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**TERMINATION AND RELEASE OF  
TRADEMARK COLLATERAL ASSIGNMENT AND SECURITY AGREEMENT**

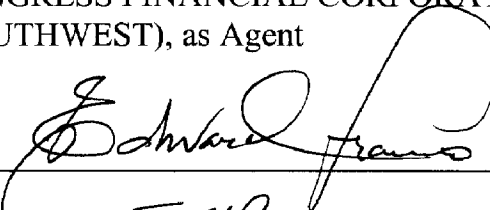
THIS TERMINATION AND RELEASE is made this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1999 by and between PAMIDA, INC., a Delaware corporation ("Debtor"), having its chief executive office at 8800 F Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68127 and CONGRESS FINANCIAL CORPORATION (SOUTHWEST), a Texas corporation, in its capacity as agent for itself and BA Business Credit Inc. ("Secured Party"), having an office at 1201 Main Street, Dallas, Texas 75250.

A. As collateral security for certain obligations, pursuant to a Trademark Collateral Assignment and Security Agreement dated March 30, 1993 (the "Trademark Security Agreement") and recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 0940 Frame 0767, Debtor granted Secured Party a security interest and general lien in and assigned to Secured Party all of Debtor's interest in the Collateral (as defined in the Trademark Security Agreement), which Collateral included without limitation those trademarks and service marks described in Exhibit A hereto.


B. The obligations secured by the Trademark Security Agreement have been paid and satisfied in full, except as otherwise provided in the Release Agreement dated as of August 31, 1999, among Debtor, Secured Party, and the other parties thereto. The Debtor and Secured Party desire to execute and deliver this Termination And Release to evidence the termination of the Trademark Security Agreement, Secured Party's release of the security interest and general lien granted by the Trademark Security Agreement, and Secured Party's reconveyance to Debtor of Secured Party's entire right, title and interest in the Collateral.

THEREFORE, in consideration of the payment and satisfaction in full (except as referred to above) of the obligations secured by the Trademark Security Agreement, the Debtor and Secured Party hereby terminate the Trademark Security Agreement, Secured Party hereby terminates and releases the security interest and general lien in the Collateral granted by the Trademark Security Agreement, and Secured Party reconveys to Debtor the Secured Party's entire right, title and interest in the Collateral.

CONGRESS FINANCIAL CORPORATION  
(SOUTHWEST), as Agent

By:   
Title: SVP

PAMIDA, INC.

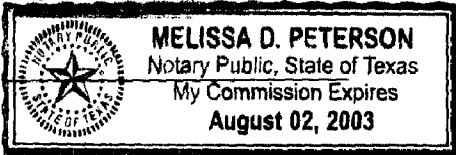
By:   
Michael J. Hopkins  
Title: President

STATE OF TEXAS )  
 ) SS.  
COUNTY OF DALLAS )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 5 day of October, 1999,  
by Edward, FRANCO, <sup>SK. VICE PRES</sup> of Congress Financial Corporation (Southwest), as  
Agent, Secured Party.

Melissa D. Peterson  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:



STATE OF NEBRASKA )  
 ) SS.  
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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 18th day of October, 1999,  
by Michael J. Hopkins, President of Pamida, Inc., Debtor.

Gretchen V. Rorebeck  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Dec 1, 1999

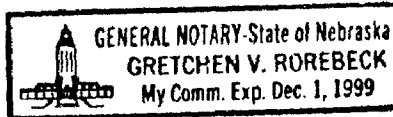


EXHIBIT A

LIST OF TRADEMARKS AND APPLICATIONS

<u>Trademark Description</u>	<u>Registration Number</u>	<u>Registration Date</u>
Pamida (service mark)	1,124,616	September 4, 1979