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JOINT CLAIM FOR DART ROYALTY FEES

United States Copyright Office

In accordance with Chapter 10 of the Copyright Act, 17 U.S.C., and Part 259 of the Copyright Office regulations, 37 CFR 259.1 et seq., the claimants named herein file with the Copyright Office of the Library of Congress a claim to royalty payments collected from manufacturers and importers of digital audio recording devices and digital audio recording media who distribute the products in the United States, collected during the period January 1 through December 31, 200__.

You must provide the requested information for each item:

FILER AND CLAIMANTS

1. Full name and business address, including specific number and street name or rural route, of person or entity filing the claim:

Indicate below whether the person filing the claim is the interested copyright party or an authorized representative of the interested copyright party (select only one):

_____ Interested copyright party

_____ Authorized representative of the interested copyright party.

Telephone number of person or entity filing the claim: _____

Facsimile number, if any, of person or entity filing the claim: _____

E-mail, if any, of the person or entity filing the claim: _____

2. Contact person. This person must be the interested copyright party (see No. 4 for definition), an authorized representative of the interested copyright party or a designee of either (include name, phone, fax number, if any, and e-mail, if any):

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3. Statement of authorization for filing joint claim: The parties listed below have duly authorized the agent named herein to file this claim on their behalf. Name of each claimant to the joint claim. (You may attach a list of the names of the claimants to the joint claim in lieu of listing the names below):

CLAIM INFORMATION

4. Statement as to the fund and subfund against which the claim is being made: (A separate claim must be filed for each subfund.) (Select only one.)

Sound Recordings Fund	Musical Works Fund
___ Copyright Owners Subfund	___ Writers Subfund
___ Featured Artists Subfund	___ Publishers Subfund

5. Statement as to how claimant fits within the definition of interested copyright party in 17 U.S.C. 1001(7) If the claimant is an interested copyright party under more than one definition, select the definition that corresponds to the subfund for which this claim is being filed (see item 4). (Select only one):

- ___ (A) the owner of the exclusive right under section 106(1) of this title to reproduce a sound recording of a musical work that has been embodied in a digital musical recording or analog musical recording lawfully made under this title that has been distributed (17 U.S.C. § 1001(7)(A));
- ___ (B) the legal or beneficial owner of, or the person that controls, the right to reproduce in a digital musical recording or analog musical recording a musical work that has been embodied in a digital musical recording or analog musical recording lawfully made under this title that has been distributed (17 U.S.C. § 1001(7)(B));
- ___ (C) a featured recording artist who performs on a sound recording that has been distributed (17 U.S.C. § 1001(7)(C)); or
- (D) any association or other organization (make your selection below)–
- ___ (i) representing persons specified in subparagraph (A), (B), or (C), (17 U.S.C. § 1001(7)(D)(i)) or

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_____ (ii) engaged in licensing rights in musical works to music users on behalf of writers and publishers (17 U.S.C. § 1001(7)(D)(ii)).

6. Identification, establishing basis for the claim, of at least one musical work or sound recording embodied in a digital musical recording or an analog musical recording lawfully made under title 17 U.S.C. that has been distributed or disseminated to the public in transmissions between January 1 and December 31, 200_:

DECLARATION

7. *The undersigned declares under penalty of law that he/she is authorized by the claimants identified herein to make this filing on their behalf. The undersigned further declares under penalty of law that all statements contained herein are true, complete, and correct to the best of the undersigned’s knowledge, information, and belief, and are made in good faith. [18 U.S.C. 1001]*

(Typed or printed name)

(Signature)

(Date)