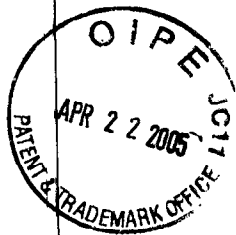


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 v. )  
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 FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY )  
 RESEARCH INSTITUTE, INC. )  
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 Applicant )

Opposition No. 91/159199  
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APPLICANT'S REQUEST TO  
AMEND APPLICATIONS WITH CONSENT

Pursuant to Rule 2.133(a) of the Trademark Rules of Practice, Applicant, Financial Technology Research Institute, respectfully requests that Application Serial No. 76/039378 of the mark FTRI & Design and Application No. 76/039379 of the mark FTRI, which are the subject of the instant opposition proceeding, be amended to read as follows:

“financial research concerning, and distribution of information relating to, the creditworthiness of companies, in Class 36.”

In its Order of April 24, 2005, the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board indicated that the subject amendment would be acceptable.



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Because the requested amendment is made pursuant to a Settlement Agreement between the parties, the amendment will dispose of all outstanding issues in this opposition proceeding and, once the amendment in connection with each application is accepted by the Board, the parties will file a stipulation disposing of this proceeding.

It is believed that the requested amendment is appropriate and should be accepted and such action is requested.

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