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To Whom it May Concern,

For the record, I would like to state that I feel it would be detrimental to nearly double the on-line copyright submission fee.

My primary concern is that it will result in delayed filing in order to gang more images (photographic) into a single submission. And this in turn, could result in the loss of legal recourse in the event of infringement.

I know in my own case, I would be more inclined to delay submission in order to save money. This would mean that either I also delay publication, or risk the loss of recourse.

From the perspective of a photographic educator, I see this as a barrier to encouraging our students to adopt best practices and register their images in a timely manner.

Please reconsider this additional financial burden in difficult economic times.

Respectfully submitted,

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