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| GLORY HOUSE® Registration Number  | ) GLORY YAU-HUAI TSAI'S REPLY   |
| 1879695   | ) (MAIN) BRIEF  |
| Opposer,  | ) IN OBJECTION TO APPLICANT'S   |
| VS  | ) MAIN BRIEF  |
| BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC<br>Jo Ann Goin, Owner of<br>BJK Clory House Catering Co., LLC | <ul> <li>) Opposition No. 91212540</li> <li>) Service Mark Application</li> <li>) Re: Serial No. 85-789420</li> <li>&gt; Marka CLODY HOUSE</li> </ul> |
| BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC   | ) Mark: GLORY HOUSE   |
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## OPPOSER GLORY YAU-HUAI TSAI'S REPLY BRIEF IN OBJECTION TO APPLICANT'S MAIN BRIEF,

In response to applicant's main brief, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai herein files this reply brief in objection to and denies all allegations which applicant(s) states in applicant's main brief ENTIRELY.

According to Trademark Trial and Appeal Board's decision, the deadline set forth in

Trademark Rule 2.128(a) for applicant to file their main brief is October 01, 2016.

Applicant did not file their main brief in this proceeding by the deadline which was set on

October 01, 2016.

Applicant filed their main brief late on October 3, 2016, two days after the deadline.

## Obviously, it was <u>untimely filed and applicant's main brief should be rejected</u> ENTIRELY.

## Opposer received applicant's main brief through postal mail on October 07, 2016.

**Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai objects and denies all Applicants' allegations** 

which defendant(s) stated in their <u>main brief</u> ENTIRELY.



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The answer is "POSITIVE"

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The answer is "POSITIVE"

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## **AUTHORITIES**

## <u>PRIOR USE</u> – <u>Lanham Act Section 2(d)</u> prohibits the registration of any ® that is confusingly similar to another ® that is in use and that has not been abandoned.

In a likelihood of confusion determination, the marks are compared for similarities in their appearance, sound, meaning or connotation and commercial impression.

*In re E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.*, 476 F.2d 1357, 1361, 177 USPQ 563, 567 (C.C.P.A. 1973); TMEP §1207.01(b).

#### Similarity in any one of these elements may be sufficient to find a likelihood of

#### confusion.

*In re White Swan Ltd.*, 8 USPQ2d 1534, 1535 (TTAB 1988); *In re Lamson Oil Co.*, 6 USPQ2d 1041, 1043 (TTAB 1987); *see* TMEP §1207.01(b).

<u>15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d)</u> (---unless it consists of or comprises a mark which so resembles a mark registered in the Patent and Trademark Office, or <u>a mark or trade name</u> <u>previously used in the United States by another and not abandoned, as to be likely, when</u> <u>used on, to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive---)</u>

#### Trademark Act Section 2(d) – Likelihood of Confusion Refusal Registration of the applied-for mark is refused because of a likelihood of confusion with the mark in U.S. Registration No. 2342164. Trademark Act Section 2(d), 15 U.S.C. §1052(d); see TMEP §§1207.01 *et seq*.

T.M.E.P. §§1207.01, 1207.01(a)(vi). Similarity of the Marks

Marks may be confusingly similar in appearance where there are <u>similar terms or</u> <u>phrases or similar parts of terms or phrases appearing in both applicant's and registrant's</u> <u>mark.</u> Although the applicant's mark also contains the wording CREATE A, the mere <u>addition</u> <u>of a term(s)</u> to a registered mark generally does not obviate the similarity between the marks nor does it overcome a likelihood of confusion under Trademark Act Section 2(d).

Pursuant to T.M.E.P. Section 1207.01- Likelihood of Confusion

(---because of established marketing practices, the use of identical marks on seemingly <u>unrelated goods and services could result in a likelihood of confusion---</u> See *In re Phillips-Van Heusen Corporation*, 228 USPQ page 949, 951 (TTAB 1986))

The defendants' application mark name "GLORY HOUSE" <u>is exactly the same as</u> <u>plaintiff</u> Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business service and trademark name "GLORY HOUSE". Even though defendants' business services and goods are unrelated to opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business services and goods, <u>likelihood of confusion can occur at anytime and anywhere</u> <u>about who the owner of the business GLORY HOUSE is.</u>



#### <u>Goods and/or Services of the parties</u> <u>Need Not Be Identical or Directly Competitive</u>

## The goods and/or services of the parties need not be identical or directly competitive to find a likelihood of confusion.

*See Safety-Kleen Corp. v. Dresser Indus., Inc.,* 518 F.2d 1399, 1404, 186 USPQ 476, 480 (C.C.P.A. 1975); TMEP §1207.01(a)(i).

#### Section 43(a) of the Lanham Act – Any person who shall affix, apply, or

annex, or use in connection with any goods or services, or any container or containers for goods,

a false designation of origin, or any false description or representation including words or other

symbols tending falsely to describe or represent the same, and shall cause such goods or services

to enter into commerce --- shall be liable to a civil action by any person who believes that he is

or is likely to be damaged by the use of such false description or representation.

TMEP §1207.01(c)(ii).

## T.M.E.P. §1207 Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception

**Trademark Act § 2(d), 15 U.S.C. § 1052(d)**: That defendant's mark so resembles a mark registered in the Patent and Trademark Office, or a mark or trade name previously used in the United States by another and not abandoned, as to be likely, when used on or in connection with the goods of the applicant (defendant), <u>to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive:</u>

## I. <u>INTRODUCTION OF CASE</u> <u>AND OPPOSER'S</u> ARGUMENTS IN <u>OBJECTION TO applicant's</u> allegations which applicant states in applicant's <u>Main Brief, I-INTRODUCTION.</u>

In this opposition proceeding, Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai, the business owner of the business "GLORY HOUSE" (hereinafter "Plaintiff" or "Opposer") <u>opposes</u> Defendant Jo Ann Goin's, owner of <u>BJK Glory House Catering LLC</u> and <u>BJK Glory House Catering</u> <u>LLC's</u> (hereafter "Defendant" or "Applicant") **application Serial No. 85-789420** which seeks registration of the <u>service mark GLORY HOUSE.</u>

Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai is operating the business, having the business name "GLORY HOUSE". Plaintiff is the sole owner of the incontestable registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE®", **Registration No. 1879695** for "GLORY HOUSE" and "Design". The literal element is "GLORY HOUSE".

