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RE: Notice of Inquiry, Copyright Office, Library of Congress
Copyright Protection for Certain Visual Works (Docket No. 2015-01)

I am a visual Artist and am shocked to hear about the proposed changes to copyright laws. I will keep this short because I know there are going to be a lot lengthy letters with reasons why you should not change the laws. To me the reason is simple. Artist's work is the Artist's work and should not be used without consent. It is how they earn their living. It is also unfair/unrealistic for an Artist to be burdened to go through lengthy procedures/expensive means to ensure a copywright for each individual piece of work. Please consider consulting professional Artists when trying to change this kind of Act.

Thank you for considering my letter.
Stefanie Brooks