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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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101464704 To the Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks. Thease record and ariginal documents or copy thereof. 1. Name of conveying party(ies): 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies) Name: Trader Publishing Company LTM Company, L.P. Internal Address: Street Address: 100 W. Plume Street Individuals(s) Association General Partnership Limited Partnership State:VA Zip:23510 City: Norfolk Corporation Other Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) attached Yes X No. Individual(s) citizenship Association General Partnership Virginia 3. Nature of conveyance: Limited Partnership\_\_\_\_\_\_ Corporation-State \_\_\_\_\_ Assignment Assignment Merger Other Change of Name Security Agreement Other If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No N/A Execution Date: November 30, 1999 Additional names(s) & address(es) attached? Yes 🛛 No 4. Application numbers(s) or patent numbers(s): B. Trademark Registration No.(s) A. Trademark Application No.(s) 2,156,403 75/698,038 Additional numbers attached? 6. Total number of applications and registrations involved 2 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 65.00 Name: Christopher P. Bussert Enclosed Internal Address: Kilpatrick Stockton, LLP Authorized to be charged to deposit account The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency in the required fee Suite 2800 or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 11-0860. Street Address:1100 Peachtree Street Deposit account number: State: GA Zip: 30309-4530 City: Atlanta 09/21/2000 DNGUYEN 00000456 DO NOT USE THIS SPACE ET: AN 25.00 DP 02 FC:482 9. 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. September 20, 2000 Christopher P. Bussert Signature Name of Person Signing Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document. 15

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### CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") is made as of the 30<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1999 by and among LTM Company, L.P., a Virginia limited partnership ("LTM"), TPI, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("TPI"), and Trader Publishing Company, a Virginia general partnership ("Trader").

#### RECITALS:

- A. Pursuant to that certain Joint Venture Agreement of Trader Publishing Company dated as of March 31, 1991 (the "Joint Venture Agreement"), LTM and TPI formed Trader.
  - B. LTM and TPI each hold a fifty percent (50%) interest in Trader.
- C. As a result of the merger of CarScene.com, Inc. (f/k/a Landmark Interactive Sales, Inc.), a Virginia corporation ("CarScene"), with and into LTM Holdings, Inc., a Virginia corporation ("Holdings"), Holdings succeeded to the ownership of all of the assets of CarScene and CarScene's liabilities except for any then-existing Net-A-Car Transaction Liabilities (defined below).
- D. Immediately after the merger, Holdings contributed all of the assets of CarScene it received in the merger to LTM (the "Contributed Assets") and Holdings assigned and LTM assumed all of CarScene's liabilities.
- E. The parties hereto desire that (a) LTM contribute all of the Contributed Assets to the capital of Trader so that Trader may carry on CarScene's business, (b) Trader assume the CarScene liabilities assumed by LTM (except as excluded described below) and (c) TPI make a cash capital contribution to Trader in an amount equal to the agreed value of such capital contribution by LTM.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

### 1. LTM Contribution; Assumption of Liabilities.

- (a) (i) LTM shall, and hereby does, assign, transfer and contribute to the capital of Trader all of the Contributed Assets (including the assets listed on Exhibit A attached hereto). All other assets of LTM are specifically excluded from such contribution.
- (ii) To the extent that the consents listed on <u>Schedule 1</u> have not been, or are not able to be, obtained prior to the date of this Agreement, this Agreement and the assignment of any contract or agreement included in the Contributed Assets for which such consent is required shall constitute, to the extent permitted by law, unless and until such consents are obtained, an equitable assignment by CarScene, Holdings and LTM to Trader of all of such

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parties' rights, benefits, title and interest in and to such contract or agreement, and where necessary or appropriate Trader shall be deemed the agent of such parties for the purpose of completing, fulfilling and discharging all of such parties' rights and liabilities arising after the date of this Agreement under such contract or agreement. LTM shall use its best efforts to provide, and to cause Holdings to provide, Trader with the benefits of such contracts or agreements (including, without limitation, permitting Trader to enforce any rights of CarScene, Holdings or LTM arising under such contracts or agreements).

