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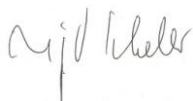
**Resale Royalty Right**

Dear Sir or Madam,

The Internationale Gesellschaft der Bildenden Künste (IGBK) ([www.igbk.de](http://www.igbk.de)) unites Germany's three most important supra-regional artist associations and therefore represents more than 14,000 visual artists in Germany. The association was founded in 1957 as the German National Committee of the International Association of Art (IAA).

In addition to the statements of our member organizations "Deutscher Künstlerbund" (German Artists' Association) and "Bundesverband Bildender Künstlerinnen und Künstler (BBK)" (Federal Association of Artists) IGBK would also like to express the support for the proposed bill introducing the resale right in the United States.

Thank you for this opportunity. Sincerely yours,



Ingrid Scheller  
Chairwoman and Speaker of the Board