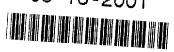
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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Pleas	se record the attached original documents or copy thereof.
1. Name of conveying party(ies):	2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
Marks & Morgan Jewelers, Inc.	Name: Sterling Inc.
Individual(s) Association General Partnership Limited Partnership  X Corporation-State of Georgia Other	Internal Address: ANG 3 1  Street Address: 375 Ghent Road  City: Akron State: Ohio ZIP: 44333
Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes X No  3. Nature of conveyance:  Assignment X Merger Change of Name Other  Execution Date: December 12, 2000	Individual(s)AssociationGeneral PartnershipLimited PartnershipX Corporation-State of OhioOther  If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:YesNo (Designations must be a separate document from Assignment) Additional name(s) and addresses attached?YesNo
Application number(s) or registration number(s):     A. Trademark Application No.(s)	B. Trademark Registration No.(s)  2,415,062 2,198,169 2,311,396 2,195,079 2,311,395 2,065,696 2,255,875 1,743,046
Addition	nal numbers attached?Yes _X_No
Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:      Name: Reese Taylor, Esq.	6. Total Number of applications and registrations involved:  8  7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):\$ 215.00
Renner, Kenner, Greive, Bobak, Taylor & Weber	x Enclosed
Internal Address:  Street Address: Fourth Floor, First National Tower  City: Akron State: OH ZIP: 44308-1456	X Authorized to be charged to deposit account (any fee deficiency)  8. Deposit Account Number: 18-0987
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9. Statement and signature.  To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing  Reese Taylor  Name of Person Signing	information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.    Reserve

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## **Secretary of State**

Corporations Division 315 West Tower #2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530 DOCKET NUMBER : 010020571 CONTROL NUMBER : H700349 EFFECTIVE DATE : 12/31/2000

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CSC NETWORKS, INC.
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#### CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

I, Cathy Cox, the Secretary of State of the Georgia, do hereby issue this certificate pursuant to Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia annotated certifying that articles or a certificate of merger and fees have been filed regarding the merger of the below entities, effective as of the date shown above. Attached is a true and correct copy of the said filing.

Surviving Entity:

STERLING INC. (OHIO), A OHIO CORPORATION

Nonsurviving Entity/Entities:

MARKS & MORGAN JEWELERS, INC., A GEORGIA CORPORATION



SECRETARY OF STATE

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#### CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

of

# MARKS & MORGAN JEWELERS, Inc., a Georgia corporation

### WITH and INTO STERLING INC., an Ohio corporation

Pursuant to Section 14-2-1105 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code ("Georgia BCC"), Marks & Morgan Jewelers, Inc., a Georgia corporation ("Marks & Morgan") and Sterling Inc. an Ohio corporation ("Sterling"), do hereby certify the following information relating to the merger of Marks & Morgan with and into Sterling (the "Merger"):

<u>FIRST</u>: The names and states of incorporation of Marks & Morgan and Sterling, which are the constituent corporations in the Merger (the "Constituent Corporations") are:

Name

Marks & Morgan Jewelers, Inc.

Georgia

Sterling Inc.

Ohio

State

SECOND: The Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of December 12, 2000 (the "Merger Agreement"), between Sterling and Marks & Morgan, setting forth the terms and conditions of the Merger, has been approved, adopted, certified, executed and acknowledged by each of the Constituent Corporations in accordance with Sections 14-2-1101 and 14-2-1103 of the Georgia BCC and Section 1701.78 of the Ohio Revised Code.

THIRD: The name of the surviving corporation of the Merger (the "Surviving Corporation") is Sterling Inc.

FOURTH: The Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Sterling Inc., as in effect immediately prior to the Merger, shall be the certificate of incorporation of the Surviving Corporation, until duly amended in accordance with applicable law and the terms thereof.

<u>FIFTH</u>: The executed Merger Agreement is on file at the principal place of business of the Surviving Corporation at 375 Ghent Road, Akron, Ohio 44333.

SIXTH: A copy of the Merger Agreement will be furnished by the Surviving Corporation, on request and without cost, to any stockholder of either of the Constituent Corporations.

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<u>EIGHTH</u>: The Merger was duly approved by each of the Shareholders of the Constituent Corporations.

The Certificate may be executed in counterparts, all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Merger has been executed on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2000.

MARKS & MORGAN JEWELERS, INC.

a Georgia corporation

Name: George S. Frankovich

Title: Secretary

STERLING INC.

an Ohio corporation

Name: George S. Frankovich

Title: Secretary

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