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REGISTRATION NO: 1,833,834

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## POST REGISTRATION OFFICE ACTION

RE: Registration Number 1,833,834

The Combined Section 8 Affidavit and Section 9 Renewal Application submitted on July 7, 2003 is refused for the following reason(s):

The Trademark Act requires that the current owner of the registration file the Section 8 Affidavit. 15 U.S.C. §1058. It is unclear whether the party who filed the Section 8 Affidavit is the current owner.

Office records indicate the registration is owned by Compression Polymers Corp. not Compression Polymers Group, the party who filed the Section 8 Affidavit.

The party who filed the Section 8 Affidavit must establish current ownership of the registration at least as early as May 6, 2003, the date the Section 8 Affidavit was signed. 37 C.F.R. §2.161(a). Ownership may be established by (1) recording appropriate documents in the Assignment Services Division, (703) 308-9723, or (2) submitting proof of the transfer of title to the party who filed the Section 8 Affidavit. 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b).

- (1) If the present owner chooses to establish ownership by recording appropriate documents in the Assignment Services Division, please notify the undersigned paralegal when the documents have been filed. A telephone call to the paralegal is encouraged to resolve this issue.