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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

I/B/E/S International Inc.

- Individual(s)
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State of Delaware
- 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: 12/17/01

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Thomson Financial Inc.

Internal

Address:

Street Address: 1 Station Place

City: Stamford State: CT Zip: 06902

Individual(s) citizenship

Association

General Partnership

Limited Partnership

Corporation-State of New York

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)

2,442,536

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

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

Name: Paula Upson

Internal Address:

The Thomson Corporation

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Street Address: 1 Station Place

City: Stamford State: CT Zip: 06902

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 390

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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.

Paula K. Upson

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Trademark	Appl. Number	Reg. Number
ACTIVE EXPRESS		2442536
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I/B/E/S		1860316
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I/B/E/S & Design	75103762	
I/B/E/S & Design	75103763	
I/B/E/S ACTIVE EXPRESS		2309786
I/B/E/S ACTIVE LINK		2435132
I/B/E/S ANALYTICS	75942261	
I/B/E/S ESP MODEL		1995148
I/B/E/S EXPRESS		1854079
I/B/E/S PROJECTOR	75942260	
IBES.COM		2306854
REAL TIME SURPRISE	75411424	
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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

of

I/B/E/S INTERNATIONAL INC.

and

THOMSON FINANCIAL INC.

into

THOMSON FINANCIAL INC.

Under Section 904 of the Business Corporation Law

It is hereby certified upon behalf of each of the constituent corporations herein named, as follows:

FIRST: The Board of Directors of each of the constituent corporations has duly adopted a PLAN AND AGREEMENT OF MERGER setting forth the terms and conditions of the merger of said corporations.

SECOND: The name of the constituent corporation which is to be the surviving corporation, and which is hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "surviving constituent corporation", is THOMSON FINANCIAL INC. The date upon which its certificate of incorporation was filed by the Department of State is December 9, 1993. The name under which it was formed is MTI (New York) Inc.

THIRD: The name of the other constituent corporation, which is being merged into the surviving constituent corporation, and which is hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "merged constituent corporation", is I/B/E/S INTERNATIONAL INC., organized in Delaware on July 15, 1994.

The Application for Authority in the State of New York of the merged constituent corporation to transact business as a foreign corporation therein was filed by the Department of State of the State of New York on October 19, 1994.

FOURTH: As to each constituent corporation, the PLAN AND AGREEMENT OF MERGER sets forth the designation and number of outstanding shares of each class and series, the specification of the classes and series entitled to vote on the PLAN AND AGREEMENT OF MERGER, and the specification of each class and series entitled to vote as a class on the PLAN AND AGREEMENT OF MERGER, as follows:

THOMSON FINANCIAL INC.

Designation of each outstanding class and series of shares	Number of outstanding shares of each class	Designation of class and series entitled to vote	Classes and series entitled to vote as a class
Common	3,878.64	Common	n/a

I/B/E/S INTERNATIONAL INC.

Designation of each outstanding class and series of shares	Number of outstanding shares of each class	Designation of class and series entitled to vote	Classes and series entitled to vote as a class
Common	101	Common	n/a

FIFTH: The merger herein certified was authorized in respect of the surviving constituent corporation by the written consent of holders of outstanding shares of the corporation entitled to vote on the **PLAN AND AGREEMENT OF MERGER**, having not less than the minimum requisite proportion of votes, which has been given in accordance with section 615 of the Business Corporation Law of the State of New York. Written notice has been given as and to the extent required by the said section 615.

SIXTH: The merger herein certified was authorized in respect of the merged constituent corporation by the written consent of holders of outstanding shares of the corporation entitled to vote on the **PLAN AND AGREEMENT OF MERGER**, having not less than the minimum requisite proportion of votes, which has been given in accordance with section 615 of the Business Corporation Law of the State of New York. Written notice has been given as and to the extent required by the said section 615.

SEVENTH: Each of the constituent domestic corporations hereby certifies that all fees and taxes (including penalties and interest) administered by the Department of Taxation and Finance of the State of New York which are now due and payable by each constituent domestic corporation have been paid and a cessation of franchise tax report (estimated or final) through the anticipated date of the merger has been filed by each constituent domestic corporation.

EIGHTH: The merger is permitted by the jurisdiction of the organization of the surviving corporation and is in compliance therein.

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W.I.N.T.H.: The effective date of the merger herein certified, insofar as the provisions of the Business Corporation Law of the State of New York govern such effective date, shall be the 27th day of December, 2001.

Signed on December 17, 2001

I/B/E/S INTERNATIONAL INC.



Michael S. Harris, Vice President

Signed on December 17, 2001

THOMSON FINANCIAL INC.



Michael S. Harris, Vice President

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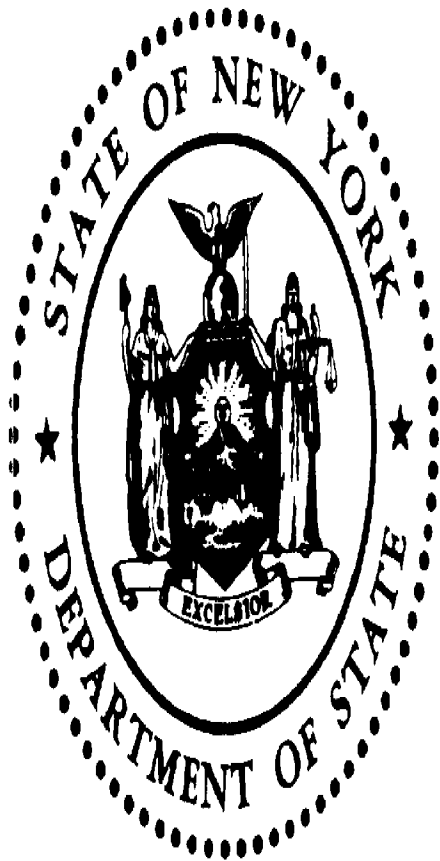
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OF

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AND

THOMSON FINANCIAL INC.

INTO

THOMSON FINANCIAL INC.

Section 904 of the Business Corporation Law

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