

ADJUDICATOR'S SUMMARY DECISION

CASE NUMBER:	ZA2022-0454
DECISION DATE:	9 September 2022
DOMAIN NAME:	prodirectsoccer.co.za
THE DOMAIN NAME REGISTRANT:	Shamiel Taylor
REGISTRANT'S LEGAL COUNSEL:	n/a
THE COMPLAINANTS:	Pro-Direct Group Limited, and Pro-Direct Sport Limited
COMPLAINANT'S LEGAL COUNSEL:	Kelly Thompson, Adams & Adams
2 nd LEVEL ADMINISTRATOR:	ZA Central Registry NPC

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1. The Parties

First Complainant:

Pro-Direct Group Limited

Devon

United Kingdom

Second Complainant:

Pro-Direct Sport Limited

Devon

United Kingdom

Registrant:

Shamiel Taylor

Sandton, Johannesburg

South Africa

2. The Domain Name: **PRODIRECTSOCCER.CO.ZA**

3. Notification of Complaint (26 July 2022)

I am satisfied that the Registrant did not submit a response to the dispute in terms of Regulation 18(1) and that all reasonable steps to notify the Registrant of the dispute in accordance with Regulation 18(4)(a) read with Regulation 15(1) have been taken.

Yes No

4. Rights

The Complainant has, to my reasonable satisfaction, shown rights in a name or mark which is identical or similar to the domain name.

Yes No

5. Abusive Registration

The Complainant has, to my reasonable satisfaction, shown that the domain name is an abusive registration in the hands of the Registrant.

Yes No

6. Other Factors

I am satisfied that there are no other factors or circumstances present that would render the decision in this matter unfair.

Yes No

7. Comments (Optional)

It is noted that the requested remedy in accordance with clause 12.1 of the Complaint by the Complainants was that the disputed domain name be transferred to the Second Complainant. Notably, the Second Complainant is also the owner of several domain names incorporating the mark in question, which domain names were further offered as evidence in clause 11.1.4 of the Complaint.

8. Decision

For all the foregoing reasons, in accordance with Regulation 9(1)(a), the Adjudicator orders that the domain name, [prodirectsoccer.co.za](#) be transferred to the Second Complainant.

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