effective amendment filings to the form. The Commission estimates that each registrant filing an initial Form N-8B-2 would spend 44 hours in preparing and filing the form and that the total hour burden for all initial Form N-8B-2 filings would be 1,056 hours. Also, the Commission estimates that each UIT filing a post-effective amendment to Form N-8B-2 would spend 16 hours in preparing and filing the amendment and that the total hour burden for all posteffective amendments to the form would be 176 hours. By combining the total hour burdens estimated for initial Form N-8B-2 filings and post-effective amendments filings to the form, the Commission estimates that the total annual burden hours for all registrants on Form N-8B-2 would be 1.232.

Estimates of average burden hours are made solely for the purposes of the Paperwork Reduction Act, and are not derived from a comprehensive or even a representative survey or study of the costs of Commission rules and forms.

Written comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Consideration will be given to comments and suggestions submitted in writing within 60 days of this publication.

Please direct your written comments to Michael E. Bartell, Associate Executive Director, Office of Information Technology, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Dated: May 17, 2001.

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Secretary.

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[File No. 1-14800]

Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application To Withdraw From Listing and Registration; (CollegeLink.com, Common Stock, \$.001 Par Value)

May 18, 2001.

CollegeLink.com, a Delaware corporation ("Issuer"), has filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") <sup>1</sup> and Rule 12d2–2(d) thereunder, <sup>2</sup> to withdraw its Common Stock, \$.001 par value ("Security"), from listing and registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC ("Amex").

The Issuer stated in its application that it has met the requirements of Amex Rule 18 by complying with all applicable laws in effect in the State of Delaware, in which it is incorporated, and with the Amex's rules governing an issuer's voluntary withdrawal of a security from listing and registration.

In making the decision to withdraw the Security from listing on the Exchange, the Issuer considered:

(1) Its non-compliance with the Amex maintenance standards concerning the price per share of an issuer's security, and

(2) Its non-compliance with the Amex maintenance standards concerning the net tangible assets of an issuer.

The Issuer represents that it will seek to facilitate the Security being quoted on the OTC Bulletin Board effective May 22, 2001. The Issuer's application relates solely to the Security's withdrawal from listing on the Amex and from registration under section 12(b) of the Act <sup>3</sup> and shall not affect its obligation to be registered under section 12(g) of the Act.<sup>4</sup>

Any interested person may, on or before June 8, 2001, submit by letter to the Secretary of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549–0609, facts bearing upon whether the application has been made in accordance with the rules of the Amex and what terms, if any, should be imposed by the Commission for the protection of investors. The Commission, based on the information submitted to it, will issue an order granting the application after the date mentioned above, unless

the Commission determines to order a hearing on the matter.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.  $^5$ 

Jonathan G. Katz,

Secretary.

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Rel. No. IC-24979; 812-10320]

## Tremont Corporation; Notice of Application

May 17, 2001.

**AGENCY:** Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission").

**ACTION:** Notice of application for an order under sections 2(a)(9) and 3(b)(2) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "Act").

Summary of Application: Tremont Corporation ("Applicant" or "Tremont") requests an order declaring that it controls NL Industries, Inc. ("NL") and that applicant is primarily engaged in a business other than that of investing, reinvesting, owning, holding or trading in securities.

Filing Dates: The application was filed on August 30, 1996, and amended on May 14, 1997, and April 27, 2001.

Hearing or Notification of Hearing: An order granting the application will be issued unless the SEC orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary and serving applicant with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the SEC by 5:30 p.m. on June 11, 2001, and should be accompanied by proof of service on applicant, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons may request notification of a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary.

ADDRESSES: Secretary, SEC, 450 5th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549— 0609. Applicant, 1999 Broadway, Suite 4300, Denver, CO 80202.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Christine Y. Greenless, Branch Chief, or Nadya B. Roytblat, Assistant Director, at (202) 942–0564 (Division of Investment Management, Office of Investment Company Regulation).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78*l*(d).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(d).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78*l*(b).

<sup>4 15</sup> U.S.C. 78 l(g).

<sup>5 17</sup> CFR 200.30-3(a)(1).