July 19, 2015

U.S. Copyright Office

Re: Proposed Copyright Legislation

To Whom it May Concern,

On behalf of artist friends including painters, illustrators and photographers, I strongly object to the privatization of copyrighting which will force artists to pay for images with two copyright companies. I am not a professional artist myself though I studied art in college and continue to work in various media but I am in contact with professional artists and understand their concern with this legislation. I know that I would not appreciate someone else benefitting from my work for their own profit without my knowledge of consent.

Sincerely,

Barbara Crawford