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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

First Union Commercial Corporation

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

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Dixon Ticonderoga Company

Internal

Address:

Street Address: 195 International Parkway

City: Heathrow State: FL Zip: 32746-5036

- 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 Release of Security Interest

Execution Date: 10/01/02 Reel 1479 Frame 0313

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s) None

B. Trademark Registration No.(s) See Schedule A attached hereto

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

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

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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 4

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 365.00

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Tracey D. Bennett

Name of Person Signing

Signature: Tracey D. Bennett

Date: 11/7/02

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TRADEMARK REEL: 2614 FRAME: 0709

SCHEDULE A
TO
RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS

LIST OF TRADEMARKS AND TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS

Trademark	Registration No.	Date Recorded
COLORART & Design	1,908,028	August 22, 1996
DIXON	441,263	August 22, 1996
DIXON & Design	1,461,834	August 22, 1996
DIXON & Design	1,453,844	August 22, 1996
DIXON	439,931	August 22, 1996
DIXON TICONDEROGA	1,453,845	August 22, 1996
ORIOLE	510,973	August 22, 1996
PASTELLO	804,701	August 22, 1996
PRANG	411,803	August 22, 1996
PRANG	764,316	August 22, 1996
PRANG	764,329	August 22, 1996
PRANG	764,420	August 22, 1996
PRANG	792,253	August 22, 1996
PRANG COLORART & Design	1,475,891	August 22, 1996

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that FIRST UNION COMMERCIAL CORPORATION, a North Carolina corporation, as agent (hereinafter referred to as "Secured Party"), having an office at 200 South Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, Florida, 33131, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY that any security interest it holds, as Agent, in certain trademarks of DIXON TICONDEROGA COMPANY, a Florida corporation ("Debtor"), having a place of business at 195 International Parkway, Heathrow, Florida 32746-5036, pursuant to a certain Amended and Restated Grant of Security Interest (Trademarks, Copyrights, Patents and Licenses), dated as of July 10, 1996, recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 22, 1996 at Reel 1479, Frame 0313 (the "Trademark Security Agreement"), which trademarks are more fully identified in Schedule A annexed hereto and made a part hereof, is released and all interests in such property previously assigned to Secured Party under the Trademark Security Agreement are hereby reassigned to Debtor, without recourse or representation or warranty, express or implied, of any kind.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Secured Party has caused this Release of Security Interest in Trademarks to be executed by its duly authorized corporate officer this 1st day of October, 2002.

FIRST UNION COMMERCIAL CORPORATION,
as Agent

By: *Scott Goldstein*
Title: VICE PRESIDENT

STATE OF North Carolina
) ss.:
COUNTY OF Mecklenburg

On the 1st day of October, 2002, before me personally came Scott Goldstein, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say, that he is a Vice President of FIRST UNION COMMERCIAL CORPORATION and that the foregoing instrument was signed on behalf of such corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged the execution of said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

Stephanie Dorchinsky
Notary Public

My Comm. Exp. Dec. 25, 2003

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