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

NCRAS MANAGEMENT, LP	)	
	)	Opposition No. 91150123
Opposer,	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	
NATIONAL AIRLINES, INC.	)	<b>NOTICE OF FILING BANKRUPTCY</b>
	)	
Applicant.	)	

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that on December 6, 2000 Applicant/Defendant National Airlines, Inc. filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Nevada, in the case styled In re National Airlines, Inc., Case No. 00-19258LBR.

Therefore, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 2.117(c), Trademark Trial and Appeal Board Manual of Procedure (TBMP) § 510.03(a) and In re Checkers of North America, Inc., 23 USPQ2d 1451 (Comm'r 1992), Applicant National Airlines, Inc. respectfully requests this Board suspend this proceeding until the conclusion of the aforementioned bankruptcy matter.

This opposition proceeding involves identical parties and common questions of law and fact to Consolidated Opposition No. 120,696.

Dated: December 20, 2001.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael T. Sprenger", written over a horizontal line.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Notice of Filing Bankruptcy was sent via First Class mail to Mark H. Tidman, Esq., Piper Marbury Rudnick & Wolfe LLP, 1200 Nineteenth Street N.W., Washington D.C. 20036, attorney for Opposer/Plaintiff NCRAS Management, LP this 20th day of December, 2001.



One of the Attorneys For National Airlines, Inc. in  
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Opposition No. 91150123  
Notice of Filing Bankruptcy**

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the Notice of Filing Bankruptcy for filing with the Trademark Trial and Appeals Board in the case of NCRAS Management, LP v. National Airlines, Inc. Opposition No. 91150123. This opposition proceeding involves the same parties and common questions of law and fact to Consolidated Opposition No. 120,696.

Enclosed is a return postage envelope and receipt on which we request that you note the filing date and return to us.

We do not believe there to be any additional fees for the above filing, but if this is not the case, please contact us and we will immediately deposit with you any additional fees. Please call the above number if you have any questions. We look forward to being advised of the filing particulars in due course.

Sincerely yours

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Enclosures

Copy: Shawn E. Shearer, Esq. (w/ encls.)

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