



Trade Marks Act 1994

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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;
 - (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 to which the rules apply is to be treated as a single application and those for which it is to be treated as a number of separate applications.