

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	RELEASE BY SECURED PARTY

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Cobank, ACB, as agent		07/19/2012	Federally Chartered Bank: UNITED STATES

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Surewest Communications
Street Address:	8150 Industrial Avenue, Bldg A
City:	Roseville
State/Country:	CALIFORNIA
Postal Code:	95678
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: CALIFORNIA

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 10

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2863533	SUREWEST COMMUNICATIONS
Registration Number:	2845396	SUREWEST FOUNDATION
Registration Number:	2845389	SUREWEST COMMUNICATIONS
Registration Number:	3068522	SUREWEST DIRECTORIES
Registration Number:	2854253	SUREWEST LONG DISTANCE
Registration Number:	2814102	ETHERMAN
Registration Number:	2573581	
Serial Number:	85098479	SUREWEST
Serial Number:	85199982	SUREWEST
Serial Number:	85100353	SUREWEST DIRECTORIES

CORRESPONDENCE DATA

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Date:	07/20/2012

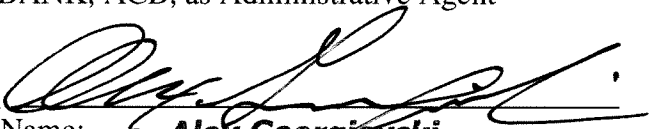
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**NOTICE OF RELEASE OF SECURITY INTERESTS IN TRADEMARKS**

Dated as of 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2012

The indebtedness described in and the obligations under the Grant of Security Interest in Patents and Trademarks, dated as of March 14, 2011, by and among SUREWEST COMMUNICATIONS, a California corporation, having its chief executive office at 8150 Industrial Avenue, Building A, Roseville, California 95678 and COBANK, ACB, as Administrative Agent (the "Administrative Agent"), with offices at 5500 S. Quebec Street, Greenwood Village, Colorado 80111, which was duly recorded on March 16, 2011, at Reel 004499, Frame 0060 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, is hereby satisfied in full and any security interest of, or license granted to the Administrative Agent in the trademarks set forth on Schedule 1 attached hereto is hereby terminated.

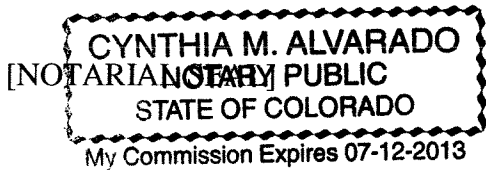
COBANK, ACB, as Administrative Agent

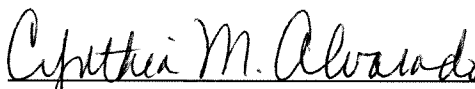
By:   
Name: Alex Georgievski  
Title: Assistant Corporate Secretary

STATE OF Colorado  
COUNTY OF Arapahoe

This 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2012, personally came before me, Cynthia M. Alvarado, Notary Public for said County and State, Colorado, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he/she is Assistant Corporate Secretary of COBANK, ACB, and that said writing was signed and sealed by him/her in behalf of said chartered banking by its authority duly given. And the said Assistant Corp. Secretary acknowledged the said writing to be the act and deed of said chartered bank.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2012.



  
Notary Public  
**CYNTHIA M. ALVARADO**

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHEDULE 1

Intellectual Property

<b>Loan Party</b>	<b>Mark or Name</b>	<b>Reg. No.</b>	<b>Serial No.</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Issue or File Date</b>
SureWest Communications	SureWest Communications	2863533	78046044	USA	7/13/2004
SureWest Communications	SureWest Foundation	2845396	76229662	USA	5/25/2004
SureWest Communications	SureWest Communications	2845389	76222693	USA	5/25/2004
SureWest Communications	SureWest Directories	3068522	76203889	USA	3/14/2006
SureWest Communications	SureWest Long Distance	2854253	76203890	USA	6/15/2004
SureWest Communications	Etherman	2814102	78113748	USA	2/10/2004
SureWest Communications	Sound Mark of 3 Notes	2573581	76302753	USA	5/28/2002
SureWest Communications	SureWest		85098479	USA	8/2/2010
SureWest Communications	SureWest		85199982	USA	12/16/2010
SureWest Communications	SureWest Directories		85100353	USA	8/4/2010