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Pursuant to Rule 12 of the Department's Rules of Practice, Continental¹ moves to withhold from public disclosure the confidential version of its answer and supplemental comments submitted to the Department today as required by the Department's August 16, 2001 Notice Providing Access to Documents in Dockets OST-01-10387 and OST-01-10388, the Department's November 6, 2001 Notice Providing Access to Documents in Dockets OST-01-10575 and OST-01-10576 and Order 2001-11-10. In accordance with Rule 12, Continental is submitting copies of its confidential answer and supplemental comments to the Department separately in a sealed envelope bearing the above-referenced caption and marked "Confidential Treatment Requested Under § 302.12." Continental's confidential answer and

¹ Common names are used for airlines.

supplemental comments contain information from documents for which access has been limited by the Department's confidential treatment rules and under the Department's notices and order. Accordingly, Continental asks for confidential treatment of the confidential version of its answer and supplemental comments submitted today to the Department. Continental's public version of its answer and supplemental comments contain the bracketed word "CONFIDENTIAL" to show where confidential information has been removed.

Continental's confidential answer and supplemental comments are being served only upon counsel for the applicants and other counsel who have filed confidentiality affidavits in either Dockets OST-01-10387 and OST-01-10388 or Dockets OST-01-10575 and OST-01-10576 as required by Order 2001-11-10. Continental is submitting a version of the answer and supplemental comments with the confidential portions redacted in the public dockets and serving them on other parties.

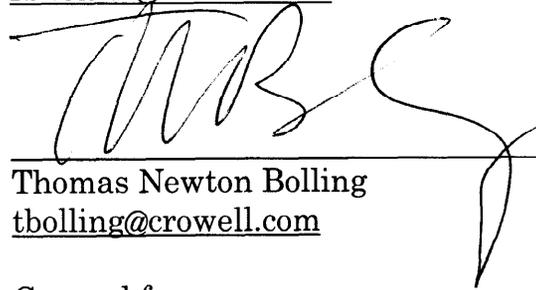
WHEREFORE, Continental asks the Department to grant its motion for
confidential treatment.

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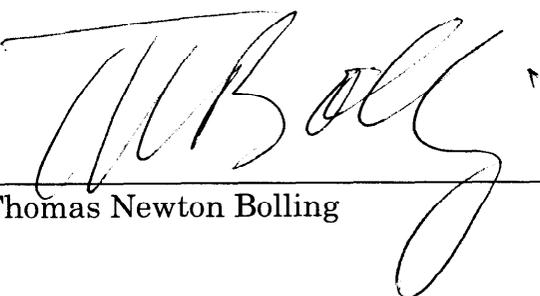
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing motion on counsel for American, United, British Airways and bmi and all persons served with their applications in accordance with the Department's Rules of Practice.


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