TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Ameristar Casinos, Inc.		04/14/2011	CORPORATION: NEVADA

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, as collateral agent
Street Address:	60 Wall Street
City:	New York
State/Country:	NEW YORK
Postal Code:	10005
Entity Type:	Bank: NEW YORK

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 30

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2697230	AMERISTAR
Registration Number:	1971539	AMERISTAR CASINO
Registration Number:	3521003	AMERISTAR CARES
Registration Number:	2132916	AMERISTAR CASINO
Registration Number:	2520214	MORE CASINO. MORE FUN.
Registration Number:	2722259	MORE CASINO MORE FUN
Registration Number:	2828742	PLATINUM PLAYERS CLUB CARD
Registration Number:	2864010	PRAIRIE MILL CAFE & BAKERY
Registration Number:	2872601	47 PORT STREET GRILL
Registration Number:	2972739	KING CAT CLUB
Registration Number:	2872602	HI-VI ARCADE
Registration Number:	2922348	FALCON DINER
Registration Number:	2915917	AMERISPORTS BAR & GRILL
Registration Number:	3785266	ARA

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Registration Number:	3699609	ARA SPA
Registration Number:	2922349	BOTTLENECK BLUES BAR
Registration Number:	2080518	CACTUS PETES
Registration Number:	2145768	CACTUS PETES
Registration Number:	3789223	PANCHO VILLA'S MEXICAN GRILL
Registration Number:	2996509	LANDMARK BUFFET
Registration Number:	2996508	MERK & TYLER COMPANY
Registration Number:	3109725	DRAFT CHOICE SPECIAL
Registration Number:	3139517	HARD BALL DARK
Registration Number:	3335655	KNOCK OUT BLOND
Registration Number:	3758297	LIXX
Registration Number:	3139516	1/2 COURT LIGHT
Registration Number:	3066875	RESORT.CASINO.GETWAY.
Registration Number:	3139518	RED ZONE LAGER
Registration Number:	2890661	WATERFRONT GRILL
Registration Number:	2845639	STAR AWARDS

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Date:	04/15/2011

Total Attachments: 5

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GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST
IN UNITED STATES TRADEMARKS

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, effective as of April 14, 2011, receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, AMERISTAR CASINOS, INC., a Nevada corporation (the "Grantor") with its chief executive office at 3773 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 490S, Las Vegas, Nevada 89169, hereby grants to DEUTSCHE BANK TRUST COMPANY AMERICAS, as Collateral Agent, with principal offices at 60 Wall Street, New York, New York 10005, (the "Grantee"), a continuing security interest in (i) all of the Grantor's right, title and interest in, to and under certain United States trademarks, trademark registrations and trademark applications (the "Marks") set forth on Schedule A attached hereto, (ii) all Proceeds (as such term is defined in the Security Agreement referred to below) and products of the Marks, (iii) the goodwill of the businesses with which the Marks are associated and (iv) all causes of action arising prior to or after the date hereof for infringement of any of the Marks or unfair competition regarding the same.

THIS GRANT is made to secure the satisfactory performance and payment of all Obligations of the Grantor, as such term is defined in the Security Agreement among the Grantor, the other assignors from time to time party thereto and the Grantee, dated as of April 14, 2011 (as amended, modified, restated and/or supplemented from time to time, the "Security Agreement"). Upon the occurrence of the Termination Date (as defined in the Security Agreement), the Grantee shall execute, acknowledge, and deliver to the Grantor an instrument in writing releasing the security interest in the Marks acquired under this Grant.

This Grant has been granted in conjunction with the security interest granted to the Grantee under the Security Agreement. The rights and remedies of the Grantee with respect to the continuing security interest granted herein are as set forth in the Security Agreement, all terms and provisions of which are incorporated herein by reference. In the event that any provisions of this Grant are deemed to conflict with the Security Agreement, the provisions of the Security Agreement shall govern.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Grant as of the first date written above.

AMERISTAR CASINOS, INC., Grantor

By _____
Name:
Title: SVP and General Counsel

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DEUTSCHE BANK TRUST COMPANY
AMERICAS,
as Collateral Agent and Grantee

By _____
Name: Mary Kay Coyle
Title: Managing Director

By _____
Name: Scottye Lindsey
Title: Director

SCHEDULE A

MARK	REG. NO./ SERIAL NO.	REG. DATE/ FILING DATE
AMERISTAR	2697230	03-18-03
AMERISTAR CASINO	1971539	04-30-96
AMERISTAR CARES	3521003	10-21-08
AMERISTAR CASINO	2132916	01-27-98
MORE CASINO, MORE FUN	2520214	12-18-01
MORE CASINO, MORE FUN	2722259	06-03-03
PLATINUM PLAYERS CLUB CARD	2828742	04-06-04
PRAIRIE MILL CAFÉ & BAKERY	2864010	07-20-04
47 PORT STREET GRILL	2872601	08-10-04
KING CAT CLUB	2972739	07-19-05
HI-VI ARCADE	2872602	08-10-04
FALCON DINER	2922348	02-01-05
AMERISPORTS BAR & GRILL	2915917	01-04-05
ARA	3785266	05-04-10
ARA SPA	3699609	10-20-09
BOTTLENECK BLUES BAR	2922349	02-01-05
CACTUS PETES	2080518	07-22-97
CACTUS PETES (Logo)	2145768	03-24-98
PANCHO VILLA'S MEXICAN GRILL	3789223	05-18-10
LANDMARK BUFFET	2996509	09-20-05
MERK & TYLER COMPANY	2996508	09-20-05

DRAFT CHOICE SPECIAL	3109725	06-27-06
HARD BALL DARK	3139517	09-05-06
KNOCK OUT BLOND	3335655	11-13-07
LIXX	3758297	09-09-08
½ COURT LIGHT	3139516	09-05-06
RESORT.CASINO.GETAWAY	3066875	03-07-06
RED ZONE LAGER	3139518	09-05-06
WATERFRONT GRILL	2890661	10-05-04
STAR AWARDS	2845639	05-25-04