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

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<p>3. Nature of conveyance:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Assignment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Merger</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Security Agreement <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Name</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> <p>Execution Date: March 27, 2001</p>						
<p>4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):</p> <p>If the document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is:</p> <table border="1"><tr><td>A. Patent Application No(s). 09/597,742 filed June 19, 2000</td><td>B. Patent No(s).</td></tr></table> <p>Additional numbers attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>				A. Patent Application No(s). 09/597,742 filed June 19, 2000	B. Patent No(s).	
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<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:</p> <p>Name: HALE AND DORR LLP</p> <p>Internal Address: _____</p> <p>Street Address: 1455 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.</p> <p>City: Washington State: DC ZIP: 20004</p>		<p>6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1</p> <p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$40.00</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account</p> <p>8. Deposit account number: 08-0219</p>				
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<p>9. Statement and signature. <i>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.</i></p> <table border="0"><tr><td><u>Irah H. Donner, Registration No. 35,120</u> Name and Registration No. of Person Signing</td><td> Signature</td><td><u>9/10/01</u> Date</td></tr></table> <p>Total number of pages comprising cover sheet: 1</p> <p>CMB No. 0851-0011 (exp. 4/94)</p>				<u>Irah H. Donner, Registration No. 35,120</u> Name and Registration No. of Person Signing	 Signature	<u>9/10/01</u> Date
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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:

"PRIMARK HOLDING CORPORATION", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,
WITH AND INTO "THOMSON U.S. INC." UNDER THE NAME OF "THOMSON U.S. INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2001, AT 9:10 O'CLOCK A.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF MERGER IS THE THIRD DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2001, AT 9:10 O'CLOCK A.M.



Harriet Smith Windsor
Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

OF

PRIMARK HOLDING CORPORATION

AND

THOMSON U.S. INC.

It is hereby certified that:

1. The constituent business corporations participating in the merger herein certified are:

(i) PRIMARK HOLDING CORPORATION, which is incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware; and

(ii) THOMSON U.S. INC., which is incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware.

2. An Agreement of Merger has been approved, adopted, certified, executed, and acknowledged by each of the aforesaid constituent corporations in accordance with the provisions of subsection (c) of Section 251 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

3. The name of the surviving corporation in the merger herein certified is THOMSON U.S. INC., which will continue its existence as said surviving corporation under its present name upon the effective date of said merger pursuant to the provisions of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

4. The Certificate of Incorporation of THOMSON U.S. INC., as now in force and effect, shall continue to be the Certificate of Incorporation of said surviving corporation until amended and changed pursuant to the provisions of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

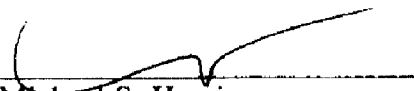
5. The executed Agreement of Merger between the aforesaid constituent corporations is on file at an office of the aforesaid surviving corporation, the address of which is as follows: c/o The Thomson Corporation, One Station Place, Stamford, CT 06902.

6. A copy of the aforesaid Agreement of Merger will be furnished by the aforesaid surviving corporation, on request, and without cost, to any stockholder of each of the aforesaid constituent corporations.

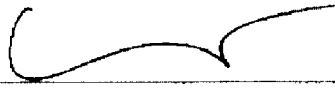
7. The Agreement of Merger between the aforesaid Constituent Corporations shall be effective on April 3, 2001 at 9:10am.

Dated: March 27, 2001.

PRIMARK HOLDING CORPORATION

By: 
Michael S. Harris
Vice President

THOMSON U.S. INC.

By: 
Michael S. Harris
Vice President