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Name of conveying party(ies):  JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent	2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)  Additional names, addresses, or citizenship attached?  No  Name: Maverick Tube Corporation				
☐ Individual(s)	Internal Address: Street Address: 16401 Swingley Ridge Road, Suite 700 City: Chesterfield State: Missouri Country: USA Zip: 63017  Association Citizenship				
3. Nature of conveyance )/Execution Date(s) :	General Partnership Citizenship				
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5. Name & address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: Julie H. Cooper	6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:				
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## **Annex**

# I. <u>REGISTERED TRADEMARKS</u>

Trademark	Country	Reg. No. (App. No.)	Reg. Date (App. Date)	Record Owner/Liens
"MAVERICK" (with backward and regular "E")	USA	1,155,285	May 26, 1981; renewed; May 26, 2001	Maverick Tube Corporation
	USA	1,963,251	March 19, 1996	Maverick Tube Corporation
MÄVERICK	USA	1,463,273	November 3, 1987	Maverick Tube Corporation
"DEMAND THE BRAND"	USA	2,180,164	August 11, 1998	Maverick Tube Corporation
"REPUBLIC CONDUIT"	USA	2,889,856	September 28, 2004	Maverick Tube Corporation
"Republic Conduit"	USA	2,877,905	December 6, 2002	Maverick Tube Corporation

## II. TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS

**NONE** 

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#### RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS

This RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS, dated as of October 1/1, 2006, is made by JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., as Administrative Agent ("Administrative Agent"), having an office at 2200 Ross Avenue, 4th Floor, Dallas, Texas 75201.

WHEREAS, Administrative Agent and MAVERICK TUBE CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation ("Grantor"), having their chief executive office and principal place of business at 16401 Swingley Ridge Road, Suite 700, Chesterfield, Missouri 63017, are parties to that certain Trademark Security Agreement (the "Agreement") dated June 22, 2005, recorded on December 5, 2005, in the United States Patent and Trademark Office commencing at Reel No. 3273, Frame No. 214, whereby Grantor granted to Administrative Agent a security interest in and to the trademarks, trademark registrations and pending applications for registration (the "Trademarks") of Grantors, as identified and/or described in the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, Administrative Agent now desires to release its security interests granted in the Agreement insofar and only insofar as such interests relate to those certain Trademarks identified and/or described in the Annex attached hereto (the "Released Trademarks").

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Administrative Agent hereby reassigns to Grantors all of its right, title and interest in and to the Released Trademarks and to the extent that the Agreement created a security interest in such Released Trademarks, Administrative Agent hereby releases such security interest.

Dated: October 19, 2006

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., as

Administrative Agent

By: Off A Tompkins, Vice President

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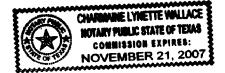
### <u>ACKNOWLEDGMENT</u>

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Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the state and county aforesaid, on this 4 day of October, 2006, personally appeared Jeff A. Tompkins to me known personally, and who, being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is a Vice President of JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., and that the foregoing instrument was signed on behalf of JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. and he acknowledged such instrument to be the free act and deed of said Charmann Synette Walace Notary Public association.

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My commission expires:



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