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MARK SECTION					
MARK	<u>mark</u>				
LITERAL ELEMENT	HOROLOGY HOUR				
STANDARD CHARACTERS	YES				
USPTO-GENERATED IMAGE	YES				
MARK STATEMENT	The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font style, size or color.				
OWNER SECTION (current)					
NAME	Corsmeier, Collin M.				
DBA/AKA/TA/Formerly	DBA Horology Hour LLC				
MAILING ADDRESS	610 16th Street				
CITY	Huntington Beach				
STATE	California				
ZIP/POSTAL CODE	92648				
COUNTRY/REGION/JURISDICTION/U.S. TERRITORY	United States				
PHONE	612-770-1717				
EMAIL	XXXX				
OWNER SECTION (proposed)					
NAME	Horology Hour LLC				
MAILING ADDRESS	412 Olive Avenue, Ste. 193				
CITY	Huntington Beach				
STATE	California				
ZIP/POSTAL CODE	92648				
COUNTRY/REGION/JURISDICTION/U.S. TERRITORY	United States				
PHONE	612-770-1717				
EMAIL	XXXX				
LEGAL ENTITY SECTION (current)					
ТҮРЕ	individual				
COUNTRY/REGION/JURISDICTION/U.S. TERRITORY OF	United States				

CITIZENSHIP						
LEGAL ENTITY SECTION (proposed)						
ТҮРЕ	limited liability company					
STATE/COUNTRY/REGION/JURISDICTION/U.S. TERRITORY WHERE LEGALLY ORGANIZED	California					
ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS SECTION						
DISCLAIMER	No claim is made to the exclusive right to use HOROLOGY apart from the mark as shown.					
CORRESPONDENCE INFORMATION (current)						
NAME	CORSMEIER, COLLIN M.					
PRIMARY EMAIL ADDRESS FOR CORRESPONDENCE	corsmeiercollin@gmail.com					
SECONDARY EMAIL ADDRESS(ES) (COURTESY COPIES)	sales@horologyhour.com					
CORRESPONDENCE INFORMATION (proposed)						
NAME	Horology Hour LLC					
PRIMARY EMAIL ADDRESS FOR CORRESPONDENCE	corsmeiercollin@gmail.com					
SECONDARY EMAIL ADDRESS(ES) (COURTESY COPIES)	sales@horologyhour.com					
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RESPONSE SIGNATURE	/collin corsmeier/					
SIGNATORY'S NAME	Collin Corsmeier					
SIGNATORY'S POSITION	Principal					
DATE SIGNED	08/23/2022					
ROLE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY	Owner/Holder not represented by an attorney					
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SUBMIT DATE	Tue Aug 23 18:29:35 ET 2022					
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Response to Office Action

To the Commissioner for Trademarks:

Application serial no. 97120826 HOROLOGY HOUR(Standard Characters, see https://tmng-al.uspto.gov/resting2/api/img/97120826/large) has been amended as follows:

OWNER AND/OR ENTITY INFORMATION

Applicant proposes to amend the following:

Current: Collin M Corsmeier, DBA Horology Hour LLC, a citizen of United States, having an address of

610 16th Street

Huntington Beach, California 92648

United States

Email Address: XXXX

612-770-1717

Proposed: Horology Hour LLC, a limited liability company legally organized under the laws of California, having an address of

412 Olive Avenue, Ste. 193

Huntington Beach, California 92648

United States

Email Address: XXXX

612-770-1717

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

Disclaimer

No claim is made to the exclusive right to use HOROLOGY apart from the mark as shown.

Correspondence Information (current):

CORSMEIER, COLLIN M.

PRIMARY EMAIL FOR CORRESPONDENCE: corsmeiercollin@gmail.com

SECONDARY EMAIL ADDRESS(ES) (COURTESY COPIES): sales@horologyhour.com

Correspondence Information (proposed):

Horology Hour LLC

PRIMARY EMAIL FOR CORRESPONDENCE: corsmeiercollin@gmail.com

SECONDARY EMAIL ADDRESS(ES) (COURTESY COPIES): sales@horologyhour.com

Requirement for Email and Electronic Filing: I understand that a valid email address must be maintained by the owner/holder and the owner's/holder's attorney, if appointed, and that all official trademark correspondence must be submitted via the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS).

SIGNATURE(S)

Response Signature

Signature: /collin corsmeier/ Date: 08/23/2022

Signatory's Name: Collin Corsmeier Signatory's Position: Principal

Signature method: Signed directly within the form

The signatory has confirmed that he/she is not represented by an authorized attorney, and that he/she is either: (1) the owner/holder; or (2) a person or persons with legal authority to bind the owner/holder; and if he/she had previously been represented by an attorney in this matter, either he/she revoked their power of attorney by filing a signed revocation with the USPTO or the USPTO has granted this attorney's withdrawal request.

