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Washington, D.C. 20549  
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Attention: Mr. Paul Dudek, Office of International Corporate Finance

Dear Sirs:

**Re: ThoughtShare Communications Inc. (formerly Meteor Technologies Inc.)  
12g3-2(b) Exemption #82-2442**

In order to maintain the above exemption in good standing, we enclose the following:

1. news release dated December 18, 2001; and
2. BC Form 53-901F dated December 18, 2001.

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Yours very truly,

**THOUGHTSHARE COMMUNICATIONS INC.**

Per:

Marilyn Wong, Corporate Secretary

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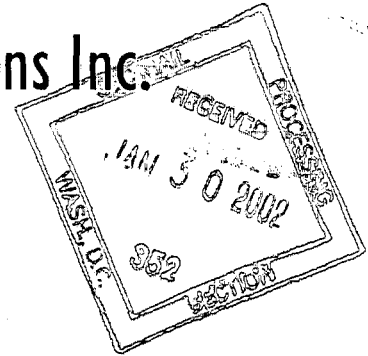
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## NEWS RELEASE

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“Fred Fabro”

Fred Fabro, President

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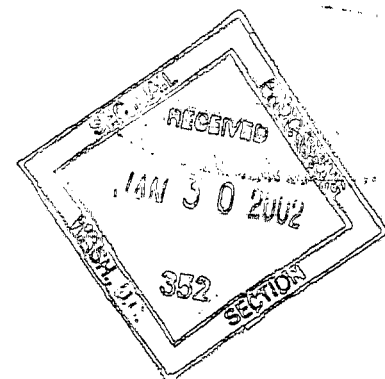
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**SECURITIES ACT (BRITISH COLUMBIA)**  
MATERIAL CHANGE REPORT UNDER SECTION 85(1) OF THE SECURITIES ACT

**1. Reporting Issuer**

ThoughtShare Communications Inc. (the "Company")  
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**2. Date of Material Change**

December 18, 2001

**3. Press Release**

Issued on December 18, 2001 and disseminated through the facilities of Canada Stockwatch and Market News.

**4. Summary of Material Change(s)**

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**5. Full Description of Material Change(s)**

see attached news release

**6. Reliance on Section 85(2) of the *Securities Act* (British Columbia) or, Reliance on Section 118(2) of the *Securities Act* (Alberta)**

Not Applicable

**7. Omitted Information**

Not Applicable

**8. Senior Officer**

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**9. Statement of Senior Officer**

The foregoing accurately discloses the material change(s) referred to herein.

DATED at Vancouver, British Columbia, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2001.

**THOUGHTSHARE COMMUNICATIONS INC.**

per:

“Marilyn Wong”

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Marilyn Wong, Corporate Secretary

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