Defendant(s) Jo Ann Goin and her groups infringe upon Plaintiff's incontestable registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE®". Defendant(s) took Plaintiff's registered trademark Name and Title "GLORY HOUSE" as their own, added the literal words "GLORY HOUSE" be to defendant's business name, and now alleged that their business name is "**BJK Glory House Catering LLC**"

Defendant Jo Ann Goin has identified herself as "a trademark owner of GLORY HOUSE" for at least four years. Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai was not aware of this until plaintiff found out defendant Jo Ann Goin intended to seek registration of Plaintiff's registered trademark name "GLORY HOUSE" as her own.

After Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai filed this opposition, **Opposition No. 91212540**, defendant Jo Ann Goin withdrew herself (individual) from the record as Applicant. Instead, defendant Jo Ann Goin added her group's business name "**BJK Restaurant and** 

Catering LLC – <u>BJK Glory House Catering LLC</u>" to be the Applicant as recorded in this opposition proceeding.

According to the County record, Dallas (Irving) County, Texas, <u>defendant Jo Ann</u> <u>Goin</u> repeatedly changed her business name several times.

Defendant, for the purpose of taking advantages, goodwill, and benefits, added Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered trademark name "GLORY HOUSE" to be combined to their business name "BJK Restaurant and Catering LLC".

And now they call it "BJK Glory House Catering LLC".

Defendant registered a Domain Name "gloryhousecatering.com". Defendant removed "BJK" from its name.

Unknown to Opposer, Defendants identify themselves as the owner of Opposer

Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE" for many years.

Defendants' deceptive website continuously misleads society into believing that defendant "Jo Ann Goin" <u>is the owner of Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered</u> <u>trademark GLORY HOUSE.</u>

Defendant Jo Ann Goin and her groups use the title of "the Trademark Owner of GLORY HOUSE" to communicate **with banks**, **social medial, financial entities, ---.** And further more defendant Jo Ann Goin used the title of "the **GLORY HOUSE Trademark Owner**" to influence Opposer's webpage to be cancelled and deleted.

Those have caused Plaintiff anger, headache, and --- , and <u>Plaintiff's Glory Yau-Huai</u> <u>Tsai's identity was confusingly altered, changed to become a female.</u>

<u>Defendant Jo Ann Goin and her groups, indeed, they are the</u> <u>"Trademark Squatters".</u>



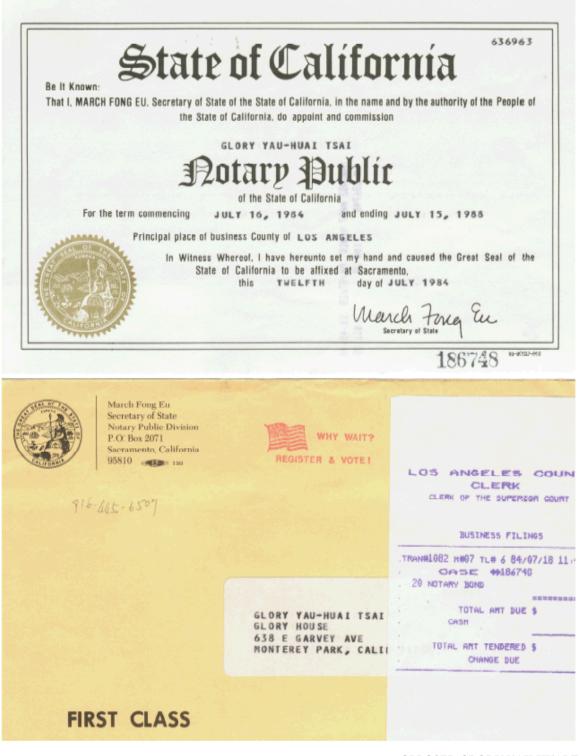
Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai established his business GLORY HOUSE, more than forty (40) years ago, in August 1975. Since then, Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai and his family have continuously run his "GLORY HOUSE" business.

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**1984**, More than thirty-two (32) years ago, the printing facility and retail shop of Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's **GLORY HOUSE** were located in the City of Monterey Park, California.

At that time, Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's "GLORY HOUSE" business services, beside printing services and selling printed products, included Mr. GLORY YAU-HUAI TSAI providing "Notary Public" services for the public.



OPPOSER GLORY YAU-HUAI TSAI'S REPLY (MAIN) BRIEF IN OBJECTION TO APPLICANT'S MAIN BRIEF



In the late of **1970s and 1980s**, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai printed many books, brochures, --- for many customers. Many of those printed items **all bore** Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business service mark name **GLORY HOUSE** and products mark.

中美金齡會 CHINESE-AMERICAN COLDEN AGE ASSOCIATION c/o Dr. Frances Wu 524 N. Lincoln Ave.#F Monterey Park,CA 91754 (213)573-0370 GLORY HOUSE 中美印書館 MEMBERSHIP ROSTER 會員名單 1978 -1979 Printed by GLORY HOUSE PUBLISHING & PRINTING 5640 Shull St. Suite "Q" Bell Gardens, CA 90201 P.O. BOX 244 Montercy Park, CA 91754 U. S. A. TEL: (213)927-3141



In 1990s, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai printed many Music Concert Programs, Music Recital Programs for many customers and also donated many thousands printed Concert Programs to many organizations, such as <u>Suzuki Music Association of California /</u> <u>Los Angeles Branch, Colburn School of Performing Art –Los Angeles,</u> in many occasions, many of those printed items all bore Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business service mark name GLORY HOUSE and products mark..

Showcase, 93 You Are A Wonderful Teacher. Ms. Lorraine Fink Thank You Very Much. We Love You! Sakura and Aki Tsai GLORY HOUSE 中美印書館 Trademark Reg. No. 59068 & 092375 BOOKS PUBLISHING & PRINTING 1416 & 1420 E. Cypress St., Covina 91724 (818)339-8955 April 25, 1993 Toll free Tel: (800)GO(46-)-GLORY(45679) - (within California) 4:00 p.m. (800)52-GLORY, (800)55-GLORY (800)OK(65.)-GLORY(45679), (800)85-GLORY Publisher's Prefix Number: 1-880709 Manufacturer's UPC I.D. Number 7 25698 Whittier College Chapel Whittier, California Books Publishing, Photo-Typesetting Layout & Graphic Design Fast \star Accurate ★ Reliable Announcements & Books & Brochures & Business Stationery Flyers & Manuals & Menus & Newsletters & Price Books Posters & Programs Sponsored by LORY Edition Suzuki Music Association of California/Los Angeles Branch **GLORY TSAI** SM SINCE 1975 Reg. No. 037399 Festival GLORY HOUSE 中美印書館 Trademark Reg. No. 59068 & 092375 BOOKS PUBLISHING & PRINTING 1416 & 1420 E. Cypress St., Covina 91724 (818)339-8955 February 6, 1994 2:15 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Toll free Tel: Nationwide (800)52-GLORY, (800)55-GLORY Norman J. Pattiz Concert Hall Alexander Hamilton High School (800)OK(65-)-GLORY(45679), (800)85-GLORY Publisher's Prefix Number: 1-880709 Manufacturer's UPC I.D. Number 7 25698 Academy of Music Los Angeles, California Books Publishing, Photo-Typesetting A DESCRIPTION OF THE OWNER OF THE ----Layout & Graphic Design Fast \star Accurate ★ Reliable Announcements & Books & Brochures & Business Stationery Flyers & Manuals & Menus & Newsletters & Price Books Posters & Programs **TLORY** Edition **GLORY TSAI** SM SINCE 1975 Reg. No. 037399 Sponsored by Suzuki Music Association of California/Los Angeles Branch

