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Mr. Brian S. Gillman, Vice President and General Counsel
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Dear Mr. Gillman,

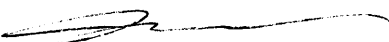
Thank you very much for your letter of February 7, 2002 informing us of your application to use the name Freedom Airlines, Inc.

We have been in business and using the trade name Freedom Air since 1976. We operate as a Flag Carrier under FAR 121 and Commuter FAR 135. The public's ability to differentiate between Freedom Air and Freedom Airlines has not been without error, as we have been incorrectly referred to as Freedom Airlines on several occasions.

Therefore we suggest that you find another name for your carrier.

If you have any questions or comments please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,


Joaquin L. Flores, Jr.
General Manager

cc: Department of Transportation
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