



## Journey of Trademarks from Conventional to Un-Conventional - A Legal Perspective

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The reason for the drastic growth of the wealth and cultural influence of multinational corporations in recent times is the production of brands instead of products.<sup>1</sup> *'Those Louboutins are to die for,' 'Chanel and Louboutins!! What else can I wish for', 'This Hermes bag is my dream! Someday!!!'* These statements speak to a theoretical example from a gigantic assemblage of material mirroring the mind-boggling (love) connections that shoppers have created with specific trademarks. Curiously, numerous buyers in articulating their craving to buy a specific item over and again allude to the brand name as opposed to the kind of the item. The purchasers are especially wretched for brand names as opposed to the sort of item. For example, *Louboutin* and *Hermes* are less of products and a greater amount of brand names.

Consumers perceive trademarks as commodities due to their exceptional quality attached to the brand. Consistency is established when customers purchase a specific brand, and its appearance is an additional driving factor for such a purchase. Trademark in the Bollywood industry has boosted the economic growth to many folds. Bauman feels that the trademark plays a much more noticeable role in the non-conventional globalized economy, which manipulates the

probabilities of human choices and conduct.<sup>2</sup> Due to this emerging understanding, both in the US<sup>3</sup> and in Europe,<sup>4</sup> there is acceptance of the fact that financial concepts for trademark reasoning are insufficient to reflect the present-day functions of trademarks accurately. Trademark's functions have been restructured over the past few decades, which correspond to trademark evolution and expansion of consumer-centric society on the other hand. For instance, the trademark has played an essential role in the development of the consumer society and played as an *"unwitting servant of the corporate side of the brands."*

In any case, the test under the steady gaze of the court is to decipher the capacities among the part, so the commitment among all the players is considered.<sup>5</sup> For other people, the acknowledgment of the new elements of trademarks is a characteristic consequence of the development of purchaser society; however, it ought to be taken care of judiciously. This theory will contend for the last mentioned. Given the non-traditional business reality, it is not, at this point, adequate to ignore the propelled elements of trademarks. It is fundamental to comprehend the different reasons for the trademark. In the present financial arrangement, these capacities assume an essential job in the foundation of a trademark. The paper sketches the changes witnessed in the market and society, which in turn have influenced the legal

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landscape.<sup>6</sup> Among these, an overview will be given in this article for the protection offered in the various jurisdiction to these non-conventional (personality) functions of trademarks.

## **Functions of Personality Trademark in Business Processes**

### **Communication Function**

The most crystallized purpose in non-conventional trademarks is a communicative function.<sup>7</sup> These are successful strategic advertisements and investments done by the company/ individual to develop a trademark.<sup>8</sup> Trademark plays a very peculiar role in the commercial setup as they are mere symbols, figures, words, and an indication of association, but they do have a substantial communicative function. They not only enhance themselves as a brand but establish a public association. They develop, protect, and, through the primary distinction, increase brand value and awareness.<sup>9</sup> Companies project all the information to consumers about the brand through trademark, which in return strengthens the brand. Also, the legal protection accorded to trademarks protects the brand simultaneously.

Secondly, the Bollywood industry portrays the unrestrained power of a mark as this industry has inferences on status,<sup>10</sup> personality,<sup>11</sup> lifestyle characteristics,<sup>12</sup> which are always made.<sup>13</sup> This industry serves demands mostly, which are of aesthetic importance. The sector empowers a trademark with the immense communicating feature as it drives the brand at a cultural and social level. Hence, the Bollywood industry will illustrate the communicative function aptly.

### **Informative Communication**

A trademark communicates to the consumers at three different steps: firstly, it formulates the characteristics of the product in the consumer's mind; secondly, it builds an image; and thirdly, it forms public opinion.<sup>14</sup> Trademark helps to educate the general public about the features and essential basis of a product. It establishes the product identity and then drives consumers to form an association that would help them to relate to all the available products within that mark.<sup>14</sup> The objective of positioning the trademark in the market is to disseminate information relating to the price, quality to the public. This tends to project a trademark as the only source of information about the product,<sup>14</sup> which validates the fundamental elements of the trademark, for example, recognizable source proof, search cost decrease, and quality confirmation. Strasser certifies the above view

as he says that 'what trademarks do is convey to purchasers that in light of the fact that an item radiates from a specific source, it bears all the attributes that shopper's partner with this source.<sup>15</sup> Although, a trademark not only communicates the physical characteristics of a mark<sup>16</sup> but also highlights the lifestyle element it possesses,<sup>17</sup> which widens the interpretation offered to the function of trademarks.

