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U.S. District Court
District of Arizona
Exhibit C

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Thu, May 5, 2005 at 6:25 PM

To: "Pauline M. Gabriel" <mmouse@sasktel.net>, freecyclederon <deron@freecycle.org>, freecyclemodsquad@yahoogroups.com

Hmmm... tracking which groups are using the Freecycle trademark correctly seems like a good idea to me. It would be useful to know how many groups are doing a good job, how many not, and how many are unknown.

BTW, while registration of the trademark is pending, the Freecycle trademark itself is not pending — it is real, Freecycle is using it, and has the right to defend it to a degree even without registration. If it becomes registered, than Freecycle will have more methods to defend its use as well as more solid backing.

The reason that the Freecycle trademark is important is because people are associating it with an excellent service. People join The Freecycle Network because they trust it. So the more we work to make Freecycle trustworthy, distinct, and useful, the more people recognize it, the more people join it, and the more power the network has to generate gifts rather than trash — which is THE goal.

Cheers, Tim

At 10:40 AM -0600 5/5/05, Pauline M. Gabriel wrote:

>Since not all groups keep current with info (it would be nice if they
>did, but we all know that not all our members keep up with list
>policies, so why expect all group moderators to do this), might it be
>wise to set up a temp position for each state, to go thru all the
>groups in that state, and bring forth those groups to the tmsupport@
>for contact, or contact them themselves, and nudge them along. As
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