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### **National Arbitration Forum Announced as “.US” Dispute Resolution Provider**

**MINNEAPOLIS, April 10, 2002** NeuStar, Inc. announced today the National Arbitration Forum will be a dispute resolution provider for “.US” top-level domain names. This announcement comes only weeks before the first day the general public may register a “.US” Internet address, April 24<sup>th</sup>.

“The Forum is pleased to be recognized by NeuStar as an experienced dispute resolution provider for this exciting new top-level domain,” commented Tim Cole, Assistant Director of Arbitration. “We look forward to bringing our unique abilities and domain dispute resolution experience to ‘.US’ disputes in the form of a fair, user-friendly process that includes the streamlined option of on-line filing. ”

“NeuStar is pleased to have the National Arbitration Forum handling ‘.US’ domain name disputes,” said Jim Casey, Director of Policy and Business Development. “This is one of the steps we’re taking to ensure that the administration of .US, America’s Internet Address, serves the public interest and provides consumers with a choice of dispute providers.”

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The National Arbitration Forum, located online at [www.arbitration-forum.com](http://www.arbitration-forum.com), is the largest U.S.-based provider of domain name dispute resolution services and is one of the world's largest neutral administrators of arbitration and mediation services, with a select panel of former judges and experienced senior attorneys providing dispute resolution worldwide. The National Arbitration Forum offers the International Arbitration Forum's services in the United States. Founded in 1986, the Forum is headquartered in Minneapolis-St. Paul, with arbitrators located across the globe.

### **About NeuStar, Inc.**

Based in Washington DC, NeuStar operates the dot-US registry, "America's Internet Address". NeuLevel, NeuStar's subsidiary, operates the .BIZ registry, the world's first top-level domain dedicated exclusively to business. NeuStar also operates the authoritative registry of all North American telephone numbers and administers the database, which all North American carriers rely upon to route billions of telephone calls daily. Over 4000 telecommunications and service providers currently rely upon NeuStar's services. Visit NeuStar online at [www.neustar.us](http://www.neustar.us)

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