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OPPOSER GLORY YAU-HUAI TSAI'S REPLY (MAIN) BRIEF IN OBJECTION TO APPLICANT'S MAIN BRIEF



Since 1975, Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai and his family did many efforts to continuously establish <u>Plaintiff's GLORY HOUSE business goodwill among the</u> <u>society.</u>

In 1993, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai applied his federal trademark registration (paper filed) for "GLORY HOUSE". At that time opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai in his application clearly stated and proved that Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's Mark is "<u>GLORY HOUSE</u>" and "Design"

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## In 1994, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's "GLORY HOUSE" trademark application was approved for "PUBLICATION" and the Publication Date was on November 29, 1994.

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# In 2005, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai renewed his "GLORY HOUSE" registration, Registration Number 1879695.

An official record of Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's "GLORY HOUSE", "NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF SECTION 8 DECLARATION AND SECTION 9 RENEWAL" was issued by "United States Department of Commerce, Patent and Trademark Office" on April 2, 2005.

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Since 1995, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's mark <u>"GLORY HOUSE" and</u> <u>"design"</u> were registered (trademark registration number 1879695).

Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business service name "GLORY HOUSE" was

<u>officially registered and recorded</u> with "United States Department of Commerce, Patent and Trademark Office".

### On April 1, 2013, "NOTICE OF ACKNOELEDGEMENT UNDER

SECTION 15" was RECEIVED BY Plaintiff GLORY YAU-HUAI TSAI.

Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai is the sole owner of the incontestable registered

trademark GLORY HOUSE®; owns Registration Number 1879695 for

"GLORY HOUSE" and "Design".

## Incontestability - Section 15 Acknowledged - April 1, 2013

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#### NOTICE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT UNDER SECTION 15

The declaration of incontestability filed for the above-identified registration meets the requirements of Section 15 of the Trademark Act, 15 U.S.C. §1065. The Section 15 declaration is acknowledged.

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## <u>Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai has the Priority</u> to the Rights to the name mark "GLORY HOUSE".

Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai is the Prior User. Opposer started operates the business "GLORY HOUSE" since 1975. It is more than twenty-five (25) years prior to applicant's alleged starting date of their business.

**PRIOR USE** – Lanham Act Section 2(d) prohibits the registration of any ® that is confusingly similar to another ® that is in use and that has not been abandoned.

In a likelihood of confusion determination, the marks are compared for similarities in their appearance, sound, meaning or connotation and commercial impression.

In re E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., 476 F.2d 1357, 1361, 177 USPQ 563, 567

(C.C.P.A. 1973); TMEP §1207.01(b).

# <u>Similarity in any one of these elements</u> may be sufficient to find a likelihood of confusion.

In re White Swan Ltd., 8 USPQ2d 1534, 1535 (TTAB 1988);

In re Lamson Oil Co., 6 USPQ2d 1041, 1043 (TTAB 1987); see TMEP §1207.01(b).

15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d) (---unless it consists of or comprises a mark which so resembles a mark registered in the Patent and Trademark Office, or <u>a mark</u> or trade name previously used in the United States by another and not abandoned, as to be likely, when used on, to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive---)

In this instant, the applicant's <u>application mark – GLORY HOUSE</u> and the Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's <u>registered mark – GLORY HOUSE</u> are almost identical. GLORY HOUSE and GLORY HOUSE both look <u>exactly the same</u>, sound the <u>same</u>, have the <u>same</u> meaning and have the <u>exact same</u> spelling. The literal portion of the marks are <u>exactly the same</u>, the predominant portion of the trademark name is <u>exactly the same</u>, namely the <u>exact same words</u> "GLORY HOUSE."

Applicant Jo Ann Goin and her attorney have never provided any evidence to prove that "GLORY HOUSE" and "GLORY HOUSE" are different.



In this case, **actual confusion must occur** between Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's GLORY HOUSE® service and applicant's services caused by the applicant's use of Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's trademark mark "GLORY HOUSE."

## When any normal person sees both Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's (registered trademark, RN 1879695) "GLORY HOUSE" mark and applicant's application mark "GLORY HOUSE", what would people call each mark?

**Defendant, through her attorney** <u>in applicant's main brief page 5</u>, <u>I-INTRODUCTION</u> intentionally frames the false charge against Plaintiff, saying "Opposer's arguments and basic proposition flow from Opposer's incorrect belief that Opposer owns the words "GLORY HOUSE" for all goods and services, which is fundamentally improper and must be rejected"

Obviously, defendant's allegation against Opposer proved that defendant(s) believe they can freely infringe or squat any other people's registered trademark/service mark, trademark name or other people's registered business name as their own. Not only that but applicant(s) believe they can freely steal other people's business goodwill, and steal the advantage as their own.

<u>The method of allegation which defendant's attorney is arguing is the typical</u> <u>way of trademark squatters and blackmail groups that exist among mainland</u> <u>China or other Asian countries.</u>

Maybe, defendant's attorney learns from those blackmail groups.

<u>Defendant and defendant's attorney's threatening words should be dealt with</u> <u>caution and prohibited.</u>



## THEREFORE,

Applicant's allegation which applicant states in applicant's "Main Brief, I-

## **INTRODUCTION**" must be barred.

Applicant's application 85-789420 should be <u>refused</u>, <u>canceled and not</u> <u>registerable</u> according to <u>15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d)</u>, <u>Trademark Act.</u> <u>PRIOR USE</u> – Lanham Act <u>Section 2 (d)</u>, and <u>T.M.E.P. Section §1207</u> "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception"

## **II.** OPPOSER'S STATEMENTS OF THE ISSUES

## Issue-1

Whether defendant's application mark "GLORY HOUSE" is confusingly similar to Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered Trademark "GLORY HOUSE"?

