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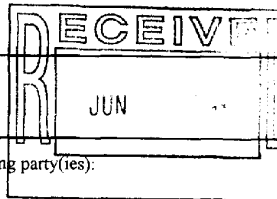
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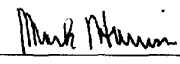
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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:
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<p>1. Name of conveying party(ies): IDG Books Worldwide, Inc. <input type="checkbox"/> Individual(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> General Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Partnership <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation-State: Massachusetts <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Name: <u>IDG Books Worldwide, Inc.</u> Internal Address: _____ Street Address: <u>919 E. Hillsdale Boulevard, Suite 400</u> City: <u>Foster City</u> State: <u>California</u> Zip: <u>94404</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Individual(s) citizenship _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Association _____ <input type="checkbox"/> General Partnership _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Partnership _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation-State: <u>Delaware</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (Designations must be a separate document from Assignment) Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
<p>3. Nature of conveyance: <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Merger <input type="checkbox"/> Security Agreement <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Name <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ Execution Date: <u>April 30, 1998</u></p>	<p>4. Application number(s) or registration number(s): A. Trademark Application No.(s) <u>75/631999; 75/975176; 74/631973; 74/631998; 75/976086; 74/551069; 75/154150; 75/975437; 74/655203; 74/553604</u> B. Trademark registration No.(s) <u>2,124,132; 1,961,324; 1,963,774; 2,031,260; 1,857,666; 2,120,234; 2,110,066; 1,952,519; 1,972,274; 1,963,802;</u> Additional numbers attached? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>
<p>5. Name and Address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: <u>Mark B. Harrison, Esq.</u> Internal Address: <u>SPENCER & FRANK</u> Street Address: <u>1100 New York Ave, N.W. Suite 300 East Washington, D.C. 20005</u></p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: <u>233</u> 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ <u>5840</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account 8. Deposit account number: <u>19-3700</u> (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)</p>
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<p>9. Statement and signature. <i>To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.</i> <u>Mark B. Harrison, Esq.</u>  <u>June 1, 1998</u> Name of Person Signing Signature Date Total number of pages comprising cover sheet: <u>1</u></p>	

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Office of the Secretary of State

I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP, WHICH MERGES:

"IDG BOOKS WORLDWIDE, INC.", A MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION, WITH AND INTO "IDG BOOKS WORLDWIDE, INC." UNDER THE NAME OF "IDG BOOKS WORLDWIDE, INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE THIRTIETH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 1998, AT 3:30 O'CLOCK P.M.



Edward J. Freel

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER

MERGING

IDG BOOKS WORLDWIDE, INC.
(A Massachusetts Corporation)

INTO

IDG BOOKS WORLDWIDE, INC.
(A Delaware Corporation)

We, John J. Kilcullen, Chief Executive Officer, and John Ball, Secretary, of IDG Books Worldwide, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), pursuant to Section 253 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, hereby certify on behalf of the Company as follows:

- FIRST:** That the Company is incorporated on March 24, 1998 pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.
- SECOND:** That the Company owns all of the outstanding shares of IDG Books Worldwide, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation (the "Subsidiary").
- THIRD:** That the Company determined to merge the Subsidiary into itself by the following resolutions duly adopted by its sole director by written consent on April 30, 1998:

RESOLVED: That the Company merge into itself, effective as of April 30, 1998 (the "Effective Date"), its wholly-owned subsidiary, IDG Books Worldwide, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation, pursuant to Section 253 of the Delaware General Corporation Law and Section 82 of the Massachusetts Business Corporation Law; and that the proper officers of the Company be, and each of them hereby is, authorized and empowered in the name and on behalf of the Company, under its corporate seal or otherwise, to prepare, execute, deliver, file and record any and all instruments, documents and other papers, including, without limitation, a Delaware Certificate of Ownership and Merger and Massachusetts Articles of Merger, and take any and all other actions, before, on or after the Effective Date as may be necessary to effect such merger.

RESOLVED FURTHER: That the Company assume all of the Subsidiary's liabilities and obligations.

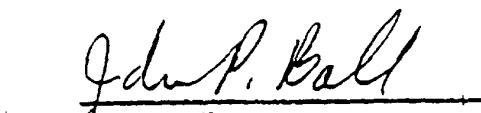
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have signed this Certificate of Ownership and Merger on the date indicated below.

