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Dear Ms. Espinel.

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 have worked as a professional photographer for 24 years, and over that time I have experienced numerous

instances where my copyrights have been threatened or infringed. I have suffered loss of income and have had

to divert income to measures to preserve my intellectual property rights. It is, in fact, an ongoing problem in my work.

I do not believe that existing legislation adequately protects intellectual property rights.

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