The answer is "POSITIVE"

THEREFORE,

Applicant's application 85-789420 should be <u>refused</u>, <u>canceled and not</u> <u>registerable</u> according to <u>15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d)</u>, <u>Trademark Act. PRIOR USE</u> – Lanham Act <u>Section 2 (d)</u>, and <u>T.M.E.P. Section §1207</u> "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception"

## Issue-2

Has "<u>Likelihood of Confusion" concerning ownership of "GLORY HOUSE"</u> occurred among the society due to Applicant's application for the Mark "GLORY HOUSE"?

The answer is "POSITIVE" <u>THEREFORE</u>,

Applicant's application 85-789420 should be <u>refused</u>, <u>canceled and not</u> <u>registerable</u> according to <u>15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d)</u>, <u>Trademark Act. PRIOR USE</u> – Lanham Act <u>Section 2 (d)</u>, and <u>T.M.E.P. Section §1207</u> "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception"



## Issue-3

Whether Applicant's GLORY HOUSE word mark is confusingly similar to Opposer's registered mark such that the use of the marks in connection with entirely different goods and services in different channels of trade creats a likelihood of confusion as to the source or sponsorship of the respective goods and services.

## The answer is "POSITIVE" <u>THEREFORE</u>,

Applicant's application 85-789420 should be <u>refused, canceled and not</u> <u>registerable</u> according to <u>15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d)</u>, <u>Trademark Act. PRIOR USE</u> – Lanham Act <u>Section 2 (d)</u>, and <u>T.M.E.P. Section §1207</u> "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception"

## Pursuant to T.M.E.P. Section 1207.01- Likelihood of Confusion

(---because of established marketing practices, the use of identical marks on

seemingly unrelated goods and services could result in a likelihood of confusion---

See In re Phillips-Van Heusen Corporation, 228 USPQ page 949, 951 (TTAB 1986))

## THEREFORE,

Applicant's allegation which applicant states in applicant's "Main Brief, II-

## STATEMENT OF ISSUE" must be barred.

Applicant's application 85-789420 should be <u>refused</u>, <u>canceled and not</u> <u>registerable</u> according to <u>15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d)</u>, <u>Trademark Act.</u> <u>PRIOR USE</u> – Lanham Act <u>Section 2 (d)</u>, and <u>T.M.E.P. Section §1207</u> "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception"

## <u>III.</u> <u>OPPOSER'S STATEMENTS OF FACTS</u> <u>AND OPPOSER'S ARGUMENTS IN OBJECTION TO applicant's</u> allegations which applicant states in applicant's <u>Main Brief, III- STATEMENT OF FACTS</u>.

## <u>Applicant has no any legal right to squat other people's registered trademark</u> <u>or service mark; or take any portion as her own from any registered mark.</u>

## In this instance, defendant "Jo Ann Goin" and her group "BJK Glory House Catering LLC" willfully and intentionally committed <u>trademark squatting</u>.

Applicant's attorney in applicant's main brief cited some cases to argue against Opposer. However, those cases indeed, **do not** fit or apply to this instant case (opposition 91212540). The points argued between plaintiffs and defendants in those cited cases involve the "design mark". If the design marks are created by different people, then, there must be some difference between them.

## In this instance, defendant <u>is using exactly the same literal words "GLORY</u> <u>HOUSE", which is exactly the same as plaintiff's registered trademark "GLORY</u> <u>HOUSE", with intent to seek the registration as her own.</u>

Defendant Jo Ann Goin, BJK Glory House Catering LLC and defendant's attorney Lisa R. Hemphill allege that defendants' (applicant's) application 85-789420 is "**word** mark" "GLORY HOUSE" **only**.

Applicant argues that applicant <u>only wants and only took</u> Opposer's trademark name and trademark business service title name "GLORY HOUSE" which Opposer has been continuously using for more than forty (40) years, since 1975, and <u>defendant</u> <u>obviously alleges that they do not want and did not take</u> Opposer's "trademark design part".

Defendants and their attorney argue that there is no likelihood of confusion because defendants <u>did not use</u> Opposer's <u>"trademark design part" but only took</u> <u>Opposer's registered trademark "Literal Words" only.</u>

Obviously, applicant and applicant's attorney argue that applicant only want and only took Opposer's trademark name and trademark service literal title "GLORY HOUSE", and defendant do not want and did not take Opposer's "trademark design part" and "Chinese Chacters", then, there is no basis for finding a likelihood of confusion

Applicant and their attorney argue that Applicant's application mark is "GLORY HOUSE" only; there is <u>no design</u>; and <u>did not contain any Chinese</u> <u>characters</u>. <u>It did not look the same; therefore there is no likelihood of confusion</u> <u>because</u> defendants <u>did not use Opposer's "trademark design part" and defendant did</u> <u>not take the Chinese Characters.</u>

Applicant and applicant's attorney allege that applicant has rights to use Opposer's Trademark "literal words" name "GLORY HOUSE", BUT Opposer can use and can merely use "GLORY HOUSE and Design" <u>as a combined name</u> only.

<u>The way of allegation argued and the plans which defendant JO ANN</u> <u>GOIN committed in this instanc, are the typical ways of those trademark</u> <u>squatters and blackmail groups who are existing among mainland China or</u> <u>other Asian countries. Maybe, defendant and defendant's attorneys have learned</u> <u>from those blackmail groups.</u>

Defendants Jo Ann Goin and BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC are willfully and intentionally posting **false and misleading** information on their website claiming that "**GLORY HOUSE is a trademark of Glory House Catering**" to deceive the public into believing that opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE" (**Trademark Registration 1879695**) belongs to, is associated with, and is under the control of defendant BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC.



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"Glory House is a trademark of Glory House Catering" An intentionally misleading statement to deceive and mislead the public posted by Jo Ann Goin and BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC



### Since there is only one trademark named "GLORY HOUSE" registered

with the USPTO, Jo Ann Goin's website misleads the public into believing that Jo Ann Goin and BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC" is the owner of opposer's registered trademark GLORY HOUSE

Once people believe the contents on applicant Jo Ann Goin's misleading website, people will begin to doubt opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business "GLORY HOUSE" especially in regards to <u>who the real trademark owner is.</u>

Defendants Jo Ann Goin and BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC are building credibility on their website through photos **identifying** *her***self** as the trademark *owner* of "GLORY HOUSE"



Jo Ann Goin identifying herself as the trademark owner of GLORY HOUSE. Jo Ann Goin and BJK Glory House Catering Co. LLC are using their website containing <u>the statement "GLORY HOUSE is a</u> <u>trademark of Glory House Catering</u>" as proof that they are the owner of the trademark "GLORY HOUSE".