IDG BOOKS WORLDWIDE, INC. , a Delaware corporation

Dated: April 30, 1998


John J. Killeen
Chief Executive Officer

Dated: April 30, 1998


John P. Ball
Secretary

SCHEDULE A

_____ FOR DUMMIES	2124132
_____ FOR DUMMIES	1961324
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3-D VISUAL	2062544
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A DICTIONARY FOR THE REST OF US!	1896171
A QUICK REFERENCE FOR THE REST OF US!	1826333
A REFERENCE FOR THE REST OF US!	1850672
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A SURVIVAL GUIDE FOR THE REST OF US!	1918828
A SURVIVAL GUIDE FOR THE REST OF US!	2031081

A TUTORIAL FOR THE REST OF US!	2064696
THE AUTO ROADSIDE SURVIVAL GUIDE	2044371
CLIENT/SERVER STRATEGIES	1974579
COMPUTER KNOW-HOW NOW!	1921918
DESKTOP PUBLISHING AND DESIGN FOR DUMMIES	1946472
DOS FOR DUMMIES	1759840
DOS FOR DUMMIES	1845646
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FOR DUMMIES and Design	1837859
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FOR TEACHERSTHE A+ REFERENCE FOR TEACHERS!	2110268
THE FUN AND EASY WAY	2062531
FUN, FAST & CHEAP	1892143
HEAVY METAL	1946485
HEAVY METAL	2035003
ILLUSTRATED COMPUTER _____ FOR DUMMIES	1878631
LEADING THE KNOWLEDGE REVOLUTION	1960511
MACS FOR DUMMIES	1852364
MORE ANSWERS, LESS READING	2008837

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MUTUAL FUNDS FOR DUMMIES	1959742
PCS FOR DUMMIES	1831298
PERSONAL FINANCE FOR DUMMIES\$	1939363
PROGRAMMERS PRESS	1881695
PROGRAMMERS PRESS	2015013
PROGRAMMERS PRESS and Design	2015096
REFERENCES FOR THE REST OF US	1913257
SECRETS	1917872
SEX FOR DUMMIES	2034828
SOFTWARE FOR THE REST OF US	2049374
SOFTWARE FOR THE REST OF US	1963481
STEP-BY-STEPS and Design	1765403
TAXES FOR DUMMIES	1925417
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TYPE AND LEARN	1891724
ULTIMATE _____ PROGRAM	2129224
UNAUTHORIZED _____	1927182
VCRS AND CAMCORDERS FOR DUMMIES	1927641
WHAT TO DO WHEN BAD THINGS HAPPEN	1884949
THE WORLD OF COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE	1866975
YOUR FINGERTIP COMPANION	2080108
YOUR FIRST AID KIT	1884950

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	A COOL REFERENCE FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!	75/193,105
	A COURSE FOR THE REST OF US!	74/694,668
	A MAGAZINE FOR THE REST OF US!	74/631,976
	A NEWSLETTER FOR THE REST OF US!	74/694,663
	A SELF-PACED LEARNING TOOL FOR THE REST OF US	75/022,114
	A SELF-PACED LEARNING TOOL FOR THE REST OF US!	75/022,115
	A SEMINAR FOR THE REST OF US!	74/694,667
	A TRADE SHOW FOR THE REST OF US!	74/694,666
	THE A+ REFERENCE FOR TEACHERS	75/045,080
	BESTSELLERS FOR THE REST OF US!	74/655,124
	BEST SELLERS FOR THE REST OF US!	75/305,857
	BEYOND BROWSING	75/380,578 TRADEMARK

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THE BIG DUMMIES BOOK OF _____	75/257,694
BROWSING AND BEYOND	75/377,010
BUY THAT	74/631,971
BUY THAT COMPUTER!	74/500,946
BUY THAT COMPUTER!	75/071,868
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CLASSICS FOR DUMMIES	75/154,069
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COMPUTERS FOR DUMMIES	74/682,552
CREATING COOL _____	74/034,755
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DUMMIES BOOKS	75/280,120
DUMMIES BOOKS	75/388,788
DUMMIES DAILY	75/359,405
DUMMIES DAILY THE ONLINE RESOURCE FOR THE REST OF US . . . DELIVERED EVERY BUSINESS DAY!	75/359,320
THE DUMMIES DISCUSSION GROUPS	75/280,119 TRADEMARK REEL: 1736 FRAME: 0963

THE DUMMIES GUIDE TO FAMILY COMPUTING	75/363,555
THE DUMMIES DIRECTORY TO _____	75/257,743
THE DUMMIES FAMILY SERIES	75/160,682
THE DUMMIES FAMILY SERIES	75/160,681
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DUMMIES MAN LOGO	75/326,322
DUMMIES MAN LOGO	75/325,430
DUMMIES MAN LOGO	75/326,321
DUMMIES MAN LOGO	75/325,211
DUMMIES MAN LOGO	75/324,418
THE DUMMIES ONLINE E-NNOUNCEMENT	75/424,454
DUMMIES ONLINE UNIVERSITY	75/107,704
DUMMIES PACK	75/270,889
DUMMIES PACK	75/270,890
DUMMIES PRESS	74/500,943
DUMMIES RULE!	75/359,412
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THE FOUNDATIONS OF _____	74/500,941
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