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Dear Copyright Office,

I am a professional artist and have been for more than ten years. I have a BFA in fine art and am a painter and photographer. I do not want to loose my business to someone who can copy and use my work. Our copyrights are the products we license. Infringing my work would equal stealing my money. I have a large inventory of digital images of both paintings and photographs, and I don't want them and all my hard work to be used without my permission!!!! The published images I want control over. Everything I create becomes part of my business inventory. In this digital era, inventory is more valuable to artists than ever before. Please do not take this away from us.

Signed,

Lindsay Hopkins-Weld