FINAL.

#### **Identification/Classification of the Services – International Class 41**

The applicant has applied for the mark INVISIBLE DISABILITIES for the amended identification of "education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, auctions, bike-a-thons, concerts, cultural and arts events, health fairs and walk-a-thons, in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 41.

The wording "education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" is acceptable as amended in International Class 41.

However, the wording "entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, auctions...." in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in the identification of services in International Class 41 is indefinite and must be clarified. *See* TMEP §1402.01.

Specifically, all auction services, including organizing and conducting auctions are properly classified in International Class 35. Therefore, the applicant must amend the application to include these services in International Class 35.

Applicant must use the common commercial or generic names for the services, be as complete and specific as possible, and avoid the use of indefinite words and phrases. If applicant uses indefinite words and phrases such as "services in connection with," "such as," "including," "and like services," "systems," "products," "concepts," or "not limited to," such wording must be followed by "namely," and a list of the

specific services identified by their common commercial or generic names. See TMEP §§1402.01, 1402.03(a).

Applicant may substitute the following wording, if accurate:

"Organizing and conducting charity auctions in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 35;

"Charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 36;

"Education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, bike-a-thons, concerts, cultural and art events, health fairs and walk-a-thons, in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 41.

TMEP §§1402.01 and 1402.03.

The identification of goods or services should be clear, accurate and as concise as possible. See Procter & Gamble Co. v. Economics Laboratory, Inc., 175 USPQ 505 (TTAB 1972); In re Cardinal Laboratories, Inc., 149 USPQ 709 (TTAB 1966); California Spray-Chemical Corp. v. Osmose Wood Preserving Co. of America, Inc., 102 USPQ 321 (Comm'r Pats. 1954); Ex parte A.C. Gilbert Co., 99 USPQ 344 (Comm'r Pats. 1953). Furthermore, the identification of goods and services must be specific and definite. In re Societe Generale des Eaux Minerales de Vittel S.A., 1 USPQ2d 1296 (TTAB 1986), rev'd on other grounds, 824 F.2d 957, 3 USPQ2d 1450 (Fed. Cir. 1987).

The examining attorney may make any requirements necessary to ensure that the identification is clear and accurate and conforms to the requirements of the statute and rules. When an applicant has submitted an indefinite identification of goods or services, it is Office practice to suggest an acceptable identification. However, *it is the applicant's duty and prerogative to identify the goods and services*. TMEP Section 1402.01(d).

Although identifications of services may be amended to clarify or limit the services, adding to or broadening the scope of the services is not permitted. 37 C.F.R. §2.71(a); see TMEP §§1402.06 et seq., 1402.07. Therefore, applicant may not amend the identification to include services that are not within the scope of the services set forth in the present identification.

For assistance with identifying and classifying goods and/or services in trademark applications, please see the online searchable *Manual of Acceptable Identifications of Goods and Services* at http://tess2.uspto.gov/netahtml/tidm.html. *See* TMEP §1402.04.

#### **Multi-Class Advisory**

For an application with more than one international class, called a "multiple-class application," an applicant must meet all the requirements below for those international classes based on use in commerce:

- (1) LIST GOODS AND/OR SERVICES BY INTERNATIONAL CLASS: Applicant must list the goods and/or services by international class.
- (2) PROVIDE FEES FOR ALL INTERNATIONAL CLASSES: Applicant must submit an application filing fee for each international class of goods and/or services not covered by the fee(s) already paid (confirm current fee information at <a href="http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/tm\_fee\_info.jsp">http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/tm\_fee\_info.jsp</a>).
- (3) SUBMIT REQUIRED STATEMENTS AND EVIDENCE: For each international class of goods and/or services, applicant must also submit the following:
  - (a) DATES OF USE: Dates of first use of the mark anywhere and dates of first use of the mark in commerce, or a statement that the dates of use in the initial application apply to that class. The dates of use, both anywhere and in commerce, must be at least as early as the filing date of the application.
  - (b) SPECIMEN: One specimen showing the mark in use in commerce for each international class of goods and/or services. Applicant must have used the specimen in commerce at least as early as the filing date of the application. If a single specimen supports multiple international classes, applicant should indicate which classes the specimen supports. Examples of specimens for goods are tags, labels, instruction manuals, containers, photographs that show the mark on the actual goods or packaging, or displays associated with the goods at their point of sale. See TMEP §§904.03 et seq. Examples of specimens for services are signs, photographs, brochures, website printouts, or advertisements that show the mark used in the actual sale or advertising of the services. See TMEP §§1301.04 et seq.