Mailing Address: CORSMEIER, COLLIN M.

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HUNTINGTON BEACH, California 92648 Mailing Address: Horology Hour LLC

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United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) Office Action (Official Letter) About Applicant's Trademark Application

U.S. Application Serial No. 97120826

Mark: HOROLOGY HOUR

Correspondence Address: CORSMEIER, COLLIN M. 610 16TH STREET HUNTINGTON BEACH CA 92648 UNITED STATES

Applicant: Corsmeier, Collin M.

Reference/Docket No. N/A

Correspondence Email Address: corsmeiercollin@gmail.com

NONFINAL OFFICE ACTION

The USPTO must receive applicant's response to this letter within <u>six months</u> of the issue date below or the application will be <u>abandoned</u>. Respond using the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS). A link to the appropriate TEAS response form appears at the end of this Office action.

Issue date: August 23, 2022

The referenced application has been reviewed by the assigned trademark examining attorney. Applicant must respond timely and completely to the issue(s) below. 15 U.S.C. §1062(b); 37 C.F.R. §§2.62(a), 2.65(a); TMEP §§711, 718.03.

SEARCH OF USPTO DATABASE OF MARKS

The trademark examining attorney has searched the USPTO database of registered and pending marks and has found no conflicting marks that would bar registration under Trademark Act Section 2(d). 15 U.S.C. §1052(d); TMEP §704.02.

SUMMARY OF ISSUES:

- Disclaimer Required
- · Clarification of Legal Entity Required

DISCLAIMER REQUIRED

Applicant must disclaim the wording "HOROLOGY" because it is merely descriptive of an ingredient, quality, characteristic, function, feature, purpose, or use of applicant's goods and/or services. *See* 15 U.S.C. §1052(e)(1); *DuoProSS Meditech Corp. v. Inviro Med. Devices, Ltd.*, 695 F.3d 1247, 1251, 103 USPQ2d 1753, 1755 (Fed. Cir. 2012); TMEP §§1213, 1213.03(a).

The attached evidence from the Merriam-Webster Dictionary shows this wording means "the art of making instruments for indicating time". Thus, the wording merely describes applicant's goods and/or services because they are for services relating to or featuring time-indicating instruments, or *horological instruments*.

A "disclaimer" is a statement in the application record that an applicant does not claim exclusive rights to an unregistrable component of the mark. *See Schwarzkopf v. John H. Breck, Inc.*, 340 F.2d 978, 979-80, 144 USPQ 433, 433 (C.C.P.A. 1965); TMEP §1213. A disclaimer does not physically remove the disclaimed matter from the mark or otherwise affect the appearance of the mark. *See Schwarzkopf v. John H. Breck, Inc.*, 340 F.2d at 979, 144 USPQ2d at 433; TMEP §1213.

Applicant may respond to this issue by submitting a disclaimer in the following format:

No claim is made to the exclusive right to use "HOROLOGY" apart from the mark as shown.

For an overview of disclaimers and instructions on how to provide one using the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS), see the Disclaimer webpage.

If applicant does not provide the required disclaimer, the USPTO may refuse to register the entire mark. *See In re Stereotaxis Inc.*, 429 F.3d 1039, 1041, 77 USPQ2d 1087, 1089 (Fed. Cir. 2005); TMEP §1213.01(b).

CLARIFICATION OF LEGAL ENTITY REQUIRED

The name of an individual person appears in the section of the application intended for the trademark owner's name, and the legal entity of the owner is listed as "INDIVIDUAL"; however, a DBA/AKA entity is set forth as a limited liability company. Applicant must clarify this inconsistency. *See* 37 C.F.R. §§2.32(a)(2), (a)(3)(i)-(ii), 2.61(b); TMEP §803.02(a).

If applicant is an individual, applicant should note that the legal entity be maintained as "individual" along with the indication of his/her country of citizenship for the record. 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(3)(i);

TMEP §803.03(a). Alternatively, if applicant is a limited liability company, applicant must provide the correct name of the limited liability company, amend its entity type, and indicate the U.S. state or foreign country of incorporation or organization. 37 C.F.R. §2.32(a)(3)(ii); TMEP §803.03(h).

If, in response to the above request, applicant provides information indicating that it is not the owner of the mark, registration may be refused because the application was void as filed. *See* 37 C.F.R. §2.71(d); TMEP §\$803.06, 1201.02(b). An application must be filed by the party who owns or is entitled to use the mark as of the application filing date. *See* 37 C.F.R. §2.71(d); TMEP §1201.02(b).

