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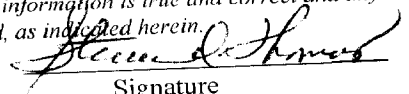
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REGISTERED TRADEMARKS

Trademark Registration Number	Description of Trademark	Date of Trademark Registration
332,600	ART UTILITY (Stylized)	02/18/36
1,942,830	ART UTILITY	12/19/95
1,942,240	Miscellaneous Design	12/19/95
1,647,754	J.L. HAMMETT CO.	06/11/91
1,116,484	HAMMETT'S LEARNING WORLD	04/10/79
1,750,615	LITTLE RED SCHOOL HOUSE	02/02/93

The Obligor and the Agent, on behalf of the Lenders, hereby acknowledge and agree that the security interest in the foregoing trademarks and trademark applications (i) may only be terminated in accordance with the terms of the Security Agreement and (ii) is not to be construed as an assignment of any trademark, trademark registration or trademark application.

Very truly yours,

SCHOOL SPECIALTY, INC., a Wisconsin corporation

By: Mary M Kabacinski  
Name: Mary M. Kabacinski  
Title: Chief Financial Officer

ACKNOWLEDGED AND ACCEPTED:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., a national banking association formerly known as NationsBank, N.A., as Agent

By: Casey Cosgrove  
Name: Casey Cosgrove  
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Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find enclosed the following documents for recording with the Patent and Trademark Office.

1. Recordation Form Cover Sheet – Trademarks;
2. Notice of Grant of Security Interest in Trademarks, executed September 30, 1998, between School Specialty, Inc. and Bank of America, as Agent;
3. Check No. 32968 in the amount of One Hundred and Sixty-Five Dollars (\$165.00);
4. Postcard acknowledgment of filed Notice of Grant of Security Interest in Trademarks documents.

Sincerely yours,

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