### **Brand Communication**

'Trademarks have moved from being "brand-reflecting-sources" to "brands-combining-product-and source". The first term talks about the informational aspect, and the second one is diverse and multifaceted. Trademarks develop a strong brand when it has emotional, economic, and self-communicative features. This section discusses the emotional and self-communicative value of a brand. Trademarks can represent psychological as well as association, which helps the companies.

### **Advertising Function**

Justice Frankfurter in *Mishawaka Rubber & Woolen Mfg. Co. v S. S. Kresge*<sup>18</sup> rightly pointed that a trademark, if establishes the market around it through advertisement, then has its full potency.

The advertising function of trademarks has been over-discussed and elaborated in the literature (mainly American),<sup>19</sup> in American Case Law,<sup>20</sup> and more recently recognized in the rulings of CJEU.<sup>21</sup> The outcome of which is the consumers make their choices based on the advertisements, which are either persuasion or identification, which develops the ad-based economy.<sup>22</sup>

Companies use trademarks as a tool that passes on information about the product, as well as they give the message to the consumers about the product being something more than just a product (brand).<sup>23</sup> Trademark has become a tool that facilitates consumer decisions and helps in avoiding getting duped. The advertising function is further divided into informative advertising and persuasive advertising.

### **Trademarks and Advertising**

The advertisement has become intrinsic to trademark presence. The economic and legal relationship of a trademark is fortifying,<sup>24</sup> and also, presently, traditional trademark law is said to have created corresponding to the development of promoting rehearses.<sup>25</sup> Trademarks go through several strategic techniques that transform them into a unique brand.<sup>26</sup> Advertising agencies give trademarks the required

social and cultural touch to evolve as a brand. This refined touch helps the trademark to transform into a product that helps in building the social identity.<sup>27</sup> For instance, through a lot of prominent notices (e.g., superstar underwriting efforts by Kate Moss, Romeo Beckham), Burberry figured out how to rebuild its picture, which pulled in the conventional just as cognizant styleclients.<sup>28</sup>

Furthermore, a well-established trademark facilitates companies to derive extra profit out of the mark as it is recognized in various geographical regions.<sup>29</sup> When a moving platform is used to develop a brand on it, companies reduce their expenses and other vital inputs that would otherwise be utilized. The investment going into advertisements would hold no value if the trademark were absent.<sup>30</sup> Trademarks have become the primary element of advertisements due to large-scale and continuous use. It provides the proprietor with a clear picture of the product, which would disseminate information regarding features and will appeal to the public psychologically.<sup>30</sup> Daimler Chrysler, for example, was able to pull a simple trademark, 'JEEP.' Companies with a stronger trademark tend to produce higher Return on Investment (RIO) from an advertising campaign than the company with a weaker trademark.

Due to various communication platforms available in today's society, trademarks have become the primary tool of advertisements. The increased online web searches, online shopping, and catchphrase reaffirm the trademark role in advertising. Consumers take their time and do due diligence before buying a brand.<sup>31</sup> Hence, the trademark becomes the first step in the search process, which points to the advertisement and trademark inseparability.

In the absence of proper legal protection, trademark counterfeiting and exploitation are done efficiently, which hampers the informational function and persuasive ability of the advertisement. In this way, without the legitimate assurance blessed to trademarks, anybody can fake a brand and endeavor the promoting esteem related to it.