Defendant Jo Ann Goin has been continuously posting the false statement stating that "GLORY HOUSE is a trademark of Glory House Catering" on her website for many years.



Google's translation showing Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's publishing - printing business as a restaurant business. Opposer's GLORY HOUSE trademark name <u>suddenly became and belong to applicant's restaurant trademark and</u> <u>applicant's restaurant trade name</u>.



## But on the other hand, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's website was taken down, disappeared, and deleted by the Hosting Company.

This is a "GLORY HOUSE" web page which Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai, the sole owner of registered trademark GLORY HOUSE posted since 2001.

Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's GLORY HOUSE webpage had the trademark name "GLORY HOUSE" on the top. The page also stated that Mr. Glory Tsai is the owner of the trademark GLORY HOUSE.

The business name "GLORY HOUSE" is a federally registered trademark and trade name

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## **GLORY HOUSE**

The business name "GLORY HOUSE" is a federally-registered trademark and trade name. GLORY HOUSE and the OWNER of GLORY HOUSE, Mr. GLORY TSAI do not accept and refuse to accept any donation or any monetary offering.

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Home

The sole proprietor, MR. TSAI, GLORY Y. H. is the current registered owner.

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Do you believe?

Including me, we are the tourists on this mankind world. Dust return back to the earth. But our soul and spirit shall return unto God who gave it. *Do you believe there is a spiritual world?* And which part of said spiritual world you will belong to?

I do believe Holy Spirit, don't you?

I do believe there was and is a holy-spiritual person named "JESUS CHRIST", don't you believe? Do you know why *I open my heart and accept* "JESUS CHRIST" *as my Savior*? FRIENDS! Let me tell you one thing, please, remember: "Jesus, my Lord, please remember me when you come into Your kingdom."

FRIENDS, please remember these words.

FRIENDS, I, GLORY Y. H. TSAI always believe **Jesus Christ** never forget me and all of us; why don't we ask **Jesus Christ** to remember us?

FRIENDS, put these words: "Jesus, my Lord, please remember me when you come into Your kingdom." inside your heart. Jesus Christ must promise you something and change your life to him.

FRIENDS, if you believe Jesus Christ as your Savior, please tell your belief to your friends, from friends to friends, from your neighbor to neighbor, from streets to streets, --.

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MR. GLORY TSAI, Owner of GLORY HOUSE

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OPPOSER GLORY YAU-HUAI TSAI'S REPLY (MAIN) BRIEF IN OBJECTION TO APPLICANT'S MAIN BRIEF

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Approximately in **2011**, someone identifying herself/himself as the trademark owner of GLORY HOUSE caused Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's webpage to be deleted.

All of Opposer's "GLORY HOUSE" web pages were taken down. The web pages disappeared and deleted without any notice from the hosting company, Godaddy.com, Inc.

Instead, applicant's website showed up and applicant alleged that "GLORY HOUSE is a trademark of Glory House Catering"

## **During that time period**, WHEN OPPOSER'S WEB-PAGE WAS NOT

FOUND, defendant Jo Ann Goin willfully committed trademark squatting and used Opposer's registered trademark Literal word "GLORY HOUSE" to apply the mark "GLORY HOUSE" as her own. And defendant Jo Ann Goin deceived the public into believing that defendant Jo Ann Goin is the owner of GLORY HOUSE, and "GLORY HOUSE" is a trademark of Glory House Catering".

Among the society, bank, – credit companies, Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's personal identity was confusingly or mistakenly believed to be connected to, associated with, or under the control of as one of the employees of Defendant's 'BJK Glory House Catering LLC''. Defendant Jo Ann Goin alleged that applicant is the trademark owner of Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE".

#### Deceitful methods are willfully planned and committed by applicant.

Indeed, applicant's application utilizes deceitful methods, to mislead the public into believing that applicant is the trademark owner of Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered trademark GLORY HOUSE and also mislead people in the trademark office to allow applicant's application #85-789420 case to go through to the "Notice of Publication" step.

Amongst society, serious confusion exists concerning about the ownership of the registered "GLORY HOUSE" trademark. Who is the registered trademark owner of "GLORY HOUSE"?



## This is a true copy of a print out page from "www.dandb.com"

Glory House Productions - West Covina, CA - Business Directory -- Dun & Bradstreet Cr... Page 1 of 1



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**Dun & Bradstreet Credibility Corp.** continuously posts false information on their **www.dandb.com** website claiming that opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's trademark GLORY HOUSE's publishing and printing business is a business that produces videos and motion pictures, and is an Urban Films Distributor.

## Is this not a mistake caused from a likelihood of confusion?

Furthermore, "**Dun & Bradstreet Credibility Corp.**" claim that opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's trademark GLORY HOUSE's business since 2010 provides Motion Picture and Tape Distribution from WEST COVINA and has estimated annual revenue of \$110,000.00.

All these false informations not only seriously damages Plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's personal reputation, but also seriously damages opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business, **resulting in loss of business**, and misleads the public into not believing plaintiff Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's ownership of the trademark "GLORY HOUSE®".

In the public eye, it seriously misleads Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business ownership of the trademark GLORY HOUSE to incorrectly and confusingly switch to a different person like defendant Jo Ann Goin and her BJK Glory House Catering, LLC.

<u>This is because Defendant Jo Ann Goin continuously posts the deceitful</u> <u>statement saying "GLORY HOUSE is a trademark of BJK Glory House Catering"</u> <u>on her website for many years.</u>

Defendant Jo Ann Goin and her BJK Glory House Catering LLC willfully and intentionally have committed <u>trademark squatting</u> not only to cause the serious Likelihood of confusion among the society against Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business ownership of registered trademark name and title "GLORY HOUSE®" but also caused damages upon Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's "GLORY HOUSE" business services among the society.



<u>Applicant alleged that the business of "GLORY HOUSE" is a restaurant.</u> <u>"GLORY HOUSE" is not a printing shop.</u> Defendant Jo Ann Goin continuously identified herself as the owner of "GLORY HOUSE", and that "GLORY HOUSE" is not a printing business. ---.

"Dun and Bradstreet" a credit report company which **either willfully or mistakenly wiped out** Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business ownership of registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE", is an actual evidence proving that serious mistakes have occurred because of defendant Jo Ann Goin and her group "BJK Glory House Catering LLC", they not only willfully committed <u>trademark squatting</u> against Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai but also defendant Jo Ann Goin and her group BJK Glory House Catering LLC identified themselves as the "GLORY HOUSE" trademark owner, deceiving the public into not believing Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's ownership of Opposer's registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE".