ADVISORY: APPLICANT MAY WANT TO SEEK TRADEMARK COUNSEL

Because of the legal technicalities and strict deadlines of the trademark application process, applicant is encouraged to hire a private attorney who specializes in trademark matters to assist in this process. The assigned trademark examining attorney can provide only limited assistance explaining the content of an Office action and the application process. USPTO staff cannot provide legal advice or statements about an applicant's legal rights. TMEP §§705.02, 709.06. See Hiring a U.S.-licensed trademark attorney for more information.

How to respond. Click to file a response to this nonfinal Office action.

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RESPONSE GUIDANCE

- Missing the response deadline to this letter will cause the application to <u>abandon</u>. The response must be received by the USPTO before midnight **Eastern Time** of the last day of the response period. TEAS maintenance or <u>unforeseen circumstances</u> could affect an applicant's ability to timely respond.
- Responses signed by an unauthorized party are not accepted and can cause the application to abandon. If applicant does not have an attorney, the response must be signed by the individual applicant, all joint applicants, or someone with legal authority to bind a juristic applicant. If applicant has an attorney, the response must be signed by the attorney.
- If needed, **find** contact information for the supervisor of the office or unit listed in the signature block.

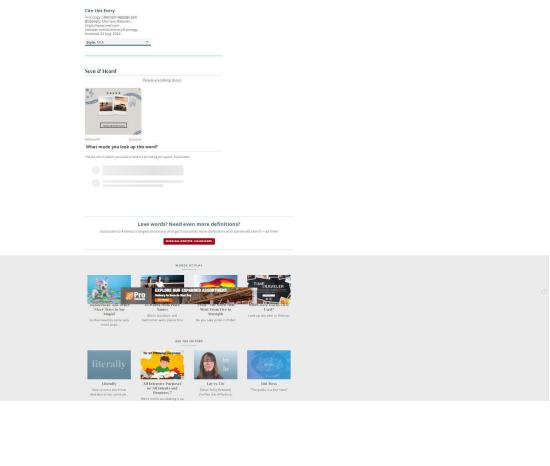
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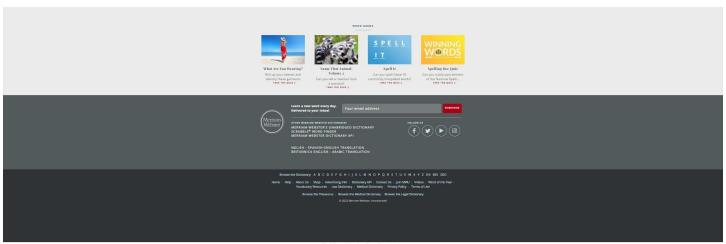




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USPTO OFFICIAL NOTICE

Office Action (Official Letter) has issued on August 23, 2022 for U.S. Trademark Application Serial No. 97120826

A USPTO examining attorney has reviewed your trademark application and issued an Office action. You must respond to this Office action in order to avoid your application abandoning. Follow the steps below.

- (1) Read the Office action. This email is NOT the Office action.
- (2) **Respond to the Office action by the deadline** using the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS). Your response must be received by the USPTO on or before 11:59 p.m. **Eastern Time** of the last day of the response period. Otherwise, your application will be <u>abandoned</u>. See the Office action itself regarding how to respond.
- (3) **Direct general questions** about using USPTO electronic forms, the USPTO <u>website</u>, the application process, the status of your application, and whether there are outstanding deadlines to the <u>Trademark Assistance Center (TAC)</u>.

After reading the Office action, address any question(s) regarding the specific content to the USPTO examining attorney identified in the Office action.

GENERAL GUIDANCE

- <u>Check the status</u> of your application periodically in the <u>Trademark Status & Document Retrieval (TSDR)</u> database to avoid missing critical deadlines.
- <u>Update your correspondence email address</u> to ensure you receive important USPTO notices about your application.
- Beware of trademark-related scams. Protect yourself from people and companies that may try to take financial advantage of you. Private companies may call you and pretend to be the USPTO or may send you communications that resemble official USPTO documents to trick you. We will never request your credit card number or social security number over the phone. And all official USPTO correspondence will only be emailed from the domain "@uspto.gov." Verify the correspondence originated from us by using your Serial Number in our database, TSDR, to confirm that it appears under the "Documents" tab, or contact the Trademark Assistance Center.

• Hiring a U.S.-licensed attorney. If you do not have an attorney and are not required to have one under the trademark rules, we encourage you to hire a U.S.-licensed attorney specializing in trademark law to help guide you through the registration process. The USPTO examining attorney is not your attorney and cannot give you legal advice, but rather works for and represents the USPTO in trademark matters.

User: Raymond Harmon

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