



IPAB Intellectual Property Appellate Board

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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of powers conferred under Section 83 & 84 of the Trade Marks Act, 1999 and Section 117 B of the Patents Act, 1970 read with Section 92(1) of the Trade Marks Act 1999, the Hon'ble Acting Chairman as being the competent authority under Section 87 (1) of Trademarks Act, directs for constitution of Deputy Registrar Court for taking up cases for hearing with reference to administrative process of maintainability of the abandonment of Applications/appeals on account of defects pending under S.R. stage including receipt of filing counterstatements, replies, issuance of notices and extending extension up to 30 days to the parties in miscellaneous proceedings related appeals / applications filed before the IPAB registry.

It has been decided that henceforth onwards, the Deputy Registrar will hold Court regularly in Chennai registry and shall take up all matters under Trademarks Act, Patents Act, and Geographical Indication Act, to complete the administrative process with reference to maintainability of the abandonment of Applications/appeals on account of defects pending under S.R. stage including receipt of filing counterstatements, replies, issuance of notices and extending extension up to 30 days to the parties in miscellaneous proceedings related appeals / applications filed before the IPAB registry, henceforth the IPAB registry shall list and placed all pending matters before the Deputy Registrar for completion of miscellaneous proceedings in Chennai as well as as and when the court constituted for other Places such as Ahmadabad, Delhi, Kolkata and Mumbai.

Sd/-

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