- Trader hereby assumes and agrees to pay, discharge and perform when due (b) all of the Assumed Liabilities (defined below). Other than the Assumed Liabilities, Trader assumes no debts, liabilities or obligations of LTM, Holdings or CarScene, and all such other debts, liabilities or obligations (including, without limitation, any obligations under any employment agreement or employee benefit plan) shall remain the sole responsibility of LTM. Holdings or CarScene, as applicable. As used herein, the "Assumed Liabilities" means the following liabilities of the CarScene business: (i) those set forth on the CarScene Financial Statements (described below), (ii) all liabilities of the CarScene business that have arisen after the dates of such Financial Statements in the ordinary course of business, and (iii) all obligations of the CarScene business under the agreements, contracts, leases, licenses and other arrangements included among the Contributed Assets; provided, however, the foregoing notwithstanding, the Assumed Liabilities shall not include (A) any liability or obligation of LTM under this Agreement, (B) the "current portion of note payable" (\$216,788) and the "Interco payable" (\$211,896) reflected on the Financial Statements or any long-term debt, if any, of CarScene, and (C) any Net-A-Car Transaction Liabilities. As used herein, "Net-A-Car Transaction Liabilities" means any continuing obligations of CarScene to (i) pay any unpaid/deferred portion of the "Purchase Price", as defined and described in that certain Asset Purchase Agreement (the "APA") by and among Net-A-Car, David A. Davis, Mary Jolene Davis and James E. Hall and CarScene, (ii) pay any unpaid obligations under the Consulting Agreement executed in connection with the APA, and/or (iii) pay the "Net Knoxville Lease Liability" as defined and described in the APA.
- 2. <u>Representations and Warranties of LTM</u>. Except as set forth on <u>Schedule 1</u>, LTM warrants and represents to TPI and Trader that:
- (a) it has, and will transfer to Trader hereunder, good and marketable title to the tangible Contributed Assets; all of the tangible Contributed Assets are free and clear of any liens, encumbrances and adverse claims by third persons, except for liens for taxes not yet due and payable; and, to the best of its actual knowledge, the intangible Contributed Assets are free and clear of any liens, encumbrances and adverse claims by third persons;
- (b) the Contributed Assets transferred hereunder constitute all of the material assets (excluding cash and intercompany items) used or held for use in the operation of CarScene's business in the manner in which it was conducted prior to the date of this Agreement (the "CarScene Business");

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- (c) the contribution of the Contributed Assets to Trader in the manner contemplated hereby has been duly authorized and approved;
- (d) the contribution of the Contributed Assets to Trader will not violate or cause a default in any material respect (with or without notice or lapse of time or both) under any law, contract, regulation, governance document, order or judgment;
- (e) all tangible Contributed Assets necessary for the operation of the CarScene Business are in adequate operating condition and a reasonable state of repair, subject only to ordinary wear and tear;
- (f) Exhibit A describes all of the material items of Contributed Assets being contributed hereunder, and since September 30, 1999 there has been no material adverse change to any of the Contributed Assets or the CarScene Business;
- (g) the unaudited balance sheet of CarScene dated as of September 30, 1999 and the related unaudited statement of earnings before interest and taxes ("EBIT") for the period ended September 30, 1999 (the "CarScene Financial Statements"), copies of which are attached hereto as Exhibit B, have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and fairly present the financial condition and EBIT of CarScene as of the dates thereof and during the periods indicated therein, subject to normal year-end adjustments which will not be material in amount or significance;
- (h) there is no liability, indebtedness, obligation, expense, claim or deficiency, whether accrued, absolute, contingent, unmatured or otherwise, associated with the Contributed Assets or the CarScene Business which (i) has not been reflected in the CarScene Financial Statements or (ii) has not arisen in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practices since September 30, 1999;
- (i) no consent, waiver, approval, order or authorization of, or registration, declaration or filing with, any court, administrative agency or commission or other federal, state, county, local or foreign governmental authority, agency or commission or any other third party, including a party to any agreement with CarScene, is required in connection with the execution and delivery of this Agreement by LTM or the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby;
- (j) each of CarScene, Holdings and LTM, as applicable, has filed or will cause to be filed all federal, state, local and other tax returns associated with the Contributed Assets and/or the conduct of the CarScene Business required to be filed on or prior to the date hereof and has paid or will pay all taxes under such tax returns which, if not filed or paid, could result in the imposition of a lien or encumbrance on or against any Contributed Assets with respect to the period ending on or prior to the date hereof. As of the date of this Agreement, LTM shall have filed or will file all such tax returns for CarScene due for all fiscal periods ended on or before the date of this Agreement (except any such tax returns for which the filing date has been extended in accordance with normal extension procedures or for which such extension period has not yet expired) and shall have paid all taxes due under such tax returns. LTM shall