#### Investment Function

This function is an extension of the advertising function, which, as previously discussed.<sup>32</sup> The subtle difference between the advertising function and investment function was addressed in *Interflora v Mark and Spencer*.<sup>33</sup> When a third party's trademark or product is similar to the product or services of the proprietor, and it affects the trademark of the proprietor in such a way that it gains the reputation equivalent to

that of the proprietor's trademark, it is said to affect the investment function of the trademark. Packaging is one of the methods companies employ to differentiate brands and give them a vivid identity, which is a sort of investment. It helps in establishing a connection with the consumers, which affects the purchase decision. So, all the commercial aspects contained in a mark are the investment functions.<sup>34</sup>

### Development of the Non-conventional Functions: The Evolution of Case Laws from Various Jurisdictions

#### Position in EU

The first case where the European Union recognized non-conventional trademark functions were done was in *Dior v Evora*.<sup>35</sup> For this situation, *Dior*, an outstanding perfume producer, induced a claim against *Evora* for publicizing its items in a way that professedly harmed *Dior*'s brand value. In making its judgment, the CJEU referred to the advertisement function. Despite the fact that the court found no encroachment for this case, it acknowledged that an injudicious trademark use could be 'detracting from the allure and prestigious image of the goods in question and their aura of luxury.' After this judgment, there was no express recognition of the non-conventional function, but the Court's acknowledgment of this function is essential to avoid confusion among consumers was remarkable.

Further, *Arsenal v Reed*<sup>36</sup> is the second case in the leading trademark issue to talk about. Strikingly, the CJEU for this situation summoned 5(1)(a) of the TMD<sup>37</sup> to decide that utilizing a sign as identification of help influences the privilege of Arms stockpile as a proprietor even without any probability of confusion.<sup>38</sup> *Reed*'s utilization of the check apparently allowed it to take the unreasonable favorable position of the trademark of the secured trademark.<sup>39</sup> Vivid reference to trademark features by CJEU establishes the acceptance of the non-conventional roles of the trademark, which conflicts with the classical theory of trademark protection.<sup>40</sup> This approach has been maintained by AG Ruiz, who contended that restricting trademark to sign of root constitutes an 'oversimplified reductionism'.<sup>41</sup>

The ensuing instance of *L'Oréal v Bellure*<sup>42</sup> gave more explicit bits of knowledge into the substance of the cutting-edge capacities. Here, the obligation was found against *Bellure* for encroaching Segment 5(1)(a) and area 5(2) of the TMD for utilizing the *L'Oréal* stamp in a way that set off an association between *Bellure*'s item and *L'Oréal*. Despite the fact that there

was no probability of perplexity, duplicity, or tarnishment to the unmistakable character of the check, the courts in applying Article 5(1)(a) and Article 5(2) of the trademark order discovered risk on the commence of untenable favorable position.<sup>43</sup> For specific essentialness for this situation was the court's unequivocal profession of three particular extra elements of trademarks: correspondence, venture, and publicizing.

Next, in *Google France v Louis Vuitton*,<sup>44</sup> *LV* impelled an encroachment to assert against *Google* for offering the *LV* trademark as a catchphrase to a merchant of fake *LV* items. The CJEU needed to choose whether *Google* had to have sure encroached *LV*'s primary or potentially publicizing capacity. The CJEU found that *Google*'s offer of the *LV* check did not influence either *LV*'s essential function of meaning exchange cause or its publicizing position, taking note that the promoting capacity will be hurt in the event that it is utilized as a part of the way that it influences the proprietor's utilization of this stamp for limited time purposes.

At last, on account of *Interflora v Mark and Spencer*,<sup>45</sup> there was a reification of the advanced trademark works by the CJEU, with the specific spotlight on the investment function.<sup>46</sup> For this situation, *Interflora* incited a claim against *M&S* for buying the *Interflora* watchword on *Google* promotions with the reason for redirecting activity to its site. This inquiry was centered on whether the utilization of a trademark to procure or save the reputation of the trademark was unfavorably influenced. It was held that protection should be allowed for *Interflora* as the utilization of its trademark by *M&S* added up to significant interference in the proprietor's capacity to protect his reputation.

The above cases have been referenced to show how CJEU has, step by step, come to understand that a trademark can imply more than only the root and nature of a trademark. The elucidation of their suggestions on trademark law and the top-of-the-line Bollywood industry will be tended to in the rest of the sections of the postulation. Eminently, because the CJEU's undertakings to clarify these cutting-edge capacities have been insignificant, it is fundamental to look past case law and address the built-up speculations on trademark law, brand administration, purchaser conduct, psychological conduct, and representative consumerism.