- (c) STATEMENT: The following statement: "The specimen was in use in commerce on or in connection with the goods and/or services listed in the application at least as early as the filing date of the application."
- (d) VERIFICATION: Applicant must verify the statements in 3(a) and 3(c) (above) in an affidavit or signed declaration under 37 C.F.R. §2.20. Verification is not required where (1) the dates of use for the added class are stated to be the same as the dates of use specified in the initial application, and (2) the original specimens are acceptable for the added class(es).

See 15 U.S.C. §\$1051(a), 1112, 1127; 37 C.F.R. §\$2.32(a)(5), 2.34(a)(1), 2.56(a), 2.71(c), 2.86(a), 2.193(e)(1); TMEP §\$1403.01, 1403.02(c).

With respect to the specimen requirement in 3(b) above in which a specimen is required for each international class of services, the specimen(s) of record is acceptable for International Classes 36 and 41 only. Applicant must submit additional specimens if different international classes are added to the application.

#### **Advisory Regarding Response to FINAL Action**

If applicant does not respond within six months of the date of issuance of this final Office action, the following services to which the final refusal(s) and/or requirement(s) apply will be **deleted** from the application by Examiner's Amendment: "Entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, auctions, in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain."

The application will then proceed for the following services: "Charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 36;

"Education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, bike-a-thons, concerts, cultural and arts events, health fairs and walk-a-thons, in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 41.

15 U.S.C. §1062(b); 37 C.F.R. §2.65(a).

Applicant may respond to this final Office action by:

- (1) Submitting a response that fully satisfies all outstanding requirements, if feasible; and/or
- (2) Filing an appeal to the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board, with an appeal fee of \$100 per class.

37 C.F.R. §§2.6(a)(18), 2.64(a); TBMP ch. 1200; TMEP §714.04.

In certain rare circumstances, a petition to the Director may be filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §2.63(b)(2) to review a final Office action that is limited to procedural issues. 37 C.F.R. §2.64(a); TMEP §714.04; *see* 37 C.F.R. §2.146(b); TBMP §1201.05; TMEP §1704 (explaining petitionable matters). The petition fee is \$100. 37 C.F.R. §2.6(a)(15). If the applicant has any questions, please contact the undersigned.

/Ty Murray/ Attorney Advisor Law Office 113 571-272-9438 ty.murray@uspto.gov

TO RESPOND TO THIS LETTER: Go to <a href="http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/teas/response\_forms.jsp">http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/teas/response\_forms.jsp</a>. Please wait 48-72 hours from the issue/mailing date before using TEAS, to allow for necessary system updates of the application. For technical assistance with online forms, e-mail <a href="mailto:TEAS@uspto.gov">TEAS@uspto.gov</a>. For questions about the Office action itself, please contact the assigned trademark examining attorney. E-mail communications will not be accepted as responses to Office actions; therefore, do not respond to this Office action by e-mail.

All informal e-mail communications relevant to this application will be placed in the official application record.

**WHO MUST SIGN THE RESPONSE:** It must be personally signed by an individual applicant or someone with legal authority to bind an applicant (i.e., a corporate officer, a general partner, all joint applicants). If an applicant is represented by an attorney, the attorney must sign the response.

**PERIODICALLY CHECK THE STATUS OF THE APPLICATION:** To ensure that applicant does not miss crucial deadlines or official notices, check the status of the application every three to four months using Trademark Applications and Registrations Retrieval (TARR) at

<u>http://tarr.uspto.gov/</u>. Please keep a copy of the complete TARR screen. If TARR shows no change for more than six months, call 1-800-786-9199. For more information on checking status, see <a href="http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/process/status/">http://www.uspto.gov/trademarks/process/status/</a>.

