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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): 8-19-03
Tennenbaum Capital Partners, LLC
 Individuals Association
 General Partnership Limited Partnership
 Corporation-State
 Other: Limited Liability Company
Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
Name: Read-Rite Corporation
Internal Address: _____
Street Address: 345 Los Coches Street
City: Milpitas State: CA Zip: 95035
 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: July 31, 2003

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s)
A. Trademark Application No.(s)
B. Trademark Registration No.(s)
1,897,360; 1,897,350; 2,563,682; 2,563,681
Additional number(s) attached Yes No

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
Name: Francie R. Gorowitz, Esq.
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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 4
7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ \$115.00
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Francie R. Gorowitz
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RELEASE OF TRADEMARK SECURITY INTEREST


WHEREAS, Read-Rite Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("**Grantor**") entered into that certain credit agreement dated as of December 24, 2002, as amended (the "**Credit Agreement**"), with such financial institutions named therein (collectively, together with their respective successors and assigns party to the Credit Agreement from time to time, the "**Lenders**"), and Tennenbaum Capital Partners, LLC (formerly known as Special Value Investment Management, LLC), as administrative agent for the Lenders (in such capacity, "**Secured Party**"); and

WHEREAS, in connection with such Credit Agreement, Grantor granted to the Secured Party a security interest in all of Grantor's right, title and interest in and to the Trademark Collateral, as defined in the Grant of Trademark Security Interest, dated as of December 24, 2002, and filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office (the "**Grant of Trademark Security Interest**").

NOW, THEREFORE, Secured Party hereby releases its security interest in all of Grantor's right, title, and interest in the Trademark Collateral created pursuant to the Grant of Trademark Security Interest, and does hereby release its security interest in all of Grantor's right, title, and interest in and to all trademarks, service marks, and all other marks listed in Schedule A.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Secured Party has caused this Release of Trademark Security Interest to be duly executed and delivered by its officer thereunto duly authorized as of the 31st ~~th~~ day of July, 2003.

Tennenbaum Capital Partners, LLC

By: 
Name: David Hollander
Title: Director

SCHEDULE A
TRADEMARKS

Registered Owner	United States Trademark Description	Registration Number	Registration Date
Read-Rite Corporation	Read-Rite & design	1,897,360	6/6/95
Read-Rite Corporation	RR Read-Rite & design	1,897,350	6/6/95
Read-Rite Corporation	RR	2,563,682	4/23/02
Read-Rite Corporation	RR design	2,563,681	4/23/02

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