



EXHIBIT A

Hardware International, Inc

Trademark	Reg. No.	Reg. Date	Expiration Date
Bria & Design	807794	05/03/66	05/03/2006
H.M.S.	820043	10/06/66	12/06/2006

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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Hert Schaffner & Marx

10-11-02

- Individual(s)
- General Partnership
- Corporation-State
- Other of New York
- Association
- Limited Partnership

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other
- Merger
- Change of Name

Execution Date: 8/30/2002

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Congress Financial Corporation

Internal Address: (Central), as Agent, Suite 2200

Street Address: 150 South Wacker Drive

City: Chicago State: IL Zip: 60606

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State of Illinois
- Other

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  Yes  No  
(Designation must be a separate document from assignment)  
Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

See Exhibit A annexed hereto

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

See Exhibit A annexed hereto

Additional number(s) attached  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Otterbourg, Steindler, Houston &

Internal Address: Rosen, P.C.

Attn: Preston R. Cappello

Street Address: 230 Park Avenue

City: New York State: NY Zip: 10169

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:  2

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$ 85.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

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Name of Person Signing

*Preston R. Cappello*  
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Trademark	Reg. No.	Reg. Date	Expiration Date
American Traveler	1922538	10/17/95	10/17/2005
Ariel Worsteds	1386824	03/18/86	03/18/2006
Blue Chip Stock Plan	1362679	09/24/85	09/24/2005
Dawson & Roberts	1921914	01/24/89	01/24/2009
Desert Classic	1508316	10/11/88	10/11/2008
Four Winds	198166	05/05/75	05/05/2005
Four Winds	1242957	06/21/83	06/21/2003
Frost Loon	1506062	09/27/88	09/27/2008
Graham & Green Ltd.	825805	03/14/67	03/14/2007
Grand Prix	782470	12/29/64	12/29/2004
Hart Schaffner & Marx	2195899	10/13/98	10/13/2008
Hart Schaffner & Marx	2099947	09/23/97	09/23/2007
Hart Schaffner & Marx	515944	10/04/49	10/04/2009
Hart Schaffner & Marx and Horse & Rider Design	515945	10/04/49	10/04/2009
Hartmark	1259496	11/29/83	11/29/2003
Hawksley & Wight	1928716	10/17/95	10/17/2005
Hawksley & Wight	1436523	04/14/87	04/14/2007
Horse and Rider Design	2198384	10/20/98	10/20/2008
Horse and Rider Design	2099963	09/23/97	09/23/2007
Landshire	202236	08/18/75	08/18/2005
Starkeye	781464	12/08/64	12/08/2004
Shield & Elk Design	1512829	11/15/88	11/15/2008
Societa' Uoxon	1511049	11/01/88	11/01/2008
Society	208938	02/09/26	02/09/2006
Society Brand, Ltd.	1212496	10/12/82	10/12/2002
Thorngate Uniforms, Inc.	1318239	02/05/85	02/05/2005
Thos. Heath (Ward)	1369168	11/05/85	11/05/2005
Viracle	817410	10/25/66	10/25/2006
Windrose	1214929	11/02/82	11/02/2002
World Crossed Golf Clubs	1246465	07/26/83	07/26/2003

TRADEMARK

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RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that WACHOVIA CAPITAL FINANCE CORPORATION (CENTRAL), successor by merger to Congress Financial Corporation, in its capacity as agent, an Illinois corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Secured Party"), having an office at 150 South Wacker Drive, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY that the security interest it holds in those certain trademarks, as set forth in Schedule "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein (the "Trademarks"), together with the goodwill associated therewith, of Hart Schaffner & Marx, a New York corporation, having a place of business at 101 North Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606 ("Debtor"), pursuant to a certain Trademark Security Agreement, dated August 30, 2002, by and between Debtor and Secured Party, recorded on October 11, 2002, with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 002596, Frame 0181 (collectively, the "Security Agreement"), is released and all interests in the Trademarks, and any related property, including goodwill, previously pledged to Secured Party under the Security Agreement is hereby released to Debtor, without representation, warranty or recourse of any kind, nature or description.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Secured Party has caused this Release of Security Interest in Trademarks to be executed by its duly authorized officer this 19 day of Aug 2009.

WACHOVIA CAPITAL FINANCE  
CORPORATION (CENTRAL), as successor by  
merger to Congress Financial Corporation,  
as Agent

By: [Signature]

Title: Director

STATE OF IL )  
 ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF cook )

On the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 2009, before me personally came Nicky Gust, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say, that he/she is the Director of WACHOVIA CAPITAL FINANCE CORPORATION (CENTRAL), as successor by merger to Congress Financial Corporation, and that said instrument was signed on behalf of such entity by authority of its Board of Directors, and he/she acknowledged said instrument to be the free act of deed of said entity.

Cherise Farnsworth  
Notary Public

SCHEDULE A  
TO  
RELEASE OF SECURITY INTERESTS IN TRADEMARKS

List of Trademarks

See attached.

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