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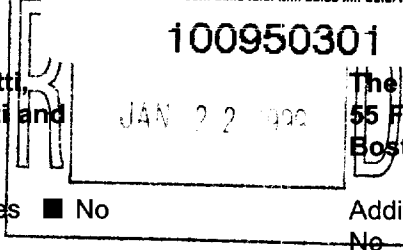
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Enzo Caruso, Francesco Rossetti and  
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this 18th day of December, 19 98

*Giuseppe Peretti* L.S.  
Giuseppe Peretti

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_:

:ss.

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_:

Before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, personally appeared

Giuseppe Peretti known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Boston Massachusetts,

this 23rd day of December, 1998

*Enzo Caruso* L.S.  
Enzo Caruso

STATE OF Massachusetts:

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COUNTY OF Suffolk:

Before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 1998, personally appeared

Enzo Caruso known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

*Kelce P. Ward*  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: My Commission Expires January 29, 1999

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Milan, Italy,

this 18th day of December, 1998

Francesco Rossetti  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Francesco Rossetti L.S.

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_:  
:ss.

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_:

Before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, personally appeared

Francesco Rossetti known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Boston, Massachusetts,

this 23rd day of December, 1998

Mark A. Randolph  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mark Randolph L.S.

STATE OF Massachusetts:  
:ss.

COUNTY OF Suffolk:

Before me this 23rd day of December, 1998, personally appeared

Mark Randolph known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

Wall P. Waters  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

My Commission Expires January 29, 1999

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