Defendant intentionally squatted Plaintiff's registered trademark GLORY HOUSE, <u>alleging "GLORY HOUSE is a trademark of Glory House Catering LLC",</u> continuously posting on defendant's website for many years to damage Plaintiff's personal reputation and Plaintiff's GLORY HOUSE business.

And now, defendant uses exactly the same words GLORY HOUSE which is identical to plaintiff's registered trademark GLORY HOUSE, with intent to seek registration as their own.

Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai never heard defendant's restaurant business "<u>BJK</u> Glory House Catering LLC" But Opposer knew there is a restaurant named <u>"BJ"</u>

Opposer thought the marks "BJK" and "BJ" both are the same branches. But in this instance, defendant Jo Ann Goin willfully has not used "BJK" to apply her service mark. But instead defendant willfully and intentionally squat Opposer's registered



trademark "GLORY HOUSE" and use Opposer's registered trademark literal word "GLORY HOUSE" to seek the registration for her own.

Defendant Jo Ann Goin in her application 85-789420, changed the applicant's name from her name "Jo Ann Goin" to "BJK Glory House Catering LLC".

Defendant Jo Ann Goin use BJK as part of her application name, indeed, it is a <u>deceptive intention</u> which defendant Jo Ann Goin willfully planned. Because If Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai files a law suit against defendant Jo Ann Goin in this case, then the name of the defendant will be <u>mistaken or confused</u> <u>among the society</u> <u>to go to a different party</u> "BJ" restaurant.

At that time, defendant Jo Ann Goin and her groups could run away, escape and allege that their business is called "GLORY HOUSE". And there would be NO "BJK Glory House Catering LLC." in existence.

Applicant has no any legal right to squat other people's registered trademark or service mark; or take any portion as her own from any registered mark.

## THEREFORE,

## <u>Applicant's</u> allegations which applicant states in applicant's <u>Main Brief, III-</u> <u>STATEMENT OF FACTS, must be barred.</u>

Applicant's application Serial Number 85-789420 should be refused, denied, canceled in its entirety and not registerable according to 15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d), Trademark Act. PRIOR USE – Lanham Act Section 2 (d), and T.M.E.P. Section §1207 "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception"



## **IV. STATEMENT OF RECORDS**

AND OPPOSER'S OBJECTION TO applicant's allegations which applicant states in applicant's Main Brief, IV- STATEMENT OF RECORD.

In this instance, defendant can never present any piece of record to

prove that defendant has the legal agreement or legal right to squat or

use Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered Trademark Name

**"GLORY HOUSE".** 

Indeed, applicant is a trademark squatter.

## THEREFORE,

<u>Applicant's</u> allegations which applicant state in applicant's <u>Main Brief, IV-</u> <u>STATEMENT OF RECORD, must be barred.</u>

## V. OPPOSER'S ARGUMENT

## <u>AND OPPOSER'S OBJECTION TO applicant's</u> allegations which applicant states in applicant's <u>Main Brief, IV- ARGUMENT.</u>

## <u>Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai has the Priority to the Rights to the</u> <u>name mark "GLORY HOUSE".</u>

Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai is the Prior User. Opposer started operates the business "GLORY HOUSE" since 1975. It is more than twenty-five (25) years prior to applicant's alleged starting date of their business.

Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai is the sole owner of the incontestable registered

trademark GLORY HOUSE®; owns Registration Number 1879695

In this instance, Opposition 91212540, applicant(s) Jo Ann Goin and her group (BJK

Glory House Catering LLC) apply their mark without any design.

Applicant is squatting opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered trademark (Registration Number 1879695, GLORY HOUSE) name, title, literal words, with willful intent to seek the registration for their own. And now, applicant is arguing that applicant's application mark with does not include a design/logo would not be the same mark with a design mark/logo.

Applicant's attorney in applicant's main brief cited some cases to argue against Opposer. However, those cases indeed, **do not** fit or apply to this instant case (opposition 91212540).

The points argued between plaintiffs and defendants in those cited cases involve the "design mark". If the design marks are created by different people, then, there must be some difference between them.

Defendant Jo Ann Goin, BJK Glory House Catering LLC and defendant's attorney Lisa R. Hemphill <u>in Applicant's Main Brief (Page 5, Introduction)</u> **further** charge against Opposer that "<u>Opposer has presented no evidence to support a claim of likelihood of confusion and is no</u> <u>basis for finding a likelihood of confusion between Opposer's mark – and Applicant's mark-"</u>.

Obviously, applicant and applicant's attorney argue that applicant only wants and only took Opposer's trademark name and trademark service literal title "GLORY HOUSE", and that <u>defendant does not want</u> and <u>did not take</u> Opposer's "trademark design part" and "Chinese Characters", then, therefore that, there is no basis for finding a likelihood of confusion, between a "word mark" and "design mark".

Applicant and their attorney argue that Applicant's mark is "GLORY HOUSE" in WORDs only; there is <u>no design</u>; and <u>did not contain any Chinese characters</u>. <u>It did not</u> <u>look the same; therefore there is no likelihood of confusion because of defendants did not</u> <u>use Opposer's "trademark design part" and defendant did not take the Chinese</u> <u>Characters.</u>

Applicant and applicant's attorney <u>allege that applicant have rights to take</u> Opposer's Trademark "literal words" name "GLORY HOUSE", BUT Opposer can use and can merely use "GLORY HOUSE and Design" as a combined name only.

<u>The way of allegation argued and the plans which defendant JO</u> <u>ANN GOIN committed in this instanc, are the typical ways of those</u> <u>trademark squatters and blackmail groups who are existing among</u> <u>mainland China or other Asian countries. Maybe, defendant and</u> <u>defendant's attorneys have learned from those blackmail groups.</u>



Defendant willfully not to use their name "BJK" to apply their service mark but

instead defendant Jo Ann Goin willfully and intentionally infringe upon Opposer

Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's officially registered trademark name and business service

named "GLORY HOUSE", to apply the mark for their own.

Obviously, applicant Jo Ann Goin's application, #85-789420 is a deception, is a

## bad faith filing with a malicious state of mind to commit trademark squatting

against Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE®" and

opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's ownership of "GLORY HOUSE®".

Trademark Act Section 2(d) – Likelihood of Confusion Refusal Registration of the applied-for mark is refused because of a likelihood of confusion with the mark in <u>U.S. Registration No. 2342164</u>. Trademark Act Section 2(d), 15 U.S.C. §1052(d); see TMEP §§1207.01 *et seq*.

