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中华人民共和国外交部向瑞典駐华大使館致意, 抖護就大使館1957年1月28日第4/57号照会答复如下:

关于中华人民共和國和瑞典王國之間互惠注册商标的問題,中华人民共和国政府认为,如果中华人民共和国政府认为,如果中华人民共和国的公民、公司和合作社能在瑞典王国按照瑞典法律进行商标注册并由此而获得商标专用权,瑞典王国的公民、公司和合作社就能在中华人民共和国按照

¹ Came into force on 8 April 1957 by the exchange of the said notes.

中国法律进行商标注册并由此而获得商标专用权。但是,一国商标在他国所受保护的范围和期限不得超过在本国所受保护的范围和期限。

如果瑞典王国政府同意中华人民共和国政府的上述意見,并給外交部相应的答复,双方就应各按本国有效的規定,使对方的公民、公司和合作社得以进行商标注册。

顧向大使館教崇高的敬意。

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瑞典駐华大伊館



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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China presents its compliments to the Royal Swedish Embassy in China and has the honour to reply to the Embassy's note No. 4/57 of 28 January 1957 as follows:

The Government of the People's Republic of China agrees to the proposals made by the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden concerning the question of mutual registration of trade-marks between the two countries. Accordingly, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs makes the following statement:

[See note II]

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China avails itself of this opportunity to express to the Royal Swedish Embassy the assurances of its highest consideration.

Peking, 6 April 1957 [SEAL]

To the Royal Swedish Embassy in China

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ROYAL SWEDISH EMBASSY

No. 9/57

The Royal Swedish Embassy presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China and acknowledges receipt of the note of the Ministry dated April 6th, 1957, and with the following content:

"Concerning the question of mutual registration of trade-marks between the People's Republic of China and the Kingdom of Sweden, the Government of the People's Republic of China considers that, provided citizens, commercial firms and cooperative organizations of the People's Republic of China can obtain registration of trade-marks in the Kingdom of Sweden and there be granted exclusive use of such trade-marks according to the laws of Sweden, citizens, commercial firms and cooperative organizations of the Kingdom of Sweden can obtain registration of trade-marks in the People's Republic of China and there be granted exclusive use of such trade-marks according to the laws of China. The trade-marks of one country will, however, not be protected in the other country to a larger extent or during a longer period than in the first mentioned country.

If the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden shares the opinion of the Government of the People's Republic of China expressed above and gives a corresponding reply to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, each party shall, according to the regulations valid in its country, effect registration of trade-marks for the account of citizens, commercial firms and cooperative organizations of the other party."

In reply thereof, the Royal Swedish Embassy has the honour to inform the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China that the Royal Swedish

Government shares the opinion of the Government of the People's Republic of China expressed in the note cited above. Each party shall thus, under the aforementioned premises and according to the regulations valid in its country, effect registration of trade-marks for the account of citizens, commercial firms and cooperative organizations of the other party.

The Royal Swedish Embassy avails itself of this opportunity to express to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China the assurances of its highest consideration.

Peking, April 8th, 1957

To the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China Peking