

**STATEMENT OF USE (SOU) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 2.88**

Trademark: GURKHA  
Application No.: 88332244  
International Class No. 3

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Dear Sir/Madam:

A Notice of Allowance for the mark described above was issued by the Patent and Trademark Office **July 16, 2019**.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §2.88, the Applicant named in the above-identified Application hereby requests registration of such mark in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the Principal Register established by the Act of July 5, 1946, as amended (15 U.S.C. §1051 et seq.). The Applicant is the owner of the mark sought to be registered.

The Applicant is using the mark in commerce on or in connection with all of the goods or services identified in the Notice of Allowance (as modified herein) in this Application, namely, **Cigars** in International Class 34.

The mark was first used anywhere by the Applicant on or in connection with said goods at least as early as **Feb. 14, 1997**; and was first used in commerce by the Applicant on or in connection with said goods at least as early as **January 13, 2020**.

At least one specimen showing the mark as used in commerce is submitted with this SOU.

**DECLARATION**

The undersigned, being hereby warned that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. §1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the Application or any resulting Registration, declares that he is properly authorized to execute this Statement of Use on behalf of the Applicant; and all statements made of his own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

**K. Hansotia & Co.**

  
Signed

Kaizad Hansotia  
Printed Name

Director  
Title

January 14, 2020  
Date