April 1, 2011

The Honorable Zoe Lofgren  
U.S. House of Representatives  
1401 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Re: Hearing of the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, Competition, and the Internet on  
“Promoting Investment and Protecting Commerce Online: Legitimate Sites v. Parasites, Part I”

Dear Representative Lofgren:

During the Subcommittee hearing, you requested information regarding the Copyright Office’s discussions with stakeholders about the rogue website issue. As I described during my testimony, our legal and policy staff are immersed in an ongoing series of meetings with a large number of diverse stakeholders. To date, we have had discussions with content owners, Internet service providers, payment processors, companies that provide search engines, public interest groups, and various additional players in the Internet ecosystem. We are continuing these meetings to further expand our knowledge of the legal and technical considerations relevant to rogue websites and to support the work of the Subcommittee.

I have enclosed here a list of the fifty-four stakeholders we have seen thus far in thirty-seven meetings. Thank you for your request and please do not hesitate to contact us if you need additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

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Acting Register of Copyrights

Enclosure

cc:  Hon. Robert Goodlatte  
Chairman, House Judiciary Subcommittee  
on Intellectual Property, Competition, and the Internet  
  
Hon. Mel Watt  
Ranking Member, House Judiciary Subcommittee  
on Intellectual Property, Competition, and the Internet
U.S. Copyright Office
Rogue Websites Stakeholder Meetings

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1. American Express
2. American Federation of Television and Radio Artists (AFTRA)
3. American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers (ASCAP)
4. Association of American Publishers (AAP)
5. The Authors Guild, Inc.
6. Broadcast Music, Inc. (BMI)
7. Business Software Alliance (BSA)
8. Center for Democracy & Technology (CDT)
9. Computer & Communications Industry Association (CCIA)
10. Comcast
11. Directors Guild of America (DGA)
12. Disney
13. Doxpara
14. eBay
15. Entertainment Software Association (ESA)
16. Electronic Frontier Foundation (EFF)
17. Facebook
18. Federal Communications Commission (FCC)
19. G2
20. Go Daddy
21. Google
22. Information Technology and Innovation Foundation (ITIF)
23. Interactive Advertising Bureau (IAB)
24. International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees (IATSE)
25. Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN)
26. Major League Baseball (MLB)
27. MasterCard Worldwide
28. The McGraw-Hill Companies
29. Microsoft
30. Motion Picture Association of America, Inc. (MPAA)
31. MovieLabs
32. National Basketball Association (NBA)
33. National Football League (NFL)
34. National Music Publishers’ Association (NMPA)
35. NBC Universal
36. News Corporation
37. NetCoalition
38. Paramount Pictures
39. PayPal
40. PolicyBandwidth
41. Public Knowledge
42. Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA)
43. Reed Elsevier and Elsevier
44. RosettaStone
45. Screen Actors Guild (SAG)
46. Sony Music
47. Software & Information Industry Association (SIIA)
48. TimeWarner
49. U.S. Chamber of Commerce
50. U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)
51. VeriSign
52. Verizon
53. Viacom
54. Visa