## T.M.E.P. §§1207.01, 1207.01(a)(vi). Similarity of the Marks

Marks may be confusingly similar in appearance where there are <u>similar</u> <u>terms or phrases or similar parts of terms or phrases</u> <u>appearing in both</u> <u>applicant's and registrant's mark.</u>

*See Crocker Nat'l Bank v.* Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, 228 USPQ 689 (TTAB 1986), aff'd sub nom.

**Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce v. Wells Fargo Bank, Nat'l Ass'n**, 811 F.2d 1490, 1 USPQ2d 1813 (Fed. Cir. 1987) (COMMCASH and COMMUNICASH);

In re Phillips-Van Heusen Corp., 228 USPQ 949 (TTAB 1986) (21 CLUB and "21" CLUB (stylized));

In re Corning Glass Works, 229 USPQ 65 (TTAB 1985) (CONFIRM and CONFIRMCELLS); In re Collegian Sportswear Inc., 224 USPQ 174 (TTAB 1984) (COLLEGIAN OF CALIFORNIA and COLLEGIENNE);

In re Pellerin Milnor Corp., 221 USPQ 558 (TTAB 1983) (MILTRON and MILLTRONICS); In re BASF A.G., 189 USPQ 424 (TTAB 1975) (LUTEXAL and LUTEX); TMEP §1207.01(b)(ii)-(iii).

Here, the applicant's mark, CREATE A LEGACY OF HOPE, is similar to the registrant's mark, LEGACY OF HOPE, <u>because both marks contain the similar</u> <u>phrase LEGACY OF HOPE.</u>

Although the applicant's mark also contains the wording CREATE A, the mere addition of a term(s) to a registered mark generally does not obviate the similarity between the marks nor does it overcome a likelihood of confusion under Trademark Act Section 2(d).

See In re Chatam Int'l Inc., 380 F.3d 1340, 71 USPQ2d 1944 (Fed. Cir. 2004) (GASPAR'S ALE and JOSE GASPAR GOLD);

*Coca-Cola Bottling Co. v. Jos. E. Seagram & Sons, Inc.*, 526 F.2d 556, 188 USPQ 105 (C.C.P.A. 1975) (BENGAL and BENGAL LANCER);

*Lilly Pulitzer, Inc. v. Lilli Ann Corp.*, 376 F.2d 324, 153 USPQ 406 (C.C.P.A. 1967) (THE LILLY and LILLI ANN);

*In re Toshiba Med. Sys. Corp.*, 91 USPQ2d 1266 (TTAB 2009) (TITAN and VANTAGE TITAN);

*In re El Torito Rests., Inc.*, 9 USPQ2d 2002 (TTAB 1988) (MACHO and MACHO COMBOS); *In re Corning Glass Works*, 229 USPQ 65 (TTAB 1985) (CONFIRM and CONFIRMCELLS);

*In re U.S. Shoe Corp.*, 229 USPQ 707 (TTAB 1985) (CAREER IMAGE and CREST CAREER IMAGES);

*In re Riddle*, 225 USPQ 630 (TTAB 1985) (ACCUTUNE and RICHARD PETTY'S ACCU TUNE); TMEP §1207.01(b)(iii).

Here, the **addition of the wording** CREATE A to the registered mark LEGACY OF HOPE **does not obviate the similarity of the marks.** 

Both the applicant's mark and the registrant's mark feature <u>the similar phrase</u> LEGACY OF HOPE, <u>thereby creating the same overall commercial impression</u>. **Therefore, the marks are confusingly similar**.

In this instant case, Applicant's 85-789420, applicant willfully commit trademark squatting, <u>willfully use the exact same words GLORY HOUSE which</u> <u>is belong to plaintiff's registered trademark GLORY HOUSE intent to seek the</u> <u>registration for applicant(s) their own.</u>

Both the applicant's application mark and the Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered mark feature <u>the exact phrase</u> "GLORY HOUSE", <u>thereby creating the</u> <u>same overall commercial impression</u>. Therefore, the marks are confusingly 100 % similar.

Applicant's application 85-789420 should be <u>refused</u>, <u>canceled and not</u> <u>registerable</u> according to <u>15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d)</u>, <u>Trademark Act.</u> <u>PRIOR USE</u> – Lanham Act <u>Section 2 (d)</u>, and <u>T.M.E.P. Section §1207</u> "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception"

## Pursuant to T.M.E.P. Section 1207.01- Likelihood of Confusion

## (---because of established marketing practices, the use of identical marks on seemingly <u>unrelated goods and services</u> <u>could result in a likelihood of confusion---</u> See *In re Phillips-Van Heusen Corporation*, 228 USPQ page 949, 951 (TTAB 1986))

The defendants' application mark name "GLORY HOUSE" <u>is exactly the same as</u> <u>plaintiff</u> Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business service and trademark name "GLORY HOUSE". Even though defendants' business services and goods are unrelated to opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's business services and goods, <u>likelihood of confusion can occur at anytime and</u> <u>anywhere about who the owner of the business GLORY HOUSE is.</u>

## <u>Goods and/or Services of the parties Need Not Be Identical</u> <u>or Directly Competitive</u>

## The goods and/or services of the parties need not be identical or directly competitive to find a likelihood of confusion.

*See Safety-Kleen Corp. v. Dresser Indus., Inc.*, 518 F.2d 1399, 1404, 186 USPQ 476, 480 (C.C.P.A. 1975);

TMEP §1207.01(a)(i). Rather, it is sufficient to show that because of the conditions surrounding their marketing, or because they are otherwise related in some manner, the goods and/or services would be encountered by the same consumers under circumstances such that offering the goods and/or services under confusingly similar marks would lead to the **mistaken belief that they come from, or are in some way associated with, the same source.** 

*In re Iolo Techs., LLC*, 95 USPQ2d 1498, 1499 (TTAB 2010);

*see In re Martin's Famous Pastry Shoppe, Inc.*, 748 F.2d 1565, 1566-68, 223 USPQ 1289, 1290 (Fed. Cir. 1984);

TMEP §1207.01(a)(i).

## Font Changes Do NOT Avoid a Likelihood of Confusion

<u>A mark presented in stylized characters or otherwise in special form</u> generally will not avoid likelihood of confusion with a mark in typed or standard <u>characters</u> because the marks could be <u>presented in the same manner of display.</u>

A mark in typed or standard characters may be displayed in any lettering style; the rights reside in the wording or other literal element itself and not in any particular display. TMEP 1207.01(c)(iii); see 37 C.F.R. 2.52(a). Thus, a mark presented in stylized characters or otherwise in special form generally will not avoid likelihood of confusion with a mark in typed or standard characters because the marks could be presented in the same manner of display.

