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## EXHIBIT A

## Trademarks

Trademark Name	Registration No.	Registration Date	Renewal Date
Connector Express	1718824	09/22/92	09/22/97
Cual-Aid	669892	03/25/58	03/25/98
Penn-Crimps	694171	03/08/60	03/08/00
Penn Union	723803	11/14/61	11/14/01
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ASSIGNMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS AND TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS

ASSIGNEMENT made as of this 3/11 day of May, 1999 by and between

CONGRESS FINANCIAL CORPORATION (CENTRAL), an Illinois corporation

("Assignor"), having an office at 150 South Wacker Dr., Suite 2200, Chicago, Illinois 60606

and CONGRESS FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a California corporation ("Assignee"),

having an office at 1133 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Assignor has acquired a security interest in certain trademarks and

trademark applications as more particularly set forth and described in Exhibit A annexed hereto

and made a part hereof; and

WHEREAS, Assignor desires to transfer and assign to Assignee all of its right,

title and interest in and to such trademarks and trademark applications;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and

sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby grant, transfer, assign,

convey and set over to Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all of the

right, title and interest of Assignor in and to the trademarks and trademark applications set forth

and described in Exhibit A annexed hereto, together with all foreign counterparts thereof, all

designs and general intangibles of a like nature, all applications, registrations and recordings

relating to the foregoing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office or in any similar

office or agency of the United States, any State thereof, any political subdivision thereof or in

any other countries, and all reissues, divisions, continuations, extensions and renewals thereof,

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the goodwill of the business symbolized by each of the trademarks and trademark applications

set forth and described in Exhibit A, including, without limitation, all customer lists and other

records relating to the distribution of products or services bearing such trademarks and any and

all proceeds of any of the foregoing, including, without limitation, licenses, royalties and

proceeds of infringements suits, the right to sue for past, present and future infringements, and

the right to sue for and collect the same for its own use and for the use of its successors, assigns

or legal representatives.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor and Assignee have duly executed this

Assignment as of the date and year first above written.

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