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original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

ADVANSTAR COMMUNICATIONS INC.

- Individual(s)
- General Partnership
- Other
- Association
- Limited Partnership

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Merger
- Security Agreement
- Change of Name
- Other

Execution Date: August 15, 2001

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: FLEET NATIONAL BANK as administrative agent

Internal Address:

Street Address: 100 Federal Street

City: Boston State: MA ZIP: 02110

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation
- * Other bank, financial institution

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No (Designations must be a separate document from assignment)

Additional name(s) & Address(es) attached? Yes * No

4. Application number(s) or trademark number(s): 2,450,373 2,447,497 2,445,230 2,445,329 2,461,302 2,402,398

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark No.(s)

Additional numbers attached * Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Robert E. Rude II

Internal Address: Mayer Brown & Platt

Street Address: 1909 K Street, NW

City: Washington State: DC ZIP: 20006

6. Total number of applications and trademarks involved: 6

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$ 165.00

* Enclosed (Check No. 1039)

Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)

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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.

Robert E. Rude II
Name of Person Signing

Robert E. Rude II
Signature

August 7, 2001
Date

Total number of pages comprising cover sheet and document attachments: 5

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02 FC:482 125.00 OP

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MARK	REG. DATE	REG. NO.	OWNER
CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS	5/8/01	2450373	ADVANSTAR
EDGE (THE)	5/1/01	2447497	ADVANSTAR
LCGC (STYLIZED SPIKE)	4/17/01	2445230	ADVANSTAR
COMPETITIVE CARRIER	4/17/01	2445329	ADVANSTAR
ABRN AUTOMOTIVE BODY REPAIR NEWS	6/19/01	2461302	ADVANSTAR
LICENSE! and Design	11/7/00	2402398	ADVANSTAR

Item B Trademark Licenses
None (Material)



TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

This TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement"), dated as of this 5th day of August __, 2001, is made between ADVANSTAR COMMUNICATIONS INC., a New York corporation, (the "Grantor"), and Fleet National Bank, as Administrative (together with any successor(s) thereto in such capacity, the "Administrative Agent") for each of the Secured Parties:

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, pursuant to a Credit Agreement, dated as of October 11, 2000 (as amended, supplemented, amended and restated or otherwise modified from time to time, (the "Credit Agreement")), among the Grantor, the various financial institutions and other Persons from time to time parties thereto (collectively, the "Lenders"), DLJ Capital Funding, Inc., as Lead Arranger and Syndication Agent, and the Administrative Agent, the Lenders and the Issuers have extended Commitments to make Credit Extensions to the Grantor:

WHEREAS, in connection with the Credit Agreement, the Grantor has executed and delivered a Borrower Pledge and Security Agreement, dated as of October 11, 2000 (as amended, supplemented, amended and restated or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Security Agreement"):

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 4.6 of the Security Agreement, the Grantor is required to execute and deliver this Agreement and to grant to the Administrative Agent a continuing security interest in all of the Trademark Collateral (as defined below) to secure all of its Obligations:

WHEREAS, the Grantor has duly authorized the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and in order to induce (i) the Lenders and the Issuers to make Credit Extensions to the Borrower pursuant to the Credit Agreement, and (ii) the Secured Parties to enter into Rate Protection Agreements, the Grantor agrees, for the benefit of each Secured Party, as follows:

SECTION 1. Definitions. Unless otherwise defined herein or the context otherwise requires, terms used in this Agreement, including its preamble and recitals, have the meanings provided (or incorporated by reference) in the Security Agreement.

SECTION 2. Grant of Security Interest. For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, to secure all of its Obligations, the Grantor hereby mortgages, pledges and hypothecates to the Administrative Agent, and grants to the Administrative Agent a security interest in, for its benefit and the benefit of each Secured Party, all of the following property (the "Trademark Collateral"), whether now owned or hereafter acquired or existing by it:

(a) (i) all of its trademarks, trade names, corporate names, company names, business names, fictitious business names, trade styles, service marks, certification marks, collective marks, logos and other source or business identifiers, prints and levels on which any of the foregoing have appeared or appear, designs and general intangibles of a like nature covered in clause (c) below, now existing or hereafter adopted or acquired in the United States, including those referred to in Item A of Schedule I attached hereto, whether currently in use or not, all registrations and recordings thereof and all applications in connection therewith, whether pending or in preparation for filing, including registrations, recordings and applications in the United States Patent and Trademark Office or in any office or agency of the United States of America or any State thereto and all common-law rights relating to the foregoing, and (ii) the right to obtain all reissues, extensions or renewals of the foregoing (collectively referred to as the "Trademark"):

(b) all Trademark licenses for the grant by or to each Grantor of any right to use any Trademark, including each Trademark license referred to in Item B of Schedule I attached hereto:

(c) all of the goodwill of the business connected with the use of and symbolized by the items described in clause (a) and to the extent applicable, clause (b):

(d) the right to sue third parties for past, present and future infringements of any Trademark Collateral described in clause (a) and to the extent applicable, clause (b); and

(e) all proceeds of, and rights associated with, the foregoing, including any claim by the Grantor against third parties for past, present or future infringement or dilution of any Trademark, Trademark registration or Trademark license or for any injury to the goodwill associated with the use of any such Trademark or for breach or enforcement of any Trademark license and all rights corresponding thereto throughout the world.

SECTION 3. Security Agreement. This Agreement has been executed and delivered by the Grantor for the purpose of registering the security interest of the Administrative Agent in the Trademark Collateral with the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The security interest granted hereby has been granted as a supplement to, and not in limitation of, the security interest granted to the Administrative Agent for its benefit and the benefit of each Secured Party under the Security Agreement. The Security Agreement (and all rights and remedies of the Administrative Agent and each Secured Party thereunder) shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.

SECTION 4. Release of Security Interest. Upon (i) the sale, transfer or other disposition of any Trademark Collateral in accordance with the Credit Agreement (or with the consent of the Required Lenders or all Lenders, in accordance with Section 10.1 of the Credit Agreement) or (ii) the Termination Date, the Administrative Agent shall, at the Grantor's expense, execute and deliver to the Grantor all instruments and other documents as may be necessary or proper to release the lien on and security interest in the Trademark Collateral which has been granted hereunder.

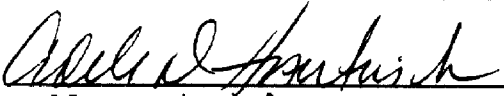
SECTION 5. Acknowledgment. The Grantor does hereby further acknowledge and affirm that the rights and remedies of the Administrative Agent with respect to the security interest in the Trademark Collateral granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Security Agreement, the terms and provisions of which (including the remedies provided for therein) are incorporated by reference herein as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 6. Loan Document, etc. This Agreement is a Loan Document executed pursuant to the Credit Agreement and shall (unless expressly indicated herein) be construed, administered and applied in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Credit Agreement.

SECTION 7. Counterpart. This Agreement may be executed by the parties hereto in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original and all of which shall constitute together but one and the same agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Trademark Security Agreement to be duly executed and delivered by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized as of the day and year first above written.

ADVANSTAR COMMUNICATIONS INC.

By: 
Name ADELE D. HARTWICK
Title VICE PRESIDENT

FLEET NATIONAL BANK, as
Administrative Agent

By: _____
Name _____
Title _____