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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 01.12.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE SENTHILKUMAR RAMAMOORTHY

A.No.4183 of 2024
in C.S.(Comm.Div.) No.271 of 2023

Versuni India Home Solutions Limited
Office at Futura Tech Park Q4 4th Floor Block B
#334 Rajiv Gandhi Salai Sholinganallur Chennai ... Applicant

-VS-

Maya Appliances Private Limited
Having its registered office at 10/5, Royal Enclave, Besant Avenue, Adyar,
Chennai 600 020 and having office at 3/140, IT Highway, Oggiam,
Thoraipakkam, Chennai 600 097, Represented by its Authorized Signatory
Mr.E.Mohan and 2 others ... Respondents

For Applicant : Mr.K.Premchandar

For Respondent : Ms.Swadhhi Tyagi
for M/s.Arun C.Mohan for R1 / Plaintiff

ORDER



This application has been filed by the third defendant in the suit for framing additional issues.

2. Issues were framed in the suit on 27.06.2024. On the ground that the third defendant had pleaded in the written statement that the design registrations are liable to be revoked and that the patents are invalid, but

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issues were not framed in relation thereto, the present application has been filed.

3. On examining the written statement of the third defendant, I find that the invalidity of Patent Nos.452008 and 463327 has been expressly pleaded and specific grounds of invalidity have been raised. Similarly, the third defendant has expressly pleaded that seven design registrations of the plaintiffs are invalid on specific grounds. In view thereof, a case is made out for framing additional issues as requested for by the third defendant.

4. Learned counsel for the plaintiff also has no serious objection to the framing of additional issues.

5. Considering the aforesaid, the following additional issues are framed:

1. Whether Design Nos.264343, 264344, 276080, 272567, 272882, 272883



and 304676 are liable to be revoked under Sections 19 and 2 of the Designs Act, 2000?

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2. Whether Patent Nos. 452008 and 463327 are invalid as per Sections 3 and 25 of the Patents Act, 1970?

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