USE OF COPYRIGHT OFFICE RECORDS
FOR COMPILING MAILING LISTS AND SIMILAR PURPOSES; MISCELLANEOUS TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS

The following excerpt is taken from Volume 42, Number 10 of the Federal Register for Friday, January 14, 1977 (p. 2962):

The proposed amendment to § 201.2 (b) of the regulations is to delete paragraph (2) of that section, which prohibits the “copying from the Copyright Office records of names and addresses for the purpose of compiling mailing lists and other similar uses.” The Copyright Office had concluded that this prohibition is an unwarranted limitation on the public use of Office records. One comment was received in support of the proposed deletion; no comments were received in opposition.

The technical amendments were proposed to correct ZIP Code references in §§ 201.1 and 201.2 (c) (2) (I); to delete an out-dated reference to “Copyright Office Form C-85” and correct the CFR citation in § 201.8, and to identify Part 14 of the Catalog of Copyright Entries in § 201.3. No comments were received with respect to these proposed amendments.

In consideration of the foregoing, the proposed amendment to § 201.2 (b) to delete the prohibition on the use of Office records for compiling mailing lists and like uses and the proposed technical amendments to §§ 201.1, 201.2 (c) (2) (ii), 201.3 and 201.8 are hereby adopted without change and are set forth below.

Effective date: As the amendment relating to the use of Office records is intended to relieve a restriction and as the technical amendments are to conform the regulations to existing facts, they shall become effective on January 14, 1977.

Dated: January 6, 1976.

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