Dear Sirs,

I am a professional photographer and filmmaker whose commercial work has been used by such clients as: Reader's Digest, Paris Match, Japan Airlines, Lufthansa, Citibank, Abercrombie, DeutscheBank, ATT, Yahoo, Oracle, Microsoft & Google. My photographs are on display in private and corporate collections in the United States, Europe and Asia.

I am very definitely oppose to the proposed changes in the copyright law. My copyrights are the basis of my business and infringing upon them in any way is essentially stealing income as well as professional status from me. I need to know and control who is using my art work and for what purpose. Since much of my work is figurative I could be jeopardized by unsavory infringement of my work. And most certainly my work does not lose it’s value upon publication. In fact, when published in a proper way it enhances its value.

Please, do not change this copyright law and endanger the lives and careers of visual artists in the United States of America.

Sincerely,
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