

## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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<b>NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:</b>	TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT (REVOLVING)		
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>			
<b>Name</b>	<b>Formerly</b>	<b>Execution Date</b>	<b>Entity Type</b>
CURIOSITYVILLE, INC. (F/K/A CURIOSITYVILLE LLC)		06/10/2014	CORPORATION: MARYLAND
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>			
<b>Name:</b>	CITIBANK, N.A.		
<b>Street Address:</b>	390 GREENWICH ST, 1ST FLOOR		
<b>City:</b>	NEW YORK		
<b>State/Country:</b>	NEW YORK		
<b>Postal Code:</b>	10014		
<b>Entity Type:</b>	NATIONAL ASSOCIATION: UNITED STATES		
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1</b>			
<b>Property Type</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Word Mark</b>	
<b>Registration Number:</b>	4125737	CURIOSITYVILLE	
<b>CORRESPONDENCE DATA</b>			
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<b>NAME OF SUBMITTER:</b>	BENJAMIN PETERSEN		
<b>SIGNATURE:</b>	/BENJAMIN PETERSEN/		
<b>DATE SIGNED:</b>	06/11/2014		
<b>Total Attachments: 4</b>			
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**TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT**

This TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT (as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the “*Trademark Security Agreement*”) dated June 10, 2014, is made by the Person listed on the signature pages hereof (collectively, the “*Grantor*”) in favor of Citibank, N.A. (“*Citibank*”), as collateral agent (the “*Collateral Agent*”) for the Secured Parties (as defined in the Credit Agreement referred to below).

WHEREAS, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Company (f/k/a HMH Holdings (Delaware), Inc.), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware (“*HMH Holdings*” or “*Holdings*”), HOUGHTON MIFFLIN HARCOURT PUBLISHERS INC., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware (“*HMHP*”), HMH PUBLISHERS LLC, a limited liability company organized under the laws of the State of Delaware (“*Publishers*”), HOUGHTON MIFFLIN HARCOURT PUBLISHING COMPANY, a corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (“*HMCo*”, and, together with HMHP and Publishers and together with any of their successors pursuant to the Approved Plan of Reorganization (as defined in Section 1.02), collectively, the “*Borrowers*” and each a “*Borrower*”), the subsidiaries of Holdings from time to time party thereto have entered into a Superpriority Senior Secured Debtor-in-Possession and Exit Revolving Credit Agreement dated as of May 22, 2012 (as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the “*Credit Agreement*”), with Citibank, as Administrative Agent, and as Collateral Agent, and the Lenders party thereto. Terms defined in the Credit Agreement and not otherwise defined herein are used herein as defined in the Credit Agreement.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Credit Agreement, the Grantor has executed and delivered that certain Supplement (the “*Supplement*”), dated as of June 10, 2014 to the Revolving Facility Guarantee and Collateral Agreement dated May 22, 2012 made by the Grantor to the Collateral Agent (together with the Supplement, and both as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the “*Security Agreement*”).

WHEREAS, under the terms of the Security Agreement, the Grantor has granted to the Collateral Agent, for the ratable benefit of the Secured Parties, a security interest in, among other property, certain intellectual property of the Grantor, and have agreed as a condition thereof to execute this Trademark Security Agreement for recording with the United States Patent and Trademark Office and other governmental authorities.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Grantor agrees as follows:

Section 1 Grant of Security. The Grantor hereby grants to the Collateral Agent for the ratable benefit of the Secured Parties a security interest in all of such Grantor’s right, title and interest in and to the trademark and service mark registrations and applications set forth in Schedule A hereto (provided that no security interest shall be granted in United States intent-to-use trademark applications to the extent that, and solely during the period in which, the grant of a security interest therein would impair the validity or enforceability of such

intent-to-use trademark applications under applicable federal law), together with the goodwill symbolized thereby (the “*Trademark Collateral*”).

Section 2     Recordation. The Grantor authorizes and requests that the Commissioner for Trademarks and any other applicable government officer record this Trademark Security Agreement.

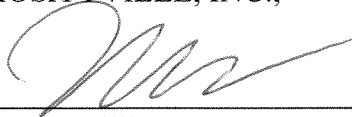
Section 3     Grants, Rights and Remedies. This Trademark Security Agreement has been entered into in conjunction with the provisions of the Security Agreement. The Grantor does hereby acknowledge and confirm that the grant of the security interest hereunder to, and the rights and remedies of, the Collateral Agent with respect to the Trademark Collateral are more fully set forth in the Security Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein. The Security Agreement shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with its terms. In the event of any conflict between the Security Agreement and this Trademark Security Agreement, the terms of the Security Agreement shall control.

Section 4     Governing Law. This Trademark Security Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of New York.

*[Remainder of page intentionally left blank.]*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantor has caused this Trademark Security Agreement to be duly executed and delivered by its officer thereunto duly authorized as of the date first above written.

CURIOSITYVILLE, INC.,

By: 

Name: William F. Bayers

Title: Executive Vice President, Secretary and  
General Counsel

Address for Notices:  
222 Berkeley Street  
Boston, MA 02116

*[Signature Page to Trademark Security Agreement – Curiosityville, Inc. (Revolving)]*

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Schedule A to Trademark Security Agreement

Trademarks

Trademark Registrations:

Jurisdiction	Owner	Mark	Registration Number	Registration Date
US Federal	Curiosityville, Inc. (f/k/a Curiosityville LLC)	CURIOSITYVILLE	4125737	4-10-2012

Trademark Applications:

None.