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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): Fleet Capital Corporation, as Collateral Agent
Individual(s) Association General Partnership Limited Partnership Corporation-State Rhode Island Other
Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Name: The Dixie Group, Inc. Internal Address: Street Address: 185 South Industrial Boulevard City: Calhoun State: Georgia Zip: 30701
Individual(s) citizenship Association General Partnership Limited Partnership Corporation-State Tennessee 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: November 10, 2003

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s): A. Trademark Application No. (s) B. Trademark Registration No. (s) 2435225 and 2492483
Additional number(s) attached Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: Elizabeth G. Hartnett Internal Address: Parker, Hudson, Rainer & Dobbs Street Address: 285 Peachtree Center Avenue 1500 Marquis Two Tower City: Atlanta State: Georgia Zip: 30303

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 2
7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$ 65 Enclosed Authorized to be charged to deposit account
8. Deposit account number: 502831 (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. Bobbi Acord Signature 12/3/2003 Date

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**RELEASE OF TRADEMARK SECURITY INTEREST**

**WHEREAS**, by that certain Trademark Security Agreement, dated May 14, 2002, The Dixie Group, Inc. ("**Borrower**") granted to Fleet Capital Corporation, as Collateral Agent ("**Agent**"), a security interest in the trademarks and tradenames set forth on Exhibit A, attached hereto incorporated herein by reference and (i) all renewals thereof, (ii) all income, royalties, damages and payments now or hereafter due or payable with respect thereto, including without limitation, damages and payments for past or future infringements thereof, (iii) the right to sue for past, present and future infringements thereof, and (iv) all rights corresponding thereto throughout the world (collectively the "**Trademarks**"), for the purpose of securing the payment to the Lenders (as defined in the Trademark Security Agreement), of the indebtedness described in said Trademark Security Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, in consideration of a reduction in Borrower's indebtedness to Agent, Agent is willing to release its security interest with respect to the Trademarks;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the foregoing and other consideration the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned Fleet Capital Corporation, as Collateral Agent, hereby does release its security interest in and to the Trademarks and authorizes and directs that the same be discharged as of record.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned, Fleet Capital Corporation, as Collateral Agent, has caused this Release of Trademark Security Interest to be executed on this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2003, by and through its proper officers.

Signed, sealed and delivered  
in the presence of:

**Fleet Capital Corporation, as Collateral Agent**

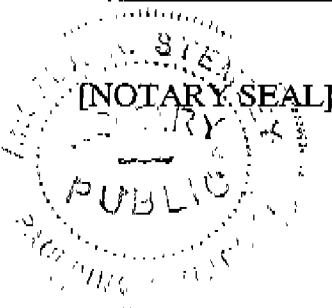
*[Handwritten Signature]*

Unofficial Witness

By: *Elizabeth L. Waller*  
Title: *SVP*

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public *Angela B. Stemley*

My Commission Expires:  
~~Notary Public, Paulding County, Georgia~~  
~~My Commission Expires June 6, 2005~~



**EXHIBIT A**

## Trademarks:

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Owner</u>	<u>Federal Registration Number</u>	<u>Registration Date</u>
Alliance Mills	The Dixie Group, Inc.	2435225	03-13-2001
Metro Mills	The Dixie Group, Inc.	2492483	09-25-2001

## Common law trademark rights:

- Globaltex (and Designs)
- Tribune Carpets (and Design)
- Bullseye (and Design)