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Re: For hcoming Release of U.COM Domain
Our Ref.: 18752-011001



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Dear Mr. Jeffrey:

We represent U. Inc. in intellectual property matters.

It has recently come to our client's attention that ICANN will soon accept the registration of single letter domain names.

U. Inc. is the owner of the U. and U.COM trademarks and is currently using the marks in U.S. commerce. In fact, U. Inc. first used the U. mark in connection with printed publications at least as early as January 15, 1986 and then in connection with electronic publications at least as early as August 15, 1995 (evidence of U. Inc.'s use of the U. and U.COM marks is attached and also may be found at www.colleges.com/umagazine/). Furthermore, U. Inc. has applied (as U.S. Application No. 73/765,903) for federal registration of the U.COM mark with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO").

Also, U. Inc. has applied for registration of the domain name U.COM and is extremely concerned that the domain will be registered to a party not affiliated with U. Inc. As such, U. Inc. would like to avoid the expense of bringing a Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy (UDRP) action for securing a domain name to which it is entitled based upon its trademark rights.

Therefore, we are writing to request that, once single letter domain names are permitted, ICANN reserve the U.COM domain name so that it can be registered by and to U. Inc.

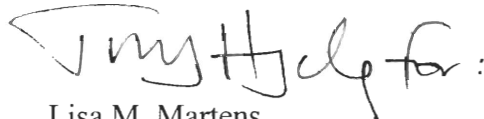
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We greatly appreciate your giving attention and cooperation to this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lisa M. Martens". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "L".

Lisa M. Martens

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cc: John Carrie'i, U. Inc.

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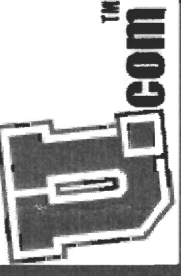


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