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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD**

In the matter of trademark application Serial No. 76015215  
for the mark TECHNOCASH  
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KAREN MACALUSO

v.

TECHNOCASH PTY LTD CORPORATION AUSTRALIA

NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Karen Macaluso, an individual.  
665 Irving Drive, CA 91360

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The above-identified opposer believes that she will be  
damaged by registration of the mark shown in the above-  
identified application, and hereby opposes the same.

The grounds for opposition are as follows:

1. Opposer was first to use TECHNOCASH on November 12, 1998, when she formed a group to market her invention (a unique international currency system.) TECHNOCASH was marketed to American Express, MasterCard and Visa, among others. A copy of a proposed card is enclosed.
2. TECHNOCASH cards, using opposer's technology, are today used as official currency in Australia, and for purchases made throughout the world.
3. Opposer believes that members of her marketing group have business connections with Technocash Pty Ltd Corporation, and thereby usurping her interest.

All statements made above are to my own knowledge true, and I believe that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

Also, the Opposer hereby requests a hearing postponement of at least thirty days.

By Karen Macaluso  
Karen Macaluso  
An Individual  
665 Irving Drive  
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Date 8-22-02

cc. 10<sup>th</sup> Floor

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Asst. Commissioner of Trademarks  
2900 Crystal Drive, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Arlington VA 22202

Re: PETITION TO REVIVE APPLICATION FOR TRADEMARK  
TECHNOCASH

I received no paperwork regarding my TECHNOCASH trademark, as your office is aware, the information was sent to my attorney of record, Gerald Black in Southfield Michigan. Mr. Black failed to inform me, or to take any action on the correspondence.

I had no knowledge of any action taken by the Trademark Office. Had I known, I would have taken all necessary action on my behalf in a timely manner.

Therefore I wish to revive any and all claims I have had to said trademark.

All statements made of my own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

As requested, a check for \$100.00 is enclosed to cover reinstatement costs.

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Date: 8/22/02

*Karen Macaluso*

✓ cc. 9th Floor