

ADJUDICATOR’S SUMMARY DECISION

CASE NUMBER:	ZA2020-0404
DECISION DATE:	10 November 2020
DOMAIN NAME	mercantilebank.co.za
THE DOMAIN NAME REGISTRANT:	Avaliani Sergi
REGISTRANT’S LEGAL COUNSEL:	None
THE COMPLAINANT:	Mercantile Bank Limited
COMPLAINANT’S LEGAL COUNSEL:	Werksmans Attorneys -Donvay Wegierski
2 nd LEVEL ADMINISTRATOR:	ZACR

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1. The Parties

Complainant:

Mercantile Bank Limited

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Sandton

2196

Registrant:

Avaliani SERGI

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Georgia

0186

2. The Domain Name: MERCANTILEBANK.CO.ZA

3. Notification of Complaint (16 September 2020)

I am satisfied that the Registrant did not submit a response to the dispute in terms of regulation 18(1) and that the Registrant has been notified of the dispute in accordance with regulation 18(4)(a) read with regulation 15(1).

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)

The Registrant has exhibited a pattern of such registrations over a number of years.

8. Decision

The domain mercantilebank.co.za is to be transferred to the Complainant.

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