

LAW OF THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA

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On Trade Name

CHAPTER 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 1. Relations Regulated by This Law

The present law regulates relations pertaining to registration, legal protection and use of trade name (hereinafter referred to as trade name) by legal entities and enterprises without a status of legal entity.

The present law applies to all organizational and legal types of entities and all enterprises without a status of legal entity registered in conformity with the legislative procedure established in the Republic of Armenia.

CHAPTER 2. TRADE NAMES

Article 2. Trade Name

The trade name of a legal entity or an enterprise without a status of legal entity is a name under which it implements its activities and which distinguishes it from other legal entities or enterprises without a status of legal entity.

The trade name of legal entity or enterprises without a status of legal entity shall contain description of its organizational and legal status and at least one differentiating name (name, title, location or symbol).

The trade name can also contain the name of the location, names characterizing the activity, as well as other information deemed appropriate by the owners of legal entity or an enterprise without a status of legal entity.

The trade name of individual (family) enterprise shall contain the words “individual enterprise” (“family enterprise”) and names and/or surnames of each owner (founder) or at least one of the owners (founders) of the enterprise with specific reference to the type of relationship between the owner(s) (founder(s)).

The trade name of an economic association shall contain the description of the type of the

The complaint is considered by the authorized body in accordance with the procedure established by the authorized body.

In the case of disagreement with the decision of the council of appeals, the applicant has the right to appeal to court within two months after the receipt of the notification on decision.

In the case the tradename conforms to the requirements of the present law, the authorized body makes a decision on the registration thereof and within 3 days duly notifies the applicant.

The provided information contains the tradename of the legal entity or enterprise without the status of legal entity, the registration number and date, the address, scope of activity, and in the case of dissolution (termination of activity) - the date of state registration.

Based on the provided information, the authorized body

- a) makes decisions on granting certificate of temporary tradename protection or nullification of the registration thereof;
- b) makes appropriate entry in the state register.

Article 8. Certificate of Tradename Registration

Upon adoption of a decision on registration of a tradename, the authorized body shall within one month service to the applicant a certificate of tradename registration.

The certificate of tradename registration confirms the fact of registration of tradename, as well as the exclusive right for use of tradename by legal entity or enterprise without a status of legal entity.

The form of the certificate of tradename registration, as well as the type of information contained therein is determined by the authorized body.

The validity term of the certificate is unlimited.

Article 9. Publication of Information on Registration of Tradename

The information on registration of tradenames, as well as on all amendments made in the state register in conformity with this law, shall be published by the authorized body in its official information bulletin.

The full description of publishable information on tradename registration shall be determined by the authorized body.

CHAPTER 4. USE OF TRADENAME

Article 10. Use of Tradename

The use of tradename is considered the use thereof by the enterprise in conducting transactions, marketing and distribution of the produced goods and services, advertising of goods and services, conclusion of financial transactions, filing of claims at courts or arbitrage bodies, as well as the use thereof on posters, seals, labels, packages, letterheads and other forms and documents.

The divisions of legal entities or enterprises without legal entity status shall use the tradename of the legal entity or enterprise without legal entity status by supple, -1.16l e4.000 -1(h).4(e D.000-.5(t)-0 TD.0-

The exclusive right for the use of tradename comes into force from the date of registration of

Article 15. Liabilities for Infringement of Exclusive Rights For The Use of Tradename

The damages caused to legal entities or enterprises without legal entity status by illicit use of the tradename of such enterprises shall be indemnified to the en

