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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Copyright Royalty Board
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101 Independence Ave., SE
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Re: Docket No. 2011-3 CRB Phonorecords II
EMI Music Publishing's Petition to Participate

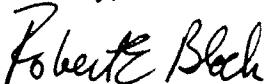
Dear Sirs:

On behalf of EMI Music Publishing, enclosed please find an original and five copies of EMI Music Publishing's Petition to Participate in the Matter of Adjustment or Determination of Compulsory License Rates for Making and Distributing Phonorecords, Docket No. 2011-3 CRB Phonorecords II.

Also enclosed is an electronic copy in PDF on CD and the \$150 filing fee in the form of a check made out to the Copyright Royalty Board.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact the undersigned counsel.

Sincerely,



Robert E. Bloch

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cc: Scott P. Perlman
Richard M. Assmus

**Before the
COPYRIGHT ROYALTY JUDGES**

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In the Matter of:)	
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Adjustment or Determination of)	Docket No. 2011-3 CRB
Compulsory License Rates for Making and)	Phonorecords II
Distributing Phonorecords)	
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EMI MUSIC PUBLISHING’S PETITION TO PARTICIPATE

This petition to participate in the above-referenced proceeding is submitted pursuant to 17 U.S.C. §§ 803(b)(1), 803(b)(2), 804(a) and 804(b)(4) and 37 C.F.R. § 351.1 by EMI Music Publishing (“EMI”). EMI has offices at 75 Ninth Avenue, 4th Floor, New York, NY 10011.

EMI has a “significant interest” within the meaning of 17 U.S.C. § 803(b)(2) and 37 C.F.R. § 351.1(b)(1)(i)(B) in the royalty rates and terms for making and distributing phonorecords pursuant to 17 U.S.C. § 115. In particular, EMI owns one of the largest catalog of songs in the world containing over 1.3 million titles, and has been consistently recognized as a leading music publisher by BMI, ASCAP and Billboard. EMI participated in the prior proceeding (2006-3 CRB DPRA) to set these royalty rates and terms.

EMI intends to fully participate in the above-referenced royalty rate proceeding through its undersigned counsel, Mayer Brown LLP. Mayer Brown LLP has the authority and consent of EMI to represent it in these proceedings. The undersigned attorneys are members in good standing of the bar of the District of Columbia (Messrs. Bloch and Perlman) and Illinois (Mr. Assmus).

The requisite \$150 filing fee is enclosed herewith.

Dated: February 2, 2011

Respectfully submitted,

EMI MUSIC PUBLISHING

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