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450 Fifth Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20549

Re: Service Corporation International (the "Company")

Enclosed are the Statements Under Oath made by Robert L. Waltrip, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company, and Jeffrey E. Curtiss, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of the Company, each dated August 14, 2002, pursuant to the SEC Order Requiring the Filing of Sworn Statements pursuant to Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (SEC File No. 4-460).

SERVICE CORPORATION INTERNATIONAL

By: _____

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**Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer
Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings**

I, Robert L. Waltrip, state and attest that:

(1) To the best of my knowledge, based on a review of the covered reports of Service Corporation International listed below, and except as supplemented or corrected in a subsequent covered report:

- No covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by that report (or, in the case of the reports on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which they were filed);
- No covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make statements in that report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by that report (or in the case of the reports on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which they were filed).

(2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with our Audit Committee.

(3) In this statement under oath, each of the following reports is a "covered report":

- Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001;
- Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarters ended March 31 and June 30, 2002;
- Definitive proxy materials filed on April 12, 2002;
- The following Current Reports on Form 8-K of Service Corporation International:
 - (i) Current Report on Form 8-K, filed January 16, 2002
 - (ii) Current Report on Form 8-K, filed July 12, 2002
 - (iii) Current Report on Form 8-K, filed July 17, 2002
 - (iv) Current Report on Form 8-K, filed July 25, 2002
 - (v) Current Report on Form 8-K, filed August 8, 2002

Robert L. Waltrip
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th
day of August 2002.

Janet Key

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 11-17-04

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