#### The Protection Offered to 'Personality' in Australia

In Australia, the essential plan of action for famous people wishing to enjoy business employments of

their persona is the tort of passing off. Passing off denies the deceptive utilization of a particular exchange name or check, along these lines shielding buyers from deceit and a dealer's business generosity from being "filch[ed]" by rivals.<sup>48</sup> Given that players, for the most part, have neither items nor clients, a tort situated in out-of-line rivalry appears, at first become flushed, far-fetched to apply. However, fame, similar to goodwill, is a financially profitable trademark and one that is fit for being misused through business exercises, for example, support or marketing. In acknowledgment of this market reality, the Australian courts have connected passing off to secure the business estimation of a notable name from being depreciated by unapproved utilize. In this manner, in any case, the courts have perceived property rights that go past what can be advocated by the tort. Passing off does not give merchants a select privilege to make the most of their generosity; in reality, it empowers recuperation just where purchaser interests are likewise embroiled.

To treat a celebrities 'image filching' case as passing off in this manner covers the factual premise on which VIPs are allowed to recuperate. The wrong engagement with partner a superstar with an item isn't beguiling behavior; however, an appointment of her promoting esteem. By neglecting to recognize that current law does not perceive privileges of this extension, the courts maintain a strategic distance from the need of thinking about whether, and on what grounds, such risk can be supported.

#### Position in Canada

The principal case perceiving the tort was *Krouse v Chrysler Canada*.<sup>49</sup> A claim brought by a football player against an automobile maker for the unapproved utilization of his photo on its promotional materials. The photo portrayed *Krouse* on the games field amid play, identifiable by the number on his shirt. The picture was utilized on a special gadget that was expected for use by football fans while watching the game; the litigant's autos were delineated on the turnaround of the gadget.

For the first time, Haines J placed the presence of action for the wrongful apportionment of the offended party's identity. He viewed *Krouse* as having a selective qualification to his "saleable promoting power". The litigant's utilization of this picture in its notice added up to an assignment of this esteem, and its inability to acquire *Krouse*'s assent rendered its allotment of this esteem wrongful. Strikingly, Haines J recommended that the respondent's utilization

encroached the offended party's privilege despite the nonappearance of any proposal of underwriting. In spite of the fact that the promotion contained an "unmistakable, if blackout" ramifications of support, he didn't see underwriting as important to obligation. The photo was utilized to get the attention and publicize the litigant's autos, and "the simply identifiable utilization of *Krouse* in the Spotter in this way would be adequate to constitute a tort." No harm a component of the activity. Haines J noticed that *Krouse* had been "unable to demonstrate the general negative that his capacity to get match supports has been decreased, and there is a master proves that it has not." He, along these lines, moved toward harms based on vile improvement, granting *Krouse* \$1,000 as remuneration for the "wrongful appointment of his property right in utilizing his photo for promoting purposes."

In *Athans v Canadian Adventure Camps*,<sup>50</sup> the tort law further developed, it pointed out that liability is not loss or endorsement dependent. In this case, the plaintiff was a winning who was famous in the waterskiing community only. He had a specific picture of him on his letterhead and visiting card. The defendant invited him to be an instructor for a summer holiday camp to which he denied. Later the defendant used a similar drawing, which was similar to the 'trademark' image of the plaintiff for his camp.

Henry J admitted that very few people might know the plaintiff outside the waterskiing community, and the line drawing does not suggest his involvement with the camp. But he addressed the fact that the act constituted misappropriation of the personality. It was not that a loss should be suffered, but unauthorized used also represents "an invasion and pro to an impairment of his exclusive right to market his personality.

Reliable with this perspective of the torts as noteworthy as such, Henry J granted restitution harms speaking to the respondent out of line advancement. As in *Henderson*, quantum depended on the estimation of a permit charge: "[n]o other damage having been demonstrated, the measure of harms ought to be the sum he should sensibly to have gotten in the market for authorization to distribute the illustrations". Thus, a break of the celebrity's elite qualification to advertise his identity will qualify the personality for remuneration, independent of whether this has dispensed misfortune.

