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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Matter of

ASTAGE CO., LTD.

Serial No.: 76/718,875 Examiner: Jeffrey S. DeFord

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Mark: ASTAGE

### RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

#### **Box RESPONSES NO FEE**

Commissioner for Trademarks P.O. Box 1451 Alexandria, VA 22313-1451

Sir:

In response to the October 27, 2016 Office Action, please amend the description of goods to read as follows:

# **International Class 8**

"Spanners; screwdrivers; adjustable spanners; wrenches; handoperated nail extractors; nippers; pliers; cutting pliers; handoperated pincers; shovels; gardening trowels; snow shovels; gardening scissors; metal-cutting scissors, namely tin shears; scissors; wool shears; hair cutting scissors; kitchen knives; folding knives; glass cutters; carving knives; table knives; fire tongs; palette knives; cleaning tools, namely, rakes."

## International Class 20

"Containers for transport, not of metal; tool boxes, not of metal sold empty, for storing hand tools and electric tools, fitting of metal, machine elements, components and parts in the nature of screws and nails; furniture, namely, bookstands and cabinets for furniture and offices; non-metal plastic storage bin organizer and plastic storage containers for storing outdoor goods, camping outfits, fishing tackle, car supplies, shoes, clothing, daily necessities, convenience goods, kitchen utensils, washing utensils, office stationery, gardening supplies, handicraft supplies and toys; flower-pot pedestals; industrial work tables."

## <u>International Class 21</u>

"Kitchen containers, namely, box type and bag type portable coolers and water jugs in the nature of hot or cold insulating small tanks for beverages with filling ports, portable water tanks; kitchen utensils, namely, tongs; cleaning tools and washing utensils, namely, buckets with lids and laundry baskets; fire pans for carrying live charcoal, namely, coal scuttles; gotoku (trivets for Japanese charcoal heaters for household purposes); Hikeshi-tsubo, namely, Japanese charcoal extinguishers; flower pots; watering cans; non-electric watering devices, namely, nozzles for watering hose; gardening water diffuser, namely, lawn sprinklers, garden sprinklers and field sprinklers; plastic hand-held shopping baskets."

Applicant, by the foregoing amendment, has more specifically identified its goods in accordance with the Examining Attorney's requirements. As amended, it is submitted that the goods are now properly identified and classified.

Since all issues raised in the Office Action have now been addressed, it is submitting that Applicant's mark is now in condition for publication and such action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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