



Trade Marks Act 1994

1994 CHAPTER 26

PART I

REGISTERED TRADE MARKS

Registration procedure

41 Registration: supplementary provisions.

- (1) Provision may be made by rules as to—
 - (a) the division of an application for the registration of a trade mark into several applications;
 - [^{F1}(aa) the division of a registration of a trade mark into several registrations;]
 - (b) the merging of separate applications or registrations;
 - (c) the registration of a series of trade marks.
- (2) A series of trade marks means a number of trade marks which resemble each other as to their material particulars and differ only as to matters of a non-distinctive character not substantially affecting the identity of the trade mark.
- (3) Rules under this section may include provision as to—
 - (a) the circumstances in which, and conditions subject to which, division, merger or registration of a series is permitted, and
 - (b) the purposes for which an application [^{F2}or registration] to which the rules apply is to be treated as a single application [^{F2}or registration] and those for which it is to be treated as a number of separate applications [^{F2}or registrations].

Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 41(1)(aa) inserted (14.1.2019) by [The Trade Marks Regulations 2018 \(S.I. 2018/825\)](#), regs. 1(1), [20\(2\)](#) (with Pt. 5)

*Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects
for the Trade Marks Act 1994, Section 41. (See end of Document for details)*

- F2** Words in s. 41(3)(b) inserted (14.1.2019) by [The Trade Marks Regulations 2018 \(S.I. 2018/825\)](#), regs. 1(1), **20(3)** (with Pt. 5)

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 41 wholly in force at 31.10.1994; s. 41 not in force at Royal Assent see s. 109; s. 41(1)(3) in force for certain purposes at 29.9.1994 and at 31.10.1994 insofar as s. 41 not already in force by [S.I. 1994/2550](#), arts. 2, 3(1), **Sch.**

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