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To: [FN-OMB-IntellectualProperty](#)
Subject: Copyright and Music Composers
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Hi Dear Sir,

I am writing in regards to intellectual property rights and the protection of them.

Many years ago I had a dream of writing my own original music and somehow supporting myself in the process. It has been quite a windy road, but I have managed to record many albums of work that have made it into the public arena. My songs have touched many people all over the world and have also been part of television broadcasts and feature films from time to time.

I feel very blessed and fortunate to live in a country where owning my the copyrights to my original music has allowed me an income. I have a family and rely very heavily on my music sales and licensing income.

Please make sure I and other artists can continue to create for a livelihood by protecting the rights of our creations!

Thank you for all you continue to do.

Sincerely,

Jim Chappell

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