

Example 3-1 (Book)

Case of a design published in a book (printed publication) by the creator who is the same as the applicant

Certificate for the Application of Provisions on Exception to Lack of Novelty of Design

1. Facts of Publication

(i) Date of issue

May 5, 2021

(ii) Printed publication (Title of the publication, volume number, issue number, corresponding page, publishing office or publisher, etc.)

“Accessories with Beads for Beginners” co-authored by Hanako KOGEI and Tomoko SHUGEI, page 150, Craft Books Co., Ltd.

(iii) Person(s) who published the Design

Hanako KOGEI

Tomoko SHUGEI

(iv) Contents of the design published

Hanako KOGEI and Tomoko SHUGEI presented the pair of earrings that was created by Hanako KOGEI on page 150 of “Bead accessory for inexperienced” .

Attach the original or copy of the  
above page containing the design  
(earrings) and the imprint.

2. Facts of Succession to the Right to Obtain a Design Registration

(i) Creator(s) of the design published

Hanako KOGEI (Address: \*\*\*, \*\*-ku, Tokyo \*\*\*, JAPAN)

(ii) Person(s) having the right to obtain a design registration at the time of the act causing the publication of the design (Right holder(s) at the time of the act)

Hanako KOGEI

(iii) Applicant(s) requesting a design registration (the person(s) stated in the application)

Hanako KOGEI

(iv) Person(s) who published the design

Hanako KOGEI

Tomoko SHUGEI

(v) Succession to the right to obtain a design registration

The design published through the act of publication as stated in the Facts of Publication was created by Hanako KOGEI and throughout May 5, 2021 when the design was published, until July 3, 2021 when a design registration application was

Item (v) may be omitted as the persons  
stated in items (i) through (iii) are  
completely the same.

filed, the right to obtain a design registration had been retained by Hanako KOGEI.

- (vi) Relationship between the right holder(s) at the time of the act and the person(s) who published the design. (State that the persons who published the design made the publication of the design as a result of the act of the right holder at the time of the act)

Hanako KOGEI who had the right to obtain a design registration at the time when the design was published, made the publication of the design as stated in the Facts of Publication.

In addition, Tomoko SHUGEI does not have the right to obtain a design registration for the said design, and is merely listed as a co-author of the publication.

I hereby certify that the matters stated above are true and correct.

July 10, 2021

Hanako KOGEI

\* No certificate stamp or signature required