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be responsible for and shall pay any and all transfer taxes associated with the contribution of the Contributed Assets to Trader; and

- (k) to the best of its knowledge, CarScene has not interfered with, infringed upon, misappropriated, acted adversely to or otherwise come into conflict with any trademarks, trade names, copyrights or patents, or applications for any of the foregoing, owned by any other person, there is no claim or action pending or, to the best of its knowledge, threatened with respect thereto, and there is no other claim, legal action, counterclaim, suit, arbitration, governmental investigation or other legal, administrative or tax proceeding, nor any order, decree or judgment, pending or, to the best of its knowledge, threatened, against or relating to the CarScene Business or the Contributed Assets.
- 3. <u>TPI Contribution</u>. Contemporaneously herewith, TPI shall contribute to Trader cash in the amount of \$2,400,000.
- 4. <u>Acknowledgement: Waiver</u>. The parties hereto agree that the fair market value of the CarScene Assets as of the date of contribution (net of the value of the Assumed Liabilities) equals \$2,400,000 and the fair market value of TPI's obligation to make a capital contribution to Trader hereunder equals \$2,400,000. As a result of the contribution by LTM of the Contributed Assets and the capital contribution obligation of TPI, the Interests (as defined in the Joint Venture Agreement) of LTM and TPI in Trader shall remain fifty percent (50%) each. LTM and TPI, as partners in Trader, waive any requirement under the Joint Venture Agreement of approval by the board of directors of Trader of the transactions contemplated herein.
- 5. Employees. Trader agrees to consider for employment all of the employees (and consider for engagement all of the agents, consultants or contractors) who, prior to the date of this Agreement, have been employed or retained by the CarScene Business (such employees, as re-hired, the "Transferred Employees") and who are otherwise necessary to the operation of the CarScene Business. LTM shall make recommendations to Trader regarding the hiring, compensation and supervision of such personnel, the employment and/or retention of which is deemed by LTM or Trader to be necessary or appropriate for the continued efficient operation of the CarScene Business.
- 6. <u>Indemnification by LTM</u>. LTM agrees to hold each of TPI and Trader, and their Affiliates (the respective parents, affiliates, stockholders, directors, officers, employees or representatives of each party to this Agreement, collectively, "Affiliates"), harmless from and against the following:
- (a) any and all losses, liabilities or damages incurred or suffered by TPI or Trader, or any of their Affiliates, arising out of, based upon or resulting from the breach by LTM of any representation, warranty or covenant contained herein, or in any certificate, document or instrument delivered by LTM or CarScene to TPI or Trader hereunder;
- (b) any and all obligations or liabilities of LTM, Holdings or CarScene not assumed by Trader pursuant to the terms hereof;

