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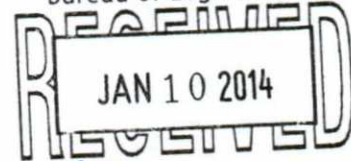
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Attn: Atty. Edwin A. Dating
Director III
OIC for CMO Accreditation

BY: [Signature] TIME: 3:03 pm

Re: Application for CMO Accreditation

Dear Atty. Dating:

The Filipino Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, Inc. ("FILSCAP") hereby respectfully applies for accreditation as a Collective Management Organization ("CMO") pursuant to, and as required by, Section 183 of the Intellectual Property Code of the Philippines ("IPC"), as amended.

As a background, FILSCAP is a non-stock non-profit corporation established in 1965 to collectively administer, license and enforce the "reproduction right" (Sec. 177.1, IPC), "public performance right" (Sec. 177.6, IPC) and "communication to the public right" (Sec. 177.7, IPC) of composers, lyricists, music publishers and other music copyright owners. It is a regular member of the *International Confederation of Authors and Composers Societies* ("CISAC") which is the umbrella organization of the composer societies around the world.

Specifically, FILSCAP operates as a CMO for copyright owners of local and foreign musical works. It primarily authorizes (through the issuance of a license) the public performance and communication to the public in the Philippines of the musical works of its members and the members of its similarly constituted affiliate societies abroad ("Affiliate Societies"). In consideration for the authorization, FILSCAP collects license fees which it then distributes to its members and Affiliate Societies. FILSCAP also licenses the reproduction of musical works but only for some of its members and Affiliate Societies.

Attached are the documentary requirements in support of our application as required by the IPOPHL's Rules and Regulations on the Accreditation of Collective Management Organizations:

DOCUMENT	ANNEX
1. Latest Amended Articles of Incorporation	A
2. Latest Amended By-Laws	B
3. SEC Registration	C

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| 4. | BIR Registration | D |
| 5. | Business Permit | E |
| 6. | Organizational Structure | F |
| 7. | List of Board of Trustees and Officers (with Biodata) | G |
| 8. | List of Members | H |
| 9. | List of Affiliate Foreign Societies | I |
| 10. | List of Authorized Agents (with Agency Contracts) | J |
| 11. | List of Licensees (with Contact Details) | K |
| 12. | Distribution Rules | L |
| 13. | Standard License Fee Rates | M |
| 14. | 2012 Audited Financial Statements | N |
| 15. | Certificate of Completion of 16-hour Training for
FILSCAP's General Manager and Department Heads | O |
| 16. | Samples of Documents used in Business: | P |
| | a) Deeds of Assignment executed by Members | |
| | b) Reciprocal Agreements with Affiliate Societies | |
| | c) License Agreements | |

Please note that we only attached samples of the Deeds of Assignment (DOA) executed by our 900 plus members and the Reciprocal Agreements (RA) we entered into with our 40 plus Affiliate Societies since they are voluminous. However, if your office will require us, we will present or submit copies of all our DOAs and RAs for examination.

Should you need clarification or require more documents or information, please contact the undersigned through the email address mtpalciso@filscap.com.ph or telephone number (02) 4166277

Thank you.

Very truly yours,



MARK THURSDAY P. ALCISO
General Manager

Encls.: a/s