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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	Release of Security Interest in Trademarks

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Wells Fargo Retail Finance, LLC, successor agent to Foothill Capital Corporation, original agent		110/04/2007	LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: DELAWARE

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Guitar Center, Inc.	
Street Address:	5155 Clareton Drive	
City:	Aguora Hills	
State/Country:	CALIFORNIA	
Postal Code:	91301	
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE	

Name:	Musician's Friend, Inc.	
Street Address:	5155 Clareton Drive	
City:	Aguora Hills	
State/Country:	CALIFORNIA	
Postal Code:	91301	
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE	

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 19

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2280874	GUITAR CENTER
Registration Number:	1290481	GUITAR CENTER
Registration Number:	2085508	GUITAR CENTER
Registration Number:	2097684	MITCHELL GUITARS
Registration Number:	1576899	ROCK WALK
Serial Number:	75696292	GC SYSTEMS
Serial Number:	75696291	TAKE YOUR MUSIC FURTHER
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Serial Number:	75749520	SOUND PERCUSSION
Serial Number:	75749519	MIDI BY MAIL
Registration Number:	1815269	MUSICIAN'S FRIEND
Registration Number:	1812560	MUSICIAN'S FRIEND
Registration Number:	2238700	MUSICIAN'S FRIEND
Registration Number:	2247491	ROGUE
Registration Number:	2167458	ALUMINATOR
Registration Number:	1904368	PULSE PERCUSSION
Registration Number:	2057272	PARADISE
Registration Number:	2089189	GUITAR MAN
Registration Number:	1888293	RAM
Registration Number:	2572703	AXMAN

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NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Vladimir Khodosh
Signature:	/Vladimir Khodosh/
Date:	10/10/2007

Total Attachments: 4

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RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS

THIS RELEASE OF SEC	URITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS (this
" <u>Release</u> ") is made as of	2007 ("Effective Date") by and between Wells Fargo
Retail Finance, LLC, a Delaware Limited I	iability Company, successor agent to Foothill Capital
Corporation, original agent, with its princip	val office at One Boston Place, 18th Floor, Boston,
Massachusetts, 02108 ("Grantee"), and Gui	tar Center, Inc., a Delaware corporation and
Musician's Friend, Inc., a Delaware Corpor	ration, with its principal offices at 5155 Clareton
Drive, Aguora Hills, California 91301("Gra	untors").

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Trademark Security Agreement by and between Grantors and Grantee dated December 17, 1999 (the "Trademark Security Agreement"), Grantors granted to Grantee a continuing security interest in and to all of Grantor's right, title and interest in and to all of the trademarks, and registrations of and applications to register the foregoing, and all of the trade names and assumed names owned by Grantors (collectively, the "Trademarks"), including, without limitation, the United States trademark applications, registrations and trade names set forth on Schedule A attached hereto, in each case, together with the goodwill associated therewith;

WHEREAS, Grantors and Grantee entered into the Trademark Security Agreement pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Loan and Security Agreement by and between Grantors and Grantee dated December 17, 1999 (the "Security Agreement");

WHEREAS, the Trademark Security Agreement was recorded with the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") on December 22, 1999, at Reel 2010, Frame 0270, later assigned by Foothill Capital Corporation to Wells Fargo Retail Finance, LLC on July 10, 2003, recorded at Reel 2776, Frame 0497; along with a security interest recorded on May 24, 2001, at Reel 2305, Frame 0765;

WHEREAS, Grantors have paid all of its outstanding indebtedness to Grantee.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Grantee hereby terminates the Trademark Security Agreement, and hereby terminates, cancels and releases any and all security interests it has against the Trademarks.

Grantee represents and warrants that: (i) it has the full power and authority to execute this Release; (ii) it has not assigned, transferred, restricted or otherwise encumbered any security interest it has against the Trademarks; (iii) it has not recorded or otherwise evidenced its security interest with respect to any trademark, or registration of an application to register any trademark, or any trade name or assumed name, other than those Trademarks set forth on Schedules A.

Grantee shall, at Grantors' expense, take all further actions, and provide to Grantors, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, all such cooperation and assistance (including, without limitation, the execution and delivery of any and all documents or other instruments), reasonably requested by Grantors to more fully and effectively effectuate the purposes of this Release.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantee has caused this Release to be executed by its duly authorized representative as of the Effective Date.

Wells Fargo Retail Finance, LLC

Name: Francis O'Conno
Title: Sentor Vice President

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS)

ss.:

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK)

On this Hth day of October, 2007, before me personally appeared Francis O'Conor to me known who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she is

Senor Vice Resident of Wells Fargo Retail Finance, LLC, described herein and which executed the foregoing instrument, and that he/she signed his/her name thereto pursuant to the authority granted by Wells Fargo Retail Finance, LLC.

(Affix Seal Below)

MARGARET ARSENAULT Notary Public Commonwealth of Massachusetts My Commission Expires July 27, 2012

SCHEDULE A

Trademarks of Guitar Center, Inc.

Registered Trademarks

Trademark No.	Mark Guitar Center	
2280874		
1290481	Guitar Center (Design)	
2085508	Guitar Center Logo	
2097684	Mitchell Guitars	
1576899	Rockwalk	

Trademark Applications

Serial No.	Mark	
75/696,292	GC Systems	
75/696,291	Take Your Music Further	
75/749,520	Sound Percussion	
75/749,519	Midi By Mail	

Trade Names of Guitar Center, Inc.

Guitar Center Management Co., Inc.

Trademarks of Musician's Friend, Inc.

Registered Trademarks

Trademark No.	Mark	
1815269	Musician's Friend (logo)	
1812560	Musician's Friend	
2238700	Musician's Friend (logo)	
2247491	Rogue	
2167458	Aluminator	
1904368	Pulse Percussion	
2057272	Paradise	
2089189	. Guitar Man	
1888293	Ram	

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Trademark No.	Mark
2572703	Axman

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