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- (c) any and all losses, liabilities or damages incurred or suffered by TPI or Trader, or any of their Affiliates, arising out of, based upon or resulting from the ownership of the Contributed Assets or the operation of the CarScene Business prior to the date of this Agreement (except to the extent included within the Assumed Liabilities); and
- (d) any and all actions, suits, proceedings, claims, demands assessments, judgments, costs and expenses, including reasonable legal fees, incident to any of the foregoing or incurred in investigating or attempting to avoid the same or to oppose the imposition thereof, or in enforcing this indemnity.
- 7. <u>Indemnification by TPI</u>. TPI agrees to hold each of LTM and Trader, and their respective Affiliates, harmless from and against the following:
- (a) any and all losses, habilities or damages incurred or suffered by LTM or Trader, or any of their Affiliates, arising out of, based upon or resulting from the breach by TPI of any representation, warranty or covenant contained herein or in any certificate or document delivered by TPI to LTM or Trader hereunder, and
- (b) any and all actions, suits, proceedings, claims, demands, assessments, judgments, costs and expenses, including reasonable legal fees, incident to any of the foregoing or incurred in investigating or attempting to avoid the same or to oppose the imposition thereof, or in enforcing this indemnity.
- 8. <u>Indemnification by Trader</u>. Trader agrees to hold LTM, TPI, and their respective Affiliates, harmless from and against the following:
- (a) any and all losses, liabilities or damages incurred or suffered by TPI, LTM, or any of their respective Affiliates, arising out of, based upon or resulting from the Assumed Liabilities or the breach by Trader of any representation, warranty or covenant contained herein or in any certificate or document delivered by Trader to LTM or TPI hereunder; and
- (b) any and all actions, suits, proceedings, claims, demands, assessments, judgments, costs and expenses, including reasonable legal fees, incident to any of the foregoing or incurred in investigating or attempting to avoid the same or to oppose the imposition thereof, or in enforcing this indemnity.
- 9. <u>Bulk Sales Law</u>. The parties hereto waive compliance with the requirements, if any, of the bulk sales laws in each state where the Contributed Assets are located.
  - 10. Survival. Paragraphs 6, 7 and 8 shall survive the termination of this Agreement.
- 11. <u>Further Assurances</u>. Each party hereto shall execute and deliver, and shall cause their respective Affiliates to execute and deliver, all such other documents and do all such other acts as may be necessary to effectuate fully this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby. Without limiting any of the foregoing, LTM and Trader shall each use reasonable best

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efforts and shall cooperate with each other to effect as soon as practicable the transfer from CarScene to Trader of the Uniform Resource Locators ("URLs") and domain name registrations currently registered to CarScene with Network Solutions, Inc. ("NSI"). Each of LTM and Trader shall act in full compliance with NSI's instructions for effecting such a transfer. The parties hereto also shall use their reasonable best efforts and cooperate with each other to effect as soon as practicable the assignment of all trademarks, trade names and other intellectual property rights and all contracts and agreements associated with the CarScene Business from CarScene (or LTM or Holdings, as the case may be) to Trader.

- 12. Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement among the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and may not be amended other than by a writing signed by all of the parties hereto. No waiver of any provision of this Agreement shall be effective unless in writing and signed by the party against whom such waiver is sought.
- 13. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia and shall control in the event of any contrary provision in the Joint Venture Agreement.
- 14. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by each party on a separate counterpart, each of which, when so executed and delivered, shall be deemed to be an original, and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the parties hereto has caused this Agreement to be executed by its authorized representative as of the day and year first above written.

LTM:

LTM COMPANY, L.P., a Virginia limited partnership

By its General Partner

LTM HOLDINGS, INC., a Virginia corporation

By:

Richard F. Barry, III

President

TPI:

TPI, INC., a Delaware corporation

Jay R. Smith

President

TRADER:

TRADER PUBLISHING COMPANY

By its General Partner

LTM COMPANY, L.P., a Virginia limited partnership

Ву:

LTM HOLDINGS, INC., a Virginia corporation, LTM Company's L.P.'s

General Partner

By:\_

Richard F. Barry, III

President

By its General Partner

TPI, INC., a Delaware corporation,

Jay/R. Smith

President

	TEREOF, each of the parties hereto has caused this Agreement to be a representative as of the day and year first above written.
LTM:	LTM COMPANY, L.P., a Virginia limited partnership
	By its General Partner LTM HOLDINGS, INC., a Virginia corporation
	By: Richard F. Barry, III President
TPI:	TPI, INC., a Delaware corporation
	By: Name: Title:
TRADER:	TRADER PUBLISHING COMPANY
	By its General Partner LTM COMPANY, L.P., a Virginia limited partnership
	By: LTM HOLDINGS, INC., a Virginia corporation, LTM Company's L.P.'s General Partner
	By: Richard F. Barry, III President
	By its General Partner TPI, INC., a Delaware corporation,

