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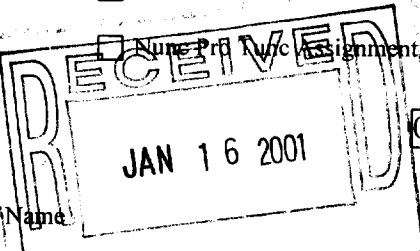
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Kavouras, Inc.

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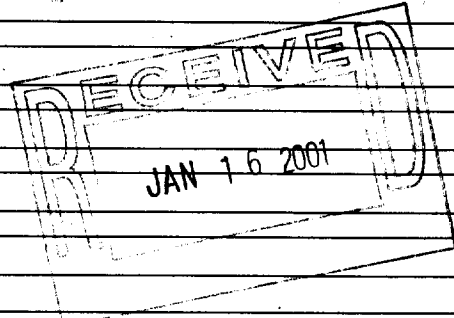
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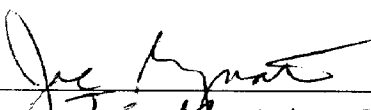
As of the date hereof, the undersigned First Union National Bank, as Agent (the "**Secured Party**"), has not assigned or otherwise disposed of any interest in the Collateral described in the Security Agreement recorded with the United States Patent & Trademark Office on May 9, 2000 at Reel 2080, Frame 817 (the "**Agreement**") with respect to the registered trademarks and pending trademark applications of Kavouras, Inc. (the "**Debtor**") listed in the attached Schedule A.

The Secured Party hereby releases for the benefit of the Debtor any and all security interests and all other interests in the Collateral granted in the Agreement.

Dated as of the 2 day of January, 2001.

Secured Party:

FIRST UNION NATIONAL BANK, AS AGENT

By: 
Name: JOE MYVAT
Title: Vice President

SCHEDULE A

**Kavouras Inc.
(Minnesota Corporation)**

U.S. Trademarks

Registered Trademarks

| Mark | Reg. No. | Reg. Date |
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| STORM PRO | 2,157,649 | 05/12/1998 |
| KAVOURAS | 2,042,084 | 03/04/1997 |
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Pending Applications

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| TRITON WX STUDIO | 75-742,350 | 07/02/1999 |
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