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#### ASSIGNMENT OF

#### NOTICE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS

THIS ASSIGNMENT OF NOTICE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS (as may be amended, supplemented and otherwise modified from time to time, "Assignment") is made effective as of November 4, 1999, by and between CITIZENS BANK OF MASSACHUSTTS, a Massachusetts savings bank (as successor in interest to State Street Bank and Trust Company, a Massachusetts trust company, and including any additional successor, assignee or transferee thereof, "Citizens") and CITIZENS BANK OF MASSACHUSTTS, a Massachusetts savings bank, as agent (including any successor, participant, assignee or transferee thereof, the "Agent") for the lenders who are or may hereafter become a party to the Loan Agreement referred to below (the "Lenders").

## RECITALS

WHEREAS, Sabot Publishing, Inc., a Virginia corporation ("Sabot") and its original subsidiaries (the "Original Grantors") are parties to a Revolving Credit Agreement dated as of April 30, 1999 with Citizens (the "Original Loan Agreement"), pursuant to which Citizens and the Original Grantors entered into a Conditional Assignment of Trademarks dated April 30, 1999 ("Original IP Security Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Original IP Security Agreement, the Original Grantors have granted to Citizens a continuing security interest in all of their then or thereafter acquired trademarks and trademark applications (as more particularly described in the Original IP Security Agreement, and hereinafter, the "Trademarks"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Original IP Security Agreement, Southwest Art, Inc., a Delaware corporation (one of the Original Grantors) and Citizens recorded a Notice of Security Interest in Trademarks dated April 30, 1999 with the United States Patent and Trademark Office (the "PTO") on May 14, 1999 at Reel 001898 Frame 0107 with respect to its Trademarks listed on Exhibit A annexed hereto; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Original IP Security Agreement, Black Belt Communications, Inc., a Virginia corporation (one of the Original Grantors) and Citizens recorded a Notice of Security Interest in Trademarks dated June 16, 1999 with the PTO on June 28, 1999 at Reel 001921 Frame 0100 with respect to its Trademarks listed on said Exhibit A annexed hereto; and

WHEREAS, concurrently herewith, Sabot and all of its subsidiaries (the "Grantors") are entering into an Amended and Restated Revolving Credit Agreement with the Lenders and the Agent (as amended, restated or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Loan Agreement") amended and restating the Original Loan Agreement in its entirety, pursuant to which the Grantors, Citizens and the Agent are entering into an Amended and Restated Conditional Assignment of Trademarks (the "Amended IP Security Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Amended IP Security Agreement, Citizens is assigning all of its right, title and interest in each Notice of Security Interests in Trademarks (as recorded) referred to above (together, the "Notices") to the Agent.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound hereby, Citizens and the Agent hereby agree as follows:

- 1. Recitals. The recitals set forth above are incorporated herein and made a part hereof as though actually stated herein.
- 2. <u>Assignment</u>. Citizens hereby assigns all of its right, title and interest in and to the Notices (and the security interests represented thereby) to the Agent.
- 3. Requested Recordation. Agent authorizes and requests that the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks (and any state, foreign or other authorities to which this Assignment is submitted) to file and record this Assignment (and any corresponding or separate application forms of such jurisdiction) in order to publicly reflect Agent's interest in the Notices and the security interests represented thereby.
- 4. <u>Further Assurances</u>. Citizens hereby agrees to cooperate with Agent and, from time to time, to execute and deliver such other documents, instruments and assignments and to do all such further acts and things as may be necessary or desirable to assign the Notices (and the security interests thereunder) or otherwise to carry out the intent of the parties hereunder.
- 5. <u>Miscellaneous</u>. This Assignment may be executed in any number of counterparts with the same effect as if all the signatures on such counterparts appeared on one document; each such counterpart will be deemed to be an original but all counterparts together will constitute one and the same instrument.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Assignment, as an instrument under seal (whether or not any such seals are physically attached hereto), through their duly authorized officers, as of the date first written above.

**WITNESS:** 

CITIZENS BANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

(Citizens)

By: Jame ! they

By: Sauhau Affyll
Name: Barbara R. Flight

Title: Vice President

WITNESS:

CITIZENS BANK OF MASSACHUSETTS, as

Agent (Agent)

By: Jame C. Liege

By: <u>Bashwa W. Flyll</u> Name: Barbara R. Flight

Title: Vice President

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS:

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COUNTY OF SUFFOLK

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public, on this day of October, 1999 personally appeared Barbara R. Flight, to me known personally, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that she is a Vice President of Citizens Bank of Massachusetts, in its capacity as Agent and as Lender referred to above, and that said instrument (i.e., the Assignment) was signed on behalf of said Citizens Bank of Massachusetts, on its own behalf and in its capacity as Agent, by authority of its Board of Directors, and the said Barbara R. Flight acknowledged said instrument to be her free act and deed.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires

Notary Public

My Comm. Expires July 24, 2003

#### **EXHIBIT A**

## **TRADEMARKS**

Owner: Southwest Art, Inc.

1. Mark: Southwest Art

<u>Registration Number</u>: 1305863 <u>Registration Date</u>: 11/20/84

2. <u>Mark</u>: Southwest Art (stylized)

<u>Registration Number</u>: 1305865 <u>Registration Date</u>: 11/20/84

Owner: Black Belt Communications, Inc.

1. Mark: Black Belt

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