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#### EXHIBIT A

### Contributed Assets

The Contributed Assets to be transferred to Trader include all operating assets of the CarScene Business including the following:

Trade Receivables

Prepaid Expenses

Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment (see attached list)

Software (see attached list)

Contracts (see attached list)

Trademarks, Copyrights and other Intellectual Property (see attached list)

Domain Names (see attached list)

The benefit of the Selling Parties' obligations under that certain Asset Purchase Agreement, dated as of April 14, 1999, by and among Landmark Interactive Sales, Inc., Net-A-Car and its partners.

The benefit of the Selling Parties' obligations under that certain Noncompetition Agreement, dated as of April 14, 1999, by and among Landmark Interactive Sales, Inc., Net-A-Car and its partners, and Davis & Associates.

Goodwill

Office Inventory and Supplies

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### Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment

Cubicles - 18

Desks - 3

Net-a-Car furniture

Phaser 840 color printer

Poweredge webserver

Network hub

Development server

File server

Dell Pent II

Dell Pent II

Dell Celeron

Dell Inspiron 3500 laptop

Dell Inspiron 3500 laptop

Dell Pent

Dell Inspiron notebook

Dell dimension pent

Computer w/ 17" monitor

Computer w/ 15" monitor

Dell dimension 400

Dell 800F series

Laptop

1996 computer (Net-a-car)

1996 computer other (Net-a-

car)

1997 computer (Net-a-Car)

1998 computer (Net-a-Car)

1999 computer (Net-a-Car)

Computer upgrades (Net-a-

Car)

1997 copier (Net-a-Car)

Copier/fax (Net-a-Car)

560 laser fax

NVM voice mail system

Display phones (8)

Phone system installation

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## Software

Net-A-Car software
Oracle software
Open Site software
Cold Fusion software

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### Contracts

- 1. Promotional Agreement between Carlisle Productions and CarScene.com, Inc., dated July 28, 1999.
- 2. Alliance and Referral Fee Agreement between Trade Safe Online Corporation and Landmark Interactive Sales, Inc., dated June 8, 1999.
- 3. Agreement (for development of online catalog of Easthill products) between Easthill Group, Inc. and CarScene.com, Inc., dated August 16, 1999.
  - 4. Consulting Agreement with Bob Lichty
  - 5. Services Agreement with Bob Hembree
  - 6. Business Internet Service Agreement between Intermedia Communications and Landmark Interactive Sales, Inc., dated March 12, 1999.
  - 7. Agreement of Lease between The Lonsdale Corporation, Landmark Communications, Inc. and The Moran Real Estate Group, Inc., dated March 15, 1999.
- 8. Noncompetition Agreement among Landmark Interactive Sales, Inc., Net-A-Car, David A. Davis, Mary Jolene Davis, James E. Hall and Davis & Associates dated April 14, 1999.
- 9. License Agreement between Landmark Interactive Sales, Inc. and Brian Davis dated April 14, 1999.
- 10. Electronic Commerce Services Agreement between NetSales, Inc. and CarScene.com, Inc. dated August 13, 1999, as amended by that Amendment and Assignment of Electronic Commerce Services Agreement among NetSales, Inc., CarScene and Trader Publishing Company, dated November 29, 1999.

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# Intellectual Property

Federal Trademark Registration for "NET-A-CAR" (Registration No. 2,156,403).

Federal Trademark Registration for "CARSCENE" (trademark application filed).

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### Domain Names

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Antiquecarsforsale.com
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Automobilesites.com
Belairscene.com
Belairsforsale.com
Boatscene.com
Britishcarscene.com
Britishcarsforsale.com
Buickscene.com
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Cadillacscene.com
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Camaroscene.com

Camarosforsale.com
Car-buff.com
Carscene.com
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