TO UPDATE CORRESPONDENCE/E-MAIL ADDRESS: Use the TEAS form at <a href="http://www.uspto.gov/teas/eTEASpageE.htm">http://www.uspto.gov/teas/eTEASpageE.htm</a>.

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APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 85548560

**MARK**: INVISIBLE DISABILITIES

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CORRESPONDENT ADDRESS:

ANDREW A. GONZALEZ, ESQ., NY BAR **MEMBER** GONZALEZ & OBERLANDER LLP

841 BROADWAY STE 500 NEW YORK, NY 10003-4704 GENERAL TRADEMARK INFORMATION:

http://www.uspto.gov/main/trademarks.htm

APPLICANT: Invisible Disabilities Association

CORRESPONDENT'S REFERENCE/DOCKET NO:

N/A

CORRESPONDENT E-MAIL ADDRESS:

#### **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

#### ISSUE/MAILING DATE:

**APPLICATION HAS BEEN AMENDED:** In accordance with the authorization granted by ANDREW A. GONZALEZ on November 29, 2012, the trademark examining attorney has amended the application as indicated below. Please advise the undersigned immediately of any objections. Otherwise, no response is necessary. TMEP §707. Any amendments to the identification of goods and/or services may clarify or limit the goods and/or services, but may not add to or broaden the scope of the goods and/or services. 37 C.F.R. §2.71(a); see TMEP §§1402.06

#### **Identification of the Services**

The identification of services is amended to read as follows:

"Charitable foundation services, namely, providing fundraising activities, funding, scholarships and financial assistance for individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 36;

"Education services, namely, conducting presentations, forums, seminars, retreats, and workshops to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment services, namely, organizing and conducting banquets and events, namely, bike-a-thons, concerts, cultural and art events, health fairs and walk-a-thons, in support of individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; entertainment and educational services, namely, presenting live speaking engagements to educate the general public about individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain; on-line journals, namely, blogs featuring information of interest to individuals with chronic illnesses, injuries and pain" in International Class 41.

See TMEP §§1402.01, 1402.01(e).

If the applicant has any questions, please contact the undersigned.

/Ty Murray/ Attorney Advisor Law Office 113 571-272-9438 ty.murray@uspto.gov

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ENTITY	03-CORPORATION		

CITIZENSHIP	Colorado
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	MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION/STATEMENTS						

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION/STATEMENTS				
CHANGE IN REGISTRATION	NO			
DISCLAIMER W/PREDETER TXT	"DISABILITIES"			

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SECTION 8	NO	SECTION 8 IN PART	NO				
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LITERAL MARK ELEMENT	INVISIBLE DISABILITIES
MARK DRAWING CODE	4-STANDARD CHARACTER MARK
COLOR DRAWING FLAG	NO

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SERVICE MARK

AND 102).

PRINCIPAL REGISTER

FIRST USE 1-1-2010; IN COMMERCE 7-1-2010.

FOR: EDUCATION SERVICES, NAMELY, CONDUCTING PRESENTATIONS, FORUMS, SEMINARS, RETREATS, AND WORKSHOPS TO EDUCATE THE GENERAL PUBLIC ABOUT INDIVIDUALS WITH CHRONIC ILLNESSES, INJURIES AND PAIN; ENTERTAINMENT SERVICES, NAMELY, ORGANIZING AND CONDUCTING BANQUETS AND EVENTS. NAMELY, BIKE-A-THONS, CONCERTS, CULTURAL AND ART EVENTS, HEALTH FAIRS AND WALK-A-THONS, IN SUPPORT OF INDIVIDUALS WITH CHRONIC ILLNESSES, IN-JURIES AND PAIN; ENTERTAINMENT AND EDUCATIONAL SERVICES, NAMELY, PRESENTING LIVE SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS TO EDUCATE THE GENERAL PUBLIC ABOUT INDIVIDUALS WITH CHRONIC ILLNESSES, INJURIES AND PAIN; ON-LINE JOURNALS, NAMELY, BLOGS FEATURING INFORMATION OF INTEREST TO INDIVIDU-ALS WITH CHRONIC ILLNESSES, INJURIES AND PAIN, IN CLASS 41 (U.S. CLS. 100, 101 AND 107).



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