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#### Conveying Party

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Name  Execution Date  
Month Day Year \_\_\_\_\_

Formerly

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Name

Address (line 1)

Address (line 2)

Address (line 3)

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**Correspondent Name and Address**

Area Code and Telephone Number

Name

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Address (line 2)

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**Trademark Application Number(s) or Registration Number(s)**

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**Number of Properties**

Enter the total number of properties involved.

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**Fee Amount**

Fee Amount for Properties Listed (37 CFR 3.41):

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Method of Payment: Enclosed  Deposit Account

**Deposit Account**

(Enter for payment by deposit account or if additional fees can be charged to the account.)

Deposit Account Number: #

Authorization to charge additional fees: Yes  No

**Statement and Signature**

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. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

DANA KULL, ESQ.

Name of Person Signing



Signature

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Date Signed

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74/655,752	74/656,040	74/655,750
75/071,067		

**Registration Number(s)**

1,697,656	1,715,803	1,720,617
1,803,274	1,781,468	1,786,781

Release of Security Interests  
(Trademarks)

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 )ss.:  
COUNTY OF Fulton )

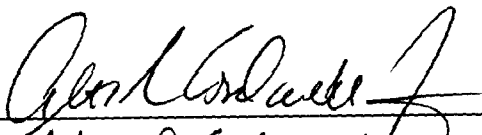
WHEREAS, the undersigned (the "Assignee") holds a security interest in the trademarks set forth on **Schedule A** (the "Trademarks") pursuant to an Assignment for Security (Trademarks) by LADD Furniture, Inc., a North Carolina corporation, dated July 12, 1996 and recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 29, 1996 at Reel 1487, Frame 0754 (the "Assignment"); and

WHEREAS, the undersigned desires to release the security interest in the Trademark Collateral, as defined in the Assignment.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Assignee does hereby release its security interest in and lien on the Trademark Collateral.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignee has caused this Release of Security Interests to be duly executed by its authorized agent or agents as of this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2000.

NATIONSBANK, N.A. (SOUTH), as Administrative  
Agent for the Lenders

By:   
Name: Arthur R. Cordwell, Jr.  
Title: Vice President

[Seal]

Attest:

By:   
Name: John F. Bohan  
Title: Asst. Secretary

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STATE OF Georgia )  
 )  
COUNTY OF Fulton )

I, Ellen D. Black, Notary Public for said County and State, certify that John F. Bohan personally came before me this day and acknowledged that he/she is the Asst. Secretary of NATIONSBANK, N.A. (SOUTH), a corporation, and that by authority duly given and as the act of the corporation the foregoing instrument was signed in its name by its Vice President, sealed with its corporate seal, and attested by himself/herself as its Asst. Secretary.

Witness my hand and official seal, this the 31<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2000.

Ellen D. Black  
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Notary Public

(seal)

My commission expires: 5/1/02

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Schedule A  
Trademarks

**LADD FURNITURE, INC.**

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration/Serial Number</u>	<u>Issued/Filed Date</u>
LADD	1,630,085	1/1/91
METALMASTERS	1,841,357	6/21/94
KENBRIDGE	74/691,277	6/20/95

**AMERICAN DREW**  
a division of LADD FURNITURE, INC.

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration/Serial Number</u>	<u>Issued/Filed Date</u>
AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE COLLECTION	1,292,918	9/4/84
Design	1,564,552	11/7/89
AMERICAN DREW and Design	1,567,179	11/21/89
CHERRY GROVE	1,671,140	1/7/92
AMERICAN DREW QUALITY FROM THE INSIDE OUT and Design	1,693,067	1/6/92
PANEL PERFECT	1,771,497	5/18/93
GALLATIN GATEWAY	74/698,860	7/10/95
EMPHASIS	74/727,233	9/11/95
DREW OCCASIONAL	75/043,786	1/26/96
AMERICAN DREW	75/049,101	1/26/96
HOMETECH	75/038,102	12/28/95
MADISON CHERRY	74/732,340	9/21/95
MAGEN'S BAY	74/728,628	9/13/95
POWER PEDESTAL	75/083,176	4/3/96

**DAYSTROM FURNITURE**  
a division of LADD FURNITURE, INC.

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration/Serial Number</u>	<u>Issued/Filed Date</u>
DAYSTROM	1,632,389	1/22/91

**LEA INDUSTRIES**  
**a division of LADD FURNITURE, INC.**

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration/Serial Number</u>	<u>Issued/Filed Date</u>
LEA	1,697,656	6/30/92
DESIGN HORIZONS	1,715,803	9/15/92
THE ALL AMERICAN	1,720,617	9/29/92
KID'S ROOM		
SPLASH!	1,803,274	11/9/93
CHARTER HOUSE	1,781,468	7/13/93
THE KIDS' ZONE	1,786,781	8/10/93
LEA THE BEDROOM	74/655,752	4/5/95
PEOPLE		
PEOPLE ROOMS	74/656,040	4/5/95
PEOPLE ROOMS and Design	74/655,750	4/5/95
CANOE	75/071,067	3/12/96