#### SPECIAL OLYMPICS TRADEMARKS

Special Olympics, Inc. (SOI), has pursued an active international trademark registration program over the past ten years, mainly concentrating on registering the Special Olympics logo in nations with key strategic, fundraising, sponsorship, or other value to the movement. Our efforts have focused on the Special Olympics logo.

The laws of many countries grant the National Olympics Committee in that country exclusive use of the word "Olympics," thus precluding SOI from registering any trademark that includes "Special Olympics." For example, in the United States, the *Ted Stevens Amateur Sports Act* prohibits anyone other than the United States Olympic Committee from registering a trademark that includes the word "Olympics."

The 1988 Protocol Agreement between the International Olympic Committee and SOI grants Special Olympics the right to use the word "Olympics" as part of the name "Special Olympics." The IOC has requested, and SOI has informally agreed, that neither SOI nor any Special Olympics Program or GOC register the trademark "Special Olympics" in any country.

Therefore, SOI has registered the Special Olympics logo in the United States, the European Union, and various other countries. SOI has also registered numerous other trademarks, primarily in the United States, for use by Special Olympics and Special Olympics Programs.

The following documents are attached: **Attachment A** - SOI registered logo; **Attachment B** - additional design marks registered by SOI; **Attachment C** - list of countries where the SOI logo is registered; and **Attachment D** - list of various SOI registered trademarks.

# Attachment A Special Olympics Logo



## **Attachment B**

## Law Enforcement Torch Run Design Mark



## Polar Plunge Design Mark



# Attachment C Countries Where the Special Olympics Logo is Registered

Australia Brazil Canada Chile China Chinese Taipei Colombia Ecuador Egypt **European Union Member Countries** Mexico New Zealand Norway Russia South Africa Sweden Turkey UAE

**United States** 

#### **Attachment D**

### **Special Olympics Registered Trademarks**

#### A Very Special Christmas ®

Flame of Hope <sup>TM</sup> (registration in process)
Law Enforcement Torch Run® – U.S. and Europe
Torch Run® - U.S., Europe, Japan, China (in Chinese)
Tip-A-Cop®
Polar Plunge®
Truck Convoy®
Guardians of Flame<sup>TM</sup> (registration in process)
Cops on Top®
Cops on Doughnut Shops ®
Global Law Enforcement Torch Run <sup>TM</sup> (registration in process)

Healthy Athletes® Special Smiles® Opening Eyes® Medfest®

SO Get Into It®
Unified Sports®
Team Advantage ®
Inspire Greatness ®
Partner's Club ®
Be a Fan TM (registration in process)