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U.S. Copyright Office Proposed Rulemaking: Proposed New Fee Schedules

To Whom It May Concern:

As an owner of an art gallery that specializes in fine art photography and photo-based works, I strongly disagree with the proposed copyright increase.

In order to market my artist's work I am constantly submitting images to publications online and in print for publicity. I also have to post artist's works on my own website for internet presence.

In my business of representing photographers, they are most vulnerable to copyright Infringement. I do not think that these artists could move forward with such an increase in fees. Their expenses exceed their income in many cases.

Thank you for letting me submit my comments.

Sincerely, Missy Finger Owner