See, e.g., *In re Melville Corp.*, 18 USPQ2d 1386, 1387-88 (TTAB 1991); *In re Pollio Dairy Prods. Corp.*, 8 USPQ2d 2012, 2015 (TTAB 1988).

When a mark consists of a word portion and a design portion, the word portion is more likely to be impressed upon a purchaser's memory and to be used in calling for the goods and/or services. Therefore, the word portion is normally accorded greater weight in determining likelihood of confusion.

In re Dakin's Miniatures, Inc., 59 USPQ2d 1593, 1596 (TTAB 1999);

In re Appetito Provisions Co., 3 USPQ2d 1553, 1554 (TTAB 1987);

Amoco Oil Co. v. Amerco, Inc., 192 USPQ 729, 735 (TTAB 1976); TMEP §1207.01(c)(ii).

## Section 43(a) of the Lanham Act – Any person who shall affix, apply, or

annex, or use in connection with any goods or services, or any container or containers for goods, a false designation of origin, or any false description or representation <u>including words</u> or other symbols tending falsely to describe or represent the same, and shall cause such goods or services to enter into commerce --- <u>shall be liable to a civil action by any person who believes that he is or is likely to be damaged by the use of such false description or representation.</u>

### In this instance, Applicant's mark contains the exact same words, the exact same terms as Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered mark.

## <u>The marks are not only confusingly similar but also confusingly</u> <u>100 percent identical.</u>

**THEREFORE**, Applicant's allegations which applicant state in applicant's Main Brief, V- ARGUMENT, must be barred.

Applicant's application 85-789420 should be <u>refused</u>, <u>canceled and not</u> <u>registerable</u> according to <u>15 U.S. Code Section 1052 (d)</u>, <u>Trademark Act.</u> <u>PRIOR USE</u> – Lanham Act <u>Section 2 (d)</u>, and <u>T.M.E.P. Section §1207</u> "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception"

## VI. CONCLUSION

If defendant's application Serial Number 85 789420 is accepted by the United States Patent and Trademark Office Trademark Trail and Appeal Board, then, the United States Patent and Trademark Office consentaneously is opening a big green door to the whole world for similar trademark squatting cases, to legally exist in the United States. Then, The **United States of America** will become a "**Nest of thieves**" for trademark squatters in the whole world to legally exist inside of the United States.

Anybody in the whole world can steal or copy any other person's trademark name, title or literal words, and register them as their own inside of the United States.

In this instance, defendant can subsequently allege that they have "restaurant book(s), recital events book(s), or --" published by their GLORY HOUSE. Defendant can also allege that they have the greeting cards designed by defendant themselves and be sold in the restaurant or other restaurants. Defendant can also claim, "Made by GLORY HOUSE, or designed by GLORY HOUSE."

Defendant can even **easily use the name "GLORY HOUSE" as a broker** to steal Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's GLORY HOUSE publishing, printing business and introduce to other companies and printers to take over publishing and printing jobs.

Currently, defendant posts its business name as "GLORY HOUSE Catering". Defendant has removed the word BJK. Later on, defendant can also remove the word "Catering". Then defendant's business name would completely match word-for-word Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's literal **business trademark name** "**GLORY HOUSE**".



Obviously, defendant Jo Ann Goin, and her group <u>BJK</u> (Glory House) <u>Restaurant</u> <u>and Catering LLC</u> are intentionally and willfully committing trademark squatting against Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's GLORY HOUSE business and Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered Trademark GLORY HOUSE.

Applicant's application No.85-789420 <u>itself is the best evidence of "bad faith</u> <u>filing" "trademark squatting" and "deceptive application" intentionally committed by</u> <u>applicant Jo Ann Goin</u> and her BJK Glory House Catering, LLC.

Right now, the applicant's mark and the Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered incontestability mark are almost identical. GLORY HOUSE and GLORY HOUSE both look <u>exactly the same</u>, sound the <u>same</u>, have the <u>same</u> meaning and have the <u>exact</u> <u>same</u> spelling. The literal portion of the marks are <u>exactly the same</u>, the predominant portion of the trademark name is <u>exactly the same</u>, namely the <u>exact same words</u> "GLORY HOUSE."

In general, bad faith filing, "trademark squatting" is an act of registering other people's original trademarks as their own, taking advantages from the real trademark owners.

Applicant (defendant) Jo Ann Goin and her groups BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC have intentionally committed <u>deception</u> with bad faith using Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's incontestable, registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE" with an intent to register for their own, taking advantage from the real "GLORY HOUSE" trademark owner Glory Yau-Huai Tsai.

Additionally, defendant Jo Ann Goin fraudulently identified herself as the trademark owner of Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's registered trademark "GLORY HOUSE", on defendant Jo Ann Goin's website for many years.



Applicant Jo Ann Goin and her associated group BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC's <u>application No. 85-789420 should have be denied in its entirety and have been</u> <u>unregistrable at the time when applicant Jo Ann Goin filed her application.</u>

## VII. PRAYS

For the reasons and exhibits provided above and all "GLORY HOUSE" Registration No. 1879695's files in the records with the United States Patent and Trademark Office and also according to T.M.E.P. Section §1207 "Refusal on Basis of Likelihood of Confusion, Mistake or Deception", "Bad Faith filing", the trademark office should refuse and cancel applicant's application Serial Number 85-789420 under Trademark Act Section 2(d), 15 U.S.C. §1052(d).

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Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai pray the honorable court sustain Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's opposition and to refuse applicant to register the name mark "GLORY HOUSE", and cancel defendant (applicant) Jo Ann Goin's application Serial Number 85-789420.

Dated: October 13, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

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OPPOSER GLORY YAU-HUAI TSAI'S REPLY (MAIN) BRIEF IN OBJECTION TO APPLICANT'S MAIN BRIEF



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#### **CERTIFICATE OF CERVICE**

I hereby certify that on Oct.14, 2016, a true and correct copy of the foregoing "**Opposer Glory Yau-Huai Tsai's Reply Brief in Objection to applicant's main brief**" was served via first class mail, postage fully prepaid, and with return receipt requested, upon applicant's attorney **Lisa R. Hemphill** Gardere Wynne Sewel, L.L.P. 3000 Thanksgiving Tower, 1601 Elm Street, #3000, Dallas, Texas 75201.

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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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vs

BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC Jo Ann Goin, Owner of BJK Glory House Catering Co., LLC Applicant.

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I, Glory Yau-Huai Tsai hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the following documents:

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