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Fictitious Business Name Statement File No. 941817092

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

AMERICAN CINEMA FOUNDATION, 9911 W. Pico Blvd., #510. Los Angeles, CA 90035.

The Cinema Foundation, Inc.,

The Cinema Foundation, Inc., a California Corporation, 9911 W. Pico Blvd., #510, Los Angeles, CA 90035.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

S/ THE CINEMA FOUNDA-

S/ THE CINEMA FOUNDA-TION, INC. LIONEL CHELWYND, Presi-

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on October 4, 1994.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on or about June 1, 1994

NOTICE-This Fictitious Business Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before that time.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE DISTRICT DIRECTOR 2 CUPANIA CIRCLE MONTEREY PARK, CA 91755-7406

Date:

MAR 2 1 1995

THE CINEMA FOUNDATION, INC. C/O JOHN W. HOWARD 9911 W. PICO BLVD., STR. 1290 LOS ANGELES, CA 90035

Employer Identification Number: 95-4485728 Case Number: 955023150 Contact Person: JOANNA YAWNEY Contact Telephone Number: (909) 682-3148 Accounting Period Ending: December 31 Foundation Status Classification: 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) Advance Ruling Period Begins: September 8, 1994 Advance Ruling Period Ends: December 31, 1998 Addendum Applies:

Dear Applicant:

Based on information you supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from federal income tax under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in section 501(c)(3).

Because you are a newly created organization, we are not now making a final determination of your foundation status under section 509(a) of the Code. However, we have determined that you can reasonably expect to be a publicly supported organization described in sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Accordingly, during an advance ruling period you will be treated as a publicly supported organization, and not as a private foundation. This advance ruling period begins and ends on the dates shown above.

Within 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period, you must send us the information needed to determine whether you have met the requirements of the applicable support test during the advance ruling period. If you establish that you have been a publicly supported organization, we will classify you as a section 509(a)(1) or 509(a)(2) organization as long as you continue to meet the requirements of the applicable support test. If you do not meet the public support requirements during the advance ruling period, we will classify you as a private foundation for future periods. Also, if we classify you as a private foundation, we will treat you as a private foundation from your beginning date for purposes of section 507(d) and 4940.

Grantors and contributors may rely on our determination that you are not a private foundation until 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period. If you send us the required information within the 90 days, grantors and contributors may continue to rely on the advance determination until we make a final determination of your foundation status.

If we publish a notice in the Internal Revenue Bulletin stating that we

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INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE DISTRICT DIRECTOR P. O. BOX 2508 CINCINNATI, OH 45201

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95-4485728

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Contact Person:

GREGG A TAYLOR

ID# 31366

Contact Telephone Number:

(877) 829-5500

Our Letter Dated:

March 1995

Addendum Applies:

Dear Applicant:

This modifies our letter of the above date in which we stated that you would be treated as an organization that is not a private foundation until the expiration of your advance ruling period.

Your exempt status under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in section 501(c)(3) is still in effect. Based on the information you submitted, we have determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are an organization of the type described in section 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Grantors and contributors may rely on this determination unless the Internal Revenue Service publishes notice to the contrary. However, if you lose your section 509(a)(1) status, a grantor or contributor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act, or the substantial or material change on the part of the organization that resulted in your loss of such status, or if he or she acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would no longer be classified as a section 509(a)(1) organization.

If we have indicated in the heading of this letter that an addendum applies, the addendum enclosed is an integral part of this letter.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your private foundation status, please keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown above.

Sincerely yours,

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January 3, 1995

Ms. Yvonne Engel
Executive Secretary for Program
The Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation
777 East Wisconsin Avenue
Suite 2285
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

## Dear Ms. Engel:

As you may know, the American Cinema Foundation was formally organized as a California corporation in the spring of 1994. Prior to that time, the Foundation was a special project of The Center For The Study of Popular Culture. Our formal legal corporate name is The Cinema Foundation, Inc. and we do business as the American Cinema Foundation. A copy of our fictitious business name statement is enclosed for your files.

The State of California confirmed the tax exempt status of The Cinema Foundation, Inc. in a letter from the State Franchise Tax Board, a copy of which is enclosed. We are currently awaiting confirmation of our 501(c) (3) status from the Internal Revenue Service. A copy of the 501(c) (3) application is also enclosed. The Foundation does have a federal employer identification number and is conducting its business in accordance with the rules governing non-profit 501(c)(3) educational organizations. Unfortunately, the IRS advises us that receipt of formal confirmation of 501(c)(3) tax exempt status normally takes up to one year for reasons having only to do with backlogs and bureaucracy.

In the interim and in light of the historic relationship between The Cinema Foundation, Inc. d.b.a. the American Cinema Foundation and The Center For The Study of Popular Culture, The Center (a 501(c)(3) organization) has offered to act as the Foundation's fiscal agent for receipt and distribution of money raised to fund American Cinema Foundation programs and projects. It is my understanding that this approach is normal

and customary in the non-profit world. A copy of the Center's IRS letter confirming its 501(c)(3) status is also enclosed for your information.

Please feel free to call me, or David Horowitz at The Center For The Study of Popular Culture, if you have any questions about this arrangement or need any additional information.

Cordially,

Cathy Mendelson Siegel
Executive Director

cc: David Horowitz enclosures