

**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board  
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Mailed: August 9, 2013

Cancellation No. 92057382

American Financial Resources,  
Inc.

v.

First States Group, L.P. and  
First States Group, LLC

On July 12, 2013, petitioner filed the respondent's voluntary surrender with prejudice under Section 7(e) of the Trademark Act of its Registration No. 3305416, with petitioner's written consent.<sup>1</sup>

In view thereof, the petition to cancel is dismissed without prejudice in accordance with Trademark Rule 2.134(a), and the registration will be cancelled (with prejudice) in due course pursuant to Section 7(e) of the Trademark Act.

***By the Trademark Trial  
and Appeal Board***

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<sup>1</sup> Petitioner's submission provides proof of service upon an individual, firm and address that is not of record in this proceeding. In the event that respondent has had a change in representation, respondent is reminded of the obligation to keep the Board apprised of its current information. See TBMP § 117.07. As a one-time courtesy, a copy of this order will also be sent to the address set forth in the certificate of service.