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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies): 7-501 Piedmont Publishing Company, Inc.

- Individual(s) Association General Partnership Limited Partnership Corporation-State North Carolina Other

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment Merger Security Agreement Change of Name Other

Execution Date: December 21, 1999

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies) Name: Media General Newspapers, Inc. Internal Address:

Street Address: 333 East Franklin Street City: Richmond State: Virginia Zip: 23219

- 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

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

1,934,676

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

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

Name: Peter E. Broadbent, Jr., Esq.

Internal Address:

Street Address: 909 East Main Street Suite #1200

City: Richmond State: Virginia Zip: 23219

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 5

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 140

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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.

Peter E. Broadbent, Jr. Name of Person Signing

Signature

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**Additional Trademark Registration Numbers:**

Registration No.:

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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, WHICH MERGES:

"PIEDMONT PUBLISHING COMPANY, INC.", A NORTH CAROLINA CORPORATION,

WITH AND INTO "MEDIA GENERAL NEWSPAPERS, INC." UNDER THE NAME OF "MEDIA GENERAL NEWSPAPERS, INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 1999, AT 9:02 O'CLOCK A.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF MERGER IS THE TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 1999.



*Harriet Smith Windsor*  
Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER  
MERGING  
PIEDMONT PUBLISHING COMPANY, INC.  
INTO  
MEDIA GENERAL NEWSPAPERS, INC.

Pursuant to Section 252 of the Delaware General Corporation Law and Section 55-11-07 of the North Carolina Business Corporation Act, Media General Newspapers, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("MGNI" or the "Surviving Corporation") and Piedmont Publishing Company, Inc., a North Carolina corporation ("Piedmont" or the "Disappearing Corporation"), do hereby certify as follows:

FIRST: The name of the Surviving Corporation is Media General Newspapers, Inc., a Delaware corporation. The name of the disappearing corporation is Piedmont Publishing Company, Inc., a North Carolina corporation. Media General Communications, Inc. a Delaware corporation, owns all of the outstanding capital stock of MGNI. Media General, Inc., a Virginia corporation, owns all of the outstanding shares of capital stock of Piedmont and indirectly owns all of the outstanding shares of capital stock of MGNI.

SECOND: The merger shall be effected through an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Plan").

THIRD: The Plan was duly approved, adopted, certified, and acknowledged by the Board of Directors of MGNI on December 21, 1999.

FOURTH: The Plan was duly approved, adopted, certified, and acknowledged by the Board of Directors of Piedmont on December 21, 1999.

FIFTH: There are 1,000 authorized shares of capital stock of MGNI, of which 100 shares are outstanding and entitled to vote. All 100 shares of capital stock of MGNI that were entitled to vote approved the Plan.

SIXTH: There are 1,000 authorized shares of capital stock of Piedmont, of which 3 shares are outstanding and entitled to vote. All 3 shares of capital stock of Piedmont that were entitled to vote approved the Plan.

SEVENTH: The merger shall be effective December 27, 1999 at 12:01 AM.

EIGHTH: Pursuant to Sections 228(a) and 229 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Sections 55-7-04 and 55-7-06 of the North Carolina Business Corporation Act the Sole Stockholder of MGNI, the Surviving Corporation, and the Sole Stockholder of Piedmont, the Disappearing Corporation waived all notice requirements.

NINTH: The merger is permitted by the law of the state of incorporation of Piedmont.

**TENTH:** Piedmont has complied or shall comply with the applicable laws of its state of incorporation.

**ELEVENTH:** The certificate of incorporation of Media General Newspapers, Inc. shall be the certificate of incorporation of the Surviving Corporation.

**TWELFTH:** The executed Plan is on file at Media General Newspapers, Inc., 333 East Franklin Street, Richmond, VA 23219.

**THIRTEENTH:** A copy of the Plan may be obtained from the Secretary of Media General Newspapers, Inc., upon request and without cost.

*[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the parties has caused this Certificate of Merger to be executed on its behalf by its duly authorized officers, as of this 21st day of December, 1999.

MEDIA GENERAL NEWSPAPERS, INC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: George L. Mahoney  
Title: Secretary

PIEDMONT PUBLISHING  
COMPANY, INC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: George L. Mahoney  
Title: Secretary

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