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To Ms. Espinel and the Obama Administration,

ASMP and the Copyright Alliance have informed me of this welcome invitation from the Obama Administration to share my thoughts on my rights as a creator. I would like to express to you the need for continued enforcement of Copyright Law for the protection of intellectual property. As a Photographer whose livelihood and, therefore, potential and incentive for creativity depends on owning the rights to my work, I ask you to uphold copyright for all intellectual property and for the visual arts in particular. Creator's rights are threatened abroad by piracy and at home as well, with powerful U.S. corporations hoping to take advantage of the hard work of individual creators by overturning the rights to the ownership of our work long enjoyed under Copyright protection and essential for continued creative production in this country and the world. Please protect my rights and the rights of all who hope to continue to create with the respect for individual creativity and innovation expressed through the protection of our works under U.S. Copyright Law.

Thank You,

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