

COMMERCE GROUP INC /MA  
Form 15-12G  
June 18, 2008

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 15

CERTIFICATION AND NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 12(G) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 OR SUSPENSION OF DUTY TO FILE REPORTS UNDER SECTIONS 13 AND 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934.

Commission File Number: 001-13672

The Commerce Group, Inc.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

211 Main Street  
Webster, Massachusetts 01570  
(508) 943-9000

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(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

Common Stock, \$.50 par value per share

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(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

None

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(Title of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under section 13(a) or 15(d) remains)

Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

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Rule 15d-6 o

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date: One (1)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, The Commerce Group, Inc. has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

THE COMMERCE GROUP, INC.

Date: June 16, 2008

By: /s/ Randall V. Becker  
Randall V. Becker, Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer