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To the Honorable Commissioner of

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attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(  )

Cotter & Company 09-04-1998  
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Individual(s)  Association  
 General Partnership  Limited Partnership  
 Corporation-State Delaware  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: TruServ Corporation

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 8600 W. Bryn Mawr Avenue

City: Chicago State: IL ZIP: 60631

Individual(s) citizenship \_\_\_\_\_  
 Association \_\_\_\_\_  
 General Partnership \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limited Partnership \_\_\_\_\_  
 Corporation-State Delaware  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  Yes  No  
 (Designations must be a separate document from Assignment)  
 Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:

Assignment  Merger  
 Security Agreement  Change of Name  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Execution Date: July 1, 1997  
 (See copy of change of name form attached as Exhibit A.)

4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)  
 See attached Exhibit B.

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)  
 Please see attached sheet See attached Exhibit C.

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Diane T. Nauer  
c/o Shelly Zatas  
 Internal Address: Law Department  
TruServ Corporation

Street Address: 8600 W. Bryn Mawr Avenue

City: Chicago State: IL ZIP: 60631

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:..... 108

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ 2,790.00

Enclosed  
 Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number: 2790

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9. Statement and signature.  
*To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*

Diane T. Nauer Diane T. Nauer  
 Name of Person Signing Signature

8/31/98  
 Date

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EXHIBIT B

<b>APPLICATIONS</b>
75-120945
75-120953
75-204411
75-225455
75-284466
75-296235
75-312652

## EXHIBIT C

REGISTRATIONS	
71-581948	73-347033
71-635531	73-360799
71-635649	73-360862
71-636284	73-440773
71-638111	73-450537
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## State of Delaware

*Office of the Secretary of State*

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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "COTTER & COMPANY", FILED A CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, CHANGING ITS NAME TO "TRUSERV CORPORATION", THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, A.D. 1997, AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE AFORESAID CORPORATION IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE NOT HAVING BEEN CANCELLED OR DISSOLVED SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW AND IS DULY AUTHORIZED TO TRANSACT BUSINESS.

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Edward J. Freel".

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION: 8557368  
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The Northern Trust Company  
Chicago, Illinois

OH 31378  
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Remitter: TRUSERV CORP.

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*Susan E. Lee*

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

TRANSMITTAL LETTER (GENERAL)
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Applicant/Registrant: TruServ Corporation

Docket No.

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Trademark: Recordation of Certificate of Merger, "Cotter & Company", changing its name to TruServ Corporation, 101 Trademarks and 8 Applications

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following document(s):

- 1. Recordation Form Cover Sheet (Trademarks)
2. Certificate of Merger with Name Change
3. Attached Sheet Trademark Applications
4. Attached Sheet Trademark Registrations



09-04-1998

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No fee is required.

Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$2,790.00 is attached.
Any excess or insufficiency should be credited or debited to Deposit Account No.
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Signature of Diane T. Nauer

Dated: September 1, 1998

Diane T. Nauer
c/o Shelly Zalas
Law Department
TruServ Corporation
8600 W. Bryn Mawr Avenue
Chicago, IL 60631-3505

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on
September 1, 1998 the U.S. Postal Service Express
Mail Post Office to Addressee service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10
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TRUSERV CORPORATION  
DIANE T. NAUER, C/O SHELLY ZALAS  
LAW DEPARTMENT  
8600 W. BRYN MAWR AVENUE  
CHICAGO, IL 60631



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February 1, 1999

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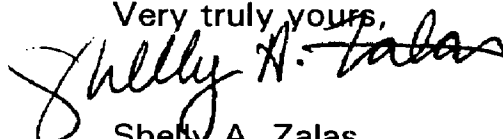
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**RE: Document ID No.: 10085062**

Dear Ms. Simon:

As instructed in your letter of January 19, 1999 (copy attached), enclosed please find TruServ Corporation's corrected documents for processing of the recordation of trademark assignment.

Should you have any questions, I can be reached at (773) 695-5455 or via facsimile at (773) 695-5465. Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,  
  
Shelly A. Zalas  
Law Department

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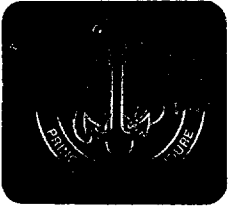


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