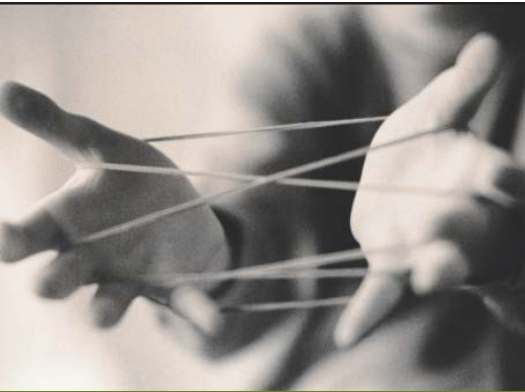


Principal Transfer Agent



Managing Shareholder Records Safely and Accurately

Mellon Investor Services is repeatedly rated the best large transfer agent in independent surveys. We have built our reputation on complete, accurate record management and quality service to shareholders and issuers.

As your Principal Transfer Agent, our primary responsibilities are to process all stock transfer requests; produce daily stock transfer journals; maintain shareholder records and outstanding share figures; and answer all communications from shareholders about their holdings.

Mellon Investor Services has handled many transactions – from the most basic to extremely complex. In fact, *experience is perhaps the greatest asset we offer our clients*. Whether your company is contemplating the issuance of a series of stock, evaluating an investment plan, or considering a corporate action (tender offer, stock split or odd-lot buy back, etc.), Mellon Investor Services has most likely done it before, and we can suggest an appropriate and cost-effective approach. We have standard and customized solutions to meet all your equity management needs.

Our transactions are completed successfully because Mellon Investor Services has:

- the experience to handle sensitive issues;
- the flexibility to accommodate special situations; and
- a technical superiority that minimizes errors and increases efficiency.

Key Benefits

- *Expert Management* ~ An assigned team helps identify and meet all of your service needs. These experienced professionals coordinate all the work to be done on your account – from mailing quarterly reports and processing stock splits to helping you establish rights agreements and responding to your shareholders' needs.
- *Reliability* ~ Mellon Investor Services has the systems and processes in place to ensure that all stock and bond records are accurately kept, that certificates are issued and canceled properly, and that all issues arising from lost, destroyed or stolen certificates are resolved.
- *Customer Focus* ~ Our satisfied customers will confirm that selecting Mellon Investor Services as your Principal Transfer Agent is the best choice for your important work.

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Mellon Investor Services offers comprehensive services for certificated and book-entry shareholders.

Related Services

- Abandoned Property Services
- ACH Processing
- American Depositary Receipts (ADR)
- Book-Entry Services
- Co-Transfer Agent
- Custodial Services
- Dividend Disbursing Agent
- Escrow Services
- Global Shares
- Investment Plan Services
- IPO Services
- Restricted Stock Administration
- Rights Agent
- Secondary Offering
- Special Cash Distribution
- Stock Dividend
- Stock Split
- Warrant Agent



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