#### Personality Protection in Japan

Regardless of Japan's Civil Law Custom, Japanese courts recognize security and exposure rights as protected, moral rights despite the fact that they are not

expressly said in either the Constitution or particular enactment.<sup>51</sup> Names, similarities, and marks might be secured. Nonetheless, there is no legal point of reference or scholastic conclusion concerning the assurance of a man's voice or persona; these may not be guaranteed. The Japanese courts recognize that a significant celebrity name's privilege of reputation emerges out of a monetary intrigue and secures that directly under tort law even without appearing of mental enduring.<sup>52</sup> Risk has now and again been found even where the unapproved utilization of a man's resemblance happens in the news revealing setting.<sup>53</sup>

Japan perceives that celebrities have both a privilege of attention - a financial right, and a right to security - an ethical right. The Tokyo District Court has held that "*the essence of the right to publicity is the power to attract public attention,*" and that the right extends to "*any matter with economic value, arising out of that celebrities' [sic] fame or reputation due to the attraction of public attention*".<sup>54</sup>

#### Position in the United States

The United States has maybe the most complete and direct arrangement of laws and strategy contemplations concerning one side of reputation, which became out of a monetary approach structure.<sup>55</sup> The Restatement of Unfair Competition, characterizes the privilege of attending as the appointment of exchange esteems. "*One who makes hurt the business relations of another by appropriating the other's elusive exchange esteems is liable to obligation to the next for such damage just if . . . the on-screen character is liable to risk for an allotment of the business estimation of the other's personality*".<sup>56</sup> Section 46 of the Restatement expresses that "[o]ne who appropriates the business estimation of a man's personality by utilizing without assent the individual's name, resemblance, or other indicia of character for the motivations behind the exchange is liable to obligation for the alleviation fitting under the guidelines expressed in Sections 48 and 49". The privilege of attention is a state-based ideal rather than a federal right, in spite of the fact that it cooperates intimately with first amendment rights. In most states wards without a particular statute, the privilege may even now be perceived as custom-based law.<sup>57</sup> The rights are situated in tort law, and the four reasons for action are:

- (i) Intrusion upon physical solitude;
- (ii) Public disclosure of private facts;
- (iii) Depiction in a false light; and
- (iv) Appropriation of name and likeness.<sup>58</sup>

The publicity rights are individualistic and are to prevent others from gaining economic benefits from them. Given the expansion of non-convention personality, trademarks not only celebrities but other individuals should also be allowed compensation irrespective of them being well-known. *Fraley v Facebook, Inc.*<sup>59</sup> is a case against *Facebook* over its ‘Sponsored Stories’ advertising services. This lawsuit arose because certain *Facebook* users were upset when they discovered that their names and user profile photographs were arranged by *Facebook* in the perimeter of newsfeeds viewed by their friends based on their ‘likes’ of various branded products. Given that the plaintiffs in *Fraley* were able to show a “*direct, linear relationship between the value of their endorsements of third-party products, companies, and brands to their Facebook friends, and the alleged commercial profit gained by Facebook,*” they have been allowed to continue their right of publicity case.<sup>59</sup>

#### Position in the UK

In the United Kingdom, while not mainly perceived by statute, image rights are theoretically viewed and managed by the legal framework every day. The standard *Premier League Football Players Contract* characterizes mostly and manages the proprietorship and business use of a club footballer’s picture rights in remarkable detail. Be that as it may, because there is no open enrollment making a property right like a trademark for picture rights in the United Kingdom, just the gatherings to an image rights contract will know about and aware of the proprietorship rights made and managed in that. This might be alluring now and again; however, in others, the proprietor of such a profitable ideal by a method for task or permit may need to openly record and ensure that possession intrigue.

There have been two noteworthy advancements in the instances of *Irvine v Talksport*<sup>60</sup> and *Douglas v Hello!*.<sup>61</sup> In short, the security for exposure rights in the UK can be seen get from two torts: passing off and breach of confidence. These two torts reflect distinctive components of the business and individual routine with regards to abusing picture and character; and, they compare to the overarching methods of insight of the US business concerns and the European respect concerns.<sup>62</sup>

#### The Legal Recognition of the Non-Conventional Functions

The new social functions of trademarks in the marketplace need to have the backing of the law to be

efficient. This can be done by recognizing the extended proprietary interests inherent within a mark.<sup>63</sup> From an economic perspective, monopoly-phobic arguments have overwhelmed scholarly writing here. Advocates of this approach see the lawful acknowledgment of the cutting edge works as an ‘economic evil’ enabling substantial corporate restraining infrastructures, smothering business rivalry, and abusing free competition.<sup>64</sup> Apparently, the security of the advanced capacities renders requests inelastic and engages companies to force costs, which are unmistakable from the values of different results of a similar class that would make some way or another be focused on it. It is questionable that organizations that focus on separating their items through the charm of their brands stop heated rivalry in the commercial center of products and ruin the commercial center of thoughts. In like manner, since the acknowledgment of these capacities does not advance effective competition, their lawful assurance has been seen warily.<sup>65</sup> This nearsighted translation of the advanced capacities hazardously ignores other conceivable ways to deal with assessing the connection amongst trademarks and competition.

