Registrar-Recorders – John Jones & Joanne Prass-Jones

Status

Things are moving much more smoothly now. I still have lots to learn about scripting to make the system more useable. The goal is to eventually have the registration process on-line and directly available to the registrant. Every registration would still have to be vetted and corrected to our standards of description and format, but it would make things easier in most cases. The existing process would still be available and the actual database would be isolated from online corruption (purposeful or not)

To date there have been 733 registrations and 147 reserves with a current backlog of about 75 registrations. Any registrations received after October 31st will be entered in the 2013 registration year.

To date we have received about \$7000 in North American registrations and reserves and About \$2800 in foreign registrations and reserves.

Print On Demand

The as needed printing of the 2009 Check List and the 2011 R&I seems to be working smoothly. Both publications have been reordered several times without problem. The plan is to publish the 2012 R&I in the same manner.

Payments by foreign using PayPal seem to be working reasonably well. The biggest issue is tracking bulk payments from one Associate covering multiple registrations from several registrants received at different times.

North American Registrations

There have been some requests to use PayPal as a payment method. I am working on a process to be able to conveniently track PayPal payments so that I can implement electronic payments for North American Registrants. The demand is not high for electronic payments and when I feel comfortable that I have a reliable tracking process, I will make it available.