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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2006 No. 1027**

**The Community Trade Mark Regulations 2006**

**Groundless threats of infringement proceedings**

6.—(1) The provisions of section 21 apply in relation to a Community trade mark as they apply to a registered trade mark.

(2) However, in the application of those provisions in relation to an international trade mark (EC)—

- (a) the reference in section 21(3) to the registration of the trade mark shall be treated as a reference to the protection of the international trade mark (EC);
- (b) the reference in section 21(4) to notification that a trade mark is registered, shall be treated as a reference to notification that a trade mark is an international trade mark (EC); and
- (c) the reference in section 21(4) to notification that an application for registration has been made, shall be treated as a reference to notification that a trade mark is the subject of an international application or international registration designating the European Community.