

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT		
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	SECURITY INTEREST RELEASE		
CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
FIRST REPUBLIC BANK		05/14/2007	NEVADA BANKING CORPORATION:
RECEIVING PARTY DATA			
Name:	LORING WARD INC. [Formerly Assante Business Management Inc.]		
Street Address:	61 BROADWAY, SUITE 2220		
Internal Address:	ATTN: GERARD MELIA		
City:	NEW YORK		
State/Country:	NEW YORK		
Postal Code:	10006		
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: CALIFORNIA		
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 2			
Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
Registration Number:	1724126	NKS	
Registration Number:	2386836	NIGRO, KARLIN & SEGAL	
CORRESPONDENCE DATA			
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Signature:

/Robert V. Slattery/

Date:

05/18/2007

Total Attachments: 2

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**NOTICE OF RELEASE OF
SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS**

Reference is made to the Security Agreement dated as of November 13, 2003 made by Assante Business Management Inc., a California corporation now known as "Loring Ward Inc." (the "**Grantor**"), and others in favor of First Republic Bank, a Nevada banking corporation (the "**Bank**"), recorded with the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 2872, Frame 0727 on December 1, 2003, pursuant to which, *inter alia*, the Grantor granted the Bank a security interest in the Grantor's right, title and interest in and to certain trademark registrations and applications (collectively the "**Trademarks**"), including, without limitation, the trademark registrations and applications listed on Schedule A hereto.

The Bank hereby re-assigns and releases to the Grantor, and terminates all right, title and interest of the Bank in and to, the Trademarks, all goodwill of the business connected with the use of and symbolized by the Trademarks and all proceeds of the foregoing.

The Bank's execution and delivery of this Notice of Release and of any other documents releasing any security interest in or claim on any property of the Grantor are without recourse, representation, warranty or other assurance of any kind by the Bank, including, without limitation, as to the condition or value of the Trademarks.

This Notice of Release shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of California without regard to the conflict-of-law principles thereof.

This Notice of Release is executed on behalf of the Bank as of May 14, 2007.

FIRST REPUBLIC BANK

By: Carolyn Powell
Carolyn Powell
Managing Director

SCHEDULE A

<u>TRADEMARK</u>	<u>REGISTRATION NUMBER</u>
NKS	1,724,126
NIGRO, KARLIN & SEGAL	2,386,836