The argument which is advanced is that in the absence of any legal protection to these non-conventional trademarks, investors will be hesitant to invest and built their trademark,<sup>66</sup> and also, the issues of counterfeiting products and practices against the healthy competition will be taking birth.<sup>67</sup> Since huge investments are made in the mark, it holds significant value, and it deserves protection. Chronopoulos gives a suggestive economic alternative to the economics of non-conventional trademark recognition.<sup>68</sup> He says that the association with a specific brand or product is primary, even if those are available at a premium price, which fosters consumer welfare. The protection offered to non-conventional function is the owner’s right to brand extension, the advertisement costs. To start with, the negligible acknowledgment of the presence of the advanced capacities does not, as such, infer conceding trademark proprietors’ broadened rights. The recognition of these capacities may shape the premise of an against trademark proprietor direction. The most topical illustration would be that of the everyday bundling proposition, which will, in all probability, be presented through a different enactment in the Unified Kingdom.<sup>69</sup> The acknowledgment of the business attraction of a trademark provoked lawmakers to propose an impediment to the utilization of a trademark on tobacco items with the goal of safeguarding general well-being through diminishing tobacco utilization. This

approach could extend to different ventures, for example, the pharmaceutical business in which the acknowledgment of the effect of promoting on cost and besides on buyer conduct might be the commencement for an overall population arrangement particular case in trademark law. By and by, the control of trademarks depends eventually on the capacities which are credited to the trademark.<sup>70</sup>

Second, the acknowledgment of property components in a trademark isn't absolutist; however, it mainly furnishes trademark proprietors with a heap of authority over substantial and immaterial elements of this mark. In light of a sound impediment infrastructure, the simple property theory hypothesis of trademark law can be disproved.

Third, in connection to the ethicality of branding and the nonsensical conduct that it professedly prompts, the proposal has demonstrated that at any rate inside the fashion industry, the brand charm is requested by the buyer who deliberately values the passionate association he/she create with brands. The assurance of the advanced capacities reflects the enthusiasm of the trademark proprietor, as well as the enthusiasm of the shopper who conveys through trademarks either deep down or apparently. By and by, drawing a scarcely discernible difference between the instructive estimation of trademarks and their enticing worth is exceptionally troublesome. In like manner, paying premium costs for fashion items is a piece of the purchaser's independence that ought to be grasped inside a fair setting. While these instruments are not compelled inside the limits of trademark law, trademark law may encourage this procedure by building up an adjusted arrangement of insurance.

### Conclusion

This section breaks down the non-regular elements of trademarks and studies the equivalent according to the present commercial center. To embody, inside the business arrangement, the item includes are presently on a subordinate balance, and the brand characteristics which are seen through trademarks have become the point of convergence of procurement. Buyers continuously use brands to portray tales about themselves, to set up their social characters, and as the wellspring of smugness.

In any case, for a trademark to achieve this stable, useful status, organizations need to contribute huge aggregates to progress and advance their brands right when all data dispersed from a trademark is engaged, social and mental methods are assembled, the imprint

gets perceptible, reliable, and thus 'engaging.' The drawing in nature of a trademark is beneficial as it empowers the owners to pull in buyers to their items for reasons which go past the fundamental capacity of recognizable proof of starting point.

Exactly when a trademark achieves this charming status, it ends up being progressively inclined to harm to misappropriation. Potential mischief could happen whether or not an outsider action doesn't obstruct the trademark's capacity to play out its basic function. In such a case, making sure about a hindrance to disorder doesn't enough guarantee the characteristic of the trademark. Trademark owners, in this way, have crusaded for the augmentation of assurance to target two interests. At the central level, they required the affirmation of the association which exists between an association and the brand (trademark). Likewise, the insurance by law incorporates the all-encompassing capacity of the trademark, which is altruism in the market.

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