§ 7.11 Requirements for international application originating from the United States

(a) The Office will grant a date of receipt to an international application that is either filed through TEAS, or typed on the official paper form issued by the International Bureau. The international application must include all of the following:

1. The filing date and serial number of the basic application and/or the registration date and registration number of the basic registration;
2. The name and entity of the international applicant that is identical to the name and entity of the applicant or registrant in the basic application or
3. Recording fee for an assignment of an international registration under §7.23.

(b) The fees in paragraph (a) of this section may be paid as follows:

1. Directly to the International Bureau by debit to a current account with the International Bureau. In this case, an applicant or holder's submission to the Office must include the International Bureau account number; or
2. Through the Office. Fees paid through the Office must be paid in U.S. dollars at the time of submission. See §2.207 of this chapter for acceptable forms of payment and §2.208 of this chapter for payments using a deposit account established in the Office.

(c) All fees for paper filings must be paid directly to the International Bureau.
