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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.	93139
First Inventor	Roger Goodcash
Title	Coupon Auction and Search System
Express Mail Label No.	

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  **Fee Transmittal Form** (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2.  **Applicant claims small entity status.**  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3.  **Specification** [Total Pages 34 ]  
Both the claims and abstract must start on a new page  
(For information on the preferred arrangement, see MPEP 608.01(a))
4.  **Drawing(s)** (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 6 ]
5. **Oath or Declaration** [Total Sheets 2 ]
  - a.  Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b.  A copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
  - i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
name in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6.  **Application Data Sheet.** See 37 CFR 1.76
7.  **CD-ROM or CD-R** in duplicate, large table or  
Computer Program (Appendix)  
 Landscape Table on CD
8. **Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission**  
(if applicable, items a. – c. are required)
  - a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b.  Specification Sequence Listing on:
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    - ii.  Paper
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9.  **Assignment Papers** (cover sheet & document(s))  
Name of Assignee \_\_\_\_\_
10.  **37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement** (when there is an assignee)  **Power of Attorney**
11.  **English Translation Document** (if applicable)
12.  **Information Disclosure Statement** (PTO/SB/08 or PTO-1449)  
 Copies of citations attached
13.  **Preliminary Amendment**
14.  **Return Receipt Postcard** (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
15.  **Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)**  
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16.  **Nonpublication Request** under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).  
Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or equivalent.
17.  **Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in the first sentence of the specification following the title, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

 Continuation       Divisional       Continuation-in-part (CIP)      of prior application No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Prior application information:      Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_      Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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		Application Number	
		Filing Date	30 March 2007
		First Named Inventor	Roger Goodcash
		Examiner Name	
		Art Unit	
		Attorney Docket No.	93139
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27			
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT</b>	(\$)	1025	

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**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	500
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims**      **Extra Claims**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**      **Multiple Dependent Claims**  
29 - 20 or HP = 9 x 25 = 225      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**  
 HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

**Indep. Claims**      **Extra Claims**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**  
6 - 3 or HP = 3 x 100 = 300

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**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

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**SUBMITTED BY**

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<p><b>DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION</b> (37 CFR 1.63)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declaration Submitted With Initial Filing      <b>OR</b>      <input type="checkbox"/> Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing (surcharge (37 CFR 1.16 (e)) required)</p>	Attorney Docket Number	93139
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	Application Number	
	Filing Date	○
	Art Unit	
Examiner Name		

**I hereby declare that:**

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Coupon Auction and Search System with Storage Device

*(Title of the Invention)*

the specification of which

is attached hereto

**OR**

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY)  as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number  and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY)  (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached?	
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<b>NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST INVENTOR:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor		
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Inventor's Signature /signed/ Roger Goodcash				Date 30 March 2007
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<input type="checkbox"/> Additional inventors or a legal representative are being named on the _____ supplemental sheet(s) PTO/SB/02A or 02LR attached hereto.				

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	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Roger Goodcash
	<b>Title</b>	Coupon Auction and Search System wi
	<b>Art Unit</b>	
	<b>Examiner Name</b>	
	<b>Attorney Docket Number</b>	93139

I hereby revoke all previous powers of attorney given in the above-identified application.

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I am the:

Applicant/Inventor.

Assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
*Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)*

**SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**

Signature	/signed/ Roger Goodcash	Date	30 March 2007
Name	Roger Goodcash	Telephone	(217) 333-0931
Title and Company	Director of Product Development, CouponMaster, LLC		

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	1	COUPONCABIN, INC., www.couponcabin.com, 30 March 2007, internet source	
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Excellent!

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