

Haiti

Trade Marks, Amendment of Trade Mark Law

The trade mark law of Haiti was recently amended as follows:

Article 1—The following paragraphs are added to Article 3 of the law of the 17th day of July, 1954 of trade marks:

“The medical and pharmaceutical products covered by trade marks not registered will not be admitted through customs.

The delivery of said products will only be made by the customs if the declarations are accompanied by an official report of the registration or of a certificate of the Department of Commerce certifying that the mark has been registered or that the formalities of registration are pending.”

Article 2—The Article 16 is modified as follows:

“When the owner of a registered trade mark changes his address or name, he will notify the Department of Commerce and the new address or the new name will be registered upon the payment of a tax of Gourdes 15.00. The change of address should be entered previous to every renewal, assignment, change of name or presentation of the documents provided in Article 6.”

Article 3—The present law abrogates all laws or regulations of law which are contrary to it and will be executed by the State Secretaries of Commerce, of Justice, of Finances and of Public Health, each as it concerns him.

Made at the Chambers of Deputies, Port-au-Prince the 14th day of July 1956, the 153rd of the Independence.