# TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER
EFFECTIVE DATE:	12/19/2007

# **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Media West - DSP, Inc.		12/19/2007	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

## **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	The Desert Sun Publishing Company	
Street Address:	7950 Jones Branch Drive	
City:	McLean	
State/Country:	VIRGINIA	
Postal Code:	22107	
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: CALIFORNIA	

## PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2752633	THE DESERT SUN

# **CORRESPONDENCE DATA**

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Signature:	/Mario J. Weber/
Date:	02/29/2008

**Total Attachments: 3** 

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State of Delaware Secretary of State
Division of Corporations
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#### MERGING

# MEDIA WEST - DSP, INC., a Delaware corporation

#### into

## THE DESERT SUN PUBLISHING COMPANY, a California corporation

(Subsidiary into parent pursuant to Section 253 of the General Corporation Law of Delaware)

The Desert Sun Publishing Company, a corporation incorporated on the 11th day of April, 1955 pursuant to the provisions of the California Corporations Code (the "Parent"), the provisions of which permit the merger of a subsidiary corporation into a parent corporation organized and existing under the laws of said state, hereby certifies as follows:

- The Parent owns 100% of the outstanding shares of capital stock of Media West DSP, Inc., a corporation incorporated on the 6th day of March, 1996 pursuant to the provisions of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "Subsidiary").
- On October 18, 2007, the Board of Directors of the Parent, acting by written consent in lieu of a meeting, approved the merger of the Subsidiary into the Parent and adopted the resolutions attached to this Certificate of Ownership and Merger as Exhibit A.
  - The Parent will be the surviving corporation in the merger. 3.
- The Parent agrees that it may be served with process in the State of Delaware in any proceeding for enforcement of any obligation of the Subsidiary as well as for enforcement of any obligation of the Subsidiary arising from the merger, including any suit or other proceeding to enforce the rights of any stockholders as determined in appraisal proceedings pursuant to the provisions of Section 262 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, and irrevocably appoints the Secretary of State of Delaware as its agent to accept service of process in any such suit or other proceeding. The address to which a copy of such process shall be mailed by the Secretary of State of Delaware is: The Desert Sun Publishing Company, c/o Gannett Co., Inc., 7950 Jones Branch Drive, McLean, VA 22107, Attention: General Counsel.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parent has caused this Certificate to be duly executed by an authorized officer this 18th day of December, 2007.

THE DESERT SUN PUBLISHING COMPANY

Name: Todd A. Mayma

Title: Secretary

# EXHIBIT A

# RESOLUTIONS of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS of THE DESERT SUN PUBLISHING COMPANY ("The Desert Sun")

## The Desert Sun Merger

WHEREAS, The Desert Sun owns all of the issued and outstanding capital stock of Media West - DSP, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("DSP"); and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to merge DSP with and into The Desert Sun.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that pursuant to Section 1110 of the California Corporations Code, DSP will merge with and into The Desert Sun (the "Desert Sun Merger") in accordance with the Plan of Merger attached hereto (the "Desert Sun Plan of Merger");

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Board hereby authorizes, adopts and approves the Desert Sun Plan of Merger, including any exhibits thereto, and any and all other agreements referred to therein or contemplated thereby and required to be executed by and on behalf of The Desert Sun in connection therewith, and all the transactions described therein and contemplated thereunder, including, without limitation, the Desert Sun Merger;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that the Desert Sun Merger shall be effective upon the making of the appropriate filing(s) or at such other time as may be determined by the officers of The Desert Sun;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that any officer of The Desert Sun be, and hereby is, authorized to do any and all acts on behalf of The Desert Sun, including signing documents and causing them to be filed in the appropriate state and county offices, which such officer may deem necessary or advisable to carry out the purpose and intentions of the foregoing resolutions and to effectuate the Desert Sun Merger, and

RESOLVED FURTHER, that all actions taken and all agreements, instruments, reports, documents and regulatory and other notices executed, delivered or filed through the date hereof, and all actions to be taken and all agreements, instruments, reports, documents and regulatory and other notices to be executed, delivered or filed after the date hereof, by the authorized officers of The Desert Sun, or any agents, attorneys, accountants and outside consultants of The Desert Sun in connection with or with respect to effectuating all or any of the foregoing resolutions hereby are authorized, approved, ratified and confirmed in all respects.

#### PLAN OF MERGER

OF

#### MEDIA WEST - DSP, INC.

#### WITH AND INTO

#### THE DESERT SUN PUBLISHING COMPANY

THIS PLAN OF MERGER was approved by the board of directors of The Desert Sun Publishing Company pursuant to Section 1110 of the California Corporations Code and Section 253 of the Delaware General Corporation Law:

- 1. The name of the subsidiary corporation is Media West DSP, Inc., a Delaware corporation.
- 2. The name of the parent corporation is The Desert Sun Publishing Company, a California corporation.
- 3. The Desert Sun Publishing Company owns one hundred percent (100%) of the issued and outstanding shares of each class of capital stock of Media West DSP, Inc.
- 4. The subsidiary corporation, Media West DSP, Inc. (the "Merging Corporation"), shall merge with and into the parent corporation, The Desert Sun Publishing Company (the "Surviving Corporation"), with The Desert Sun Publishing Company surviving the merger.
  - 5. The manner and basis of converting the shares of the Merging Corporation are as follows:
  - (a) No cash or other consideration shall be paid or delivered for shares of the Merging Corporation.
  - (b) The shares of the Merging Corporation shall not be converted into cash, securities or other obligations of the Surviving Corporation, but shall be surrendered and cancelled.
  - (c) All the issued and outstanding shares of the Surviving Corporation shall remain unchanged in the hands of the holder thereof as issued and outstanding shares of the Surviving Corporation.
  - (d) The Surviving Corporation shall assume all obligations of the Merging Corporation and upon the effectiveness of the merger, all property, rights, privileges, franchises, patents, trademarks, licenses, registrations and other assets of every kind and description of the Merging Corporation shall be transferred to and vested in the Surviving Corporation without any further act or deed.
- 6. The Surviving Corporation, as the sole shareholder of the Merging Corporation, hereby waives any requirement that the Plan of Merger be mailed to the Surviving Corporation.
- 7. This Plan of Merger is intended to qualify as a tax-free liquidation under Section 332(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

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**RECORDED: 02/29/2008**