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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

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Living Stone, Inc.

- Individual(s)
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State Delaware
- Other _____

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: The Encore Group, Inc

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 12,675 Stowe Dr

City: Poway State: Calif Zip: 92064

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State Delaware
- Other _____

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

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

Execution Date: April 3, 1999

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)
75/638862; 75/638864

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)
2,017,165; 2,034,963; 1,981,029; 2,050,275;

Additional number(s) attached Yes No 2,323,833; 2,365,315

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

Name: David A. Fisher

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 4225 Executive Square

Suite 1600

City: La Jolla State: Calif Zip: 92037

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:

8

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 320.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

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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.

David A. Fisher

July 10, 2001

Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document:

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Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to:
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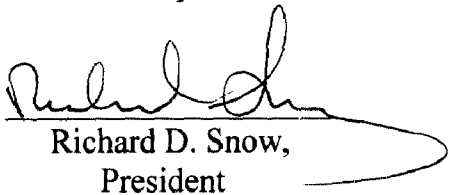
WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., of 12675 STOWE DRIVE, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION was awarded a trademark for SNOW BUDDIES, which has been assigned REGISTRATION NUMBER 2,323,833; and

WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., has filed with the STATE OF CALIFORNIA a CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION to change the name of the corporation to THE ENCORE GROUP, INC. on APRIL 3, 1999;

THEREFORE, it is requested that the name of ownership for this application be changed, from LIVING STONE, INC. to THE ENCORE GROUP, INC., to reflect the CHANGE OF NAME of the corporation.

DATED: August 22, 2001

The Encore Group, Inc.
A California Corporation

By: 
Richard D. Snow,
President

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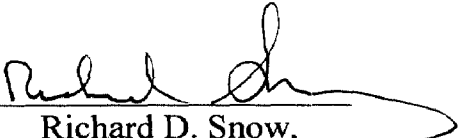
WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., of 12675 STOWE DRIVE, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION was awarded a trademark for LIVING STONE, which has been assigned REGISTRATION NUMBER 2,050,275; and

WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., has filed with the STATE OF CALIFORNIA a CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION to change the name of the corporation to THE ENCORE GROUP, INC. on APRIL 3, 1999;

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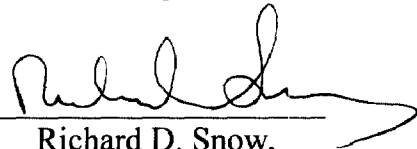
WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., of 12675 STOWE DRIVE, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION was awarded a trademark for LIVING PUZZLES, which has been assigned REGISTRATION NUMBER 1,981,029; and

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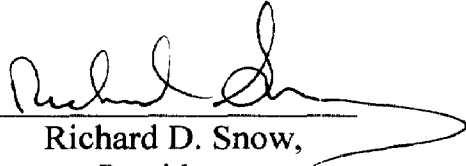
WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., of 12675 STOWE DRIVE, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION was awarded a trademark for LIVING BRONZE, which has been assigned REGISTRATION NUMBER 2,034,963; and

WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., has filed with the STATE OF CALIFORNIA a CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION to change the name of the corporation to THE ENCORE GROUP, INC. on APRIL 3, 1999;

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WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., of 12675 STOWE DRIVE, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION was awarded a trademark for BRONZE STONE, which has been assigned REGISTRATION NUMBER 2,017,165; and

WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., has filed with the STATE OF CALIFORNIA a CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION to change the name of the corporation to THE ENCORE GROUP, INC. on APRIL 3, 1999;

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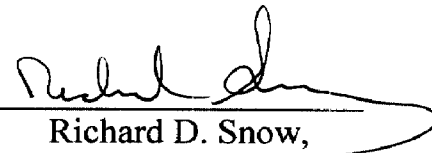
WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., of 12675 STOWE DRIVE, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION has filed a trademark application for BUNNY BUDDIES, which has been assigned SERIAL NUMBER 75/638864; and

WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., has filed with the STATE OF CALIFORNIA a CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION to change the name of the corporation to THE ENCORE GROUP, INC. on APRIL 3, 1999;

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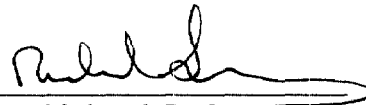
WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., of 12675 STOWE DRIVE, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION has filed a trademark application for BOO BUDDIES, which has been assigned SERIAL NUMBER 75/638862; and

WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., has filed with the STATE OF CALIFORNIA a CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION to change the name of the corporation to THE ENCORE GROUP, INC. on APRIL 3, 1999;

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WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., of 12675 STOWE DRIVE, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION was awarded a trademark for VALENTINE BUDDIES, which has been assigned REGISTRATION NUMBER 2,365,315; and

WHEREAS, LIVING STONE, INC., has filed with the STATE OF CALIFORNIA a CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION to change the name of the corporation to THE ENCORE GROUP, INC. on APRIL 3, 1999;

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September 7, 2001

Via Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested - #7119 3792 9260 0000 0080Commissioner of Patent & Trademarks
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Box Assignments
Washington, D.C. 20231**Re: Applicant/Owner Name Change
The Encore Group, Inc.
Our File No.: 709.00**

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please change the Applicant/Owner name of record from Living Stone, Inc. to The Encore Group, Inc. for the following marks:

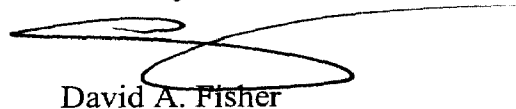
<u>Name</u>	<u>Application or Registration Number</u>
Boo Buddies	75/638862
Bunny Buddies	75/638864
Bronze Stone	2,017,165
Living Bronze	2,034,963
Living Puzzles	1,981,029
Living Stone	2,050,275
Snow Buddies	2,323,833
Valentine Buddies	2,365,315

Enclosed please find a copy of the Certificate of Amendment of Articles of Incorporation of Living Stone, Inc. referencing the Applicant/Owner's name change, the Recordation Form Cover Sheet, an Assignment of Trademark sheet for each of the eight (8) assignments and the total required fee of \$320.00.

Please also change the attorney on record to myself, David A. Fisher, at the address in the above letterhead.

Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



David A. Fisher

Enclosures

cc: Richard Snow (w/ encl.)