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May 26, 2006

Division of Public Charities
 Office of the Attorney General
 One Ashburton Place, Room 1413
 Boston, MA 02108

Re: Creative Commons
 AG Account No. 041120

Madam:

Enclosed is our 2005 Form PC including attachments and a check for \$250.

Sincerely,

Diane Cabell

Diane Cabell
 Corporate Clerk

Security enhanced document. See back for details.

CREATIVE COMMONS CORPORATION

543 HOWARD ST 5TH FL
 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

2141

DATE 6-06-06

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PAY TO THE ORDER OF Commonwealth of Massachusetts \$ 250.-

Two hundred fifty DOLLARS

Bank of America

Market-New Montgomery
 33 New Montgomery St
 San Francisco CA
 650.615.4700



FOR MA FORM PC Filing Fee - 2005

Diane Cabell

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Massachusetts Office of the Attorney General
Division of Public Charities

FORM PC

To be filed annually by all non-profit charitable organizations conducting business in the Commonwealth

Report for the Fiscal Period: Beginning 01/01/05 Ending 12/31/05

Check all items attached: Form PC Schedule A1 Schedule A2 Schedule RO AG Schedule B
 Probate Account Copy of IRS Return Audited Financial Statements/Review Filing Fee Amended Articles/Bylaws

Attorney General's Acct. No.: _____ Federal ID Number: _____

When did the organization first engage in charitable work in Massachusetts? 12/19/2001

Has the organization applied for or been granted IRS tax exempt status? Yes No

If yes, Date of Application: _____ / _____ / _____ OR Date of Determination Letter: 8/14/2002

IRS Exemption under 501(c): Check box if No IRS Exemption []

If exempt under 501(c), are contributions to the organization tax deductible as charitable contributions? Yes No

ORGANIZATION DATA			
Name: <u>CREATIVE COMMONS CORPORATION</u>			
Mailing Address: <u>889 SOUTH ST., STE 3</u>			
City: <u>PORTSMOUTH</u>		State: <u>NH</u>	Zip: <u>03801</u>
Phone: <u>(603) 373-0062</u>		Fax: <u>(415) 354-1778</u>	
E-Mail: <u>COUNSEL@CREATIVECOMMONS.ORG</u>		Web Site (URL): <u>http://www.CREATIVECOMMONS.ORG</u>	

In the section below, please enter the appropriate codes from the corresponding tables found on pages 12 and 13:

Category	Code	Enter <u>up to 2</u> codes from Table 3 for your organization's main purpose(s)	Code
County (Table 1)	<u>9</u>	Organization Purpose Code 1	<u>8</u>
Type of Organization (Table 2)	<u>2</u>	Organization Purpose Code 2	<u>54</u>

Please check box if final return prior to dissolution

Payment Received
Office Use Only



All questions must be completed in their entirety whether or not similar questions are answered in an attached federal form. See instructions and definition section for guidance.

1. On what date was the organization created?	2. Where was the organization created?
12/19/2001	CAMBRIDGE, MA.

3. What is the form of the organization?	
Corporation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Testamentary trust
Unincorporated association	Inter Vivos trust
Other (please describe):	

4. Was your organization related to any other organization(s) during the reporting year (see definition of "Related Organization")? Yes No If yes, please complete the Schedule RO on pages 10 and 11.

5. Summary of Financial Data		Amounts
A	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	\$ 3,969,691
B	Gross Support and Revenue	\$ 4,006,597
C	Program services and similar amounts paid out	\$ 1,215,829
D	Fundraising expenses	\$ 127,280
E	Management and general expenses	\$ 232,175
F	Payments to affiliates	\$ —
G	Total Expenses	\$ 1,575,284
H	Net assets or fund balances at the end of the year	\$ 3,537,232

6. List the total compensation you provided to your five highest paid employees.

	Name	Title	Hours Per Week	Salary & Other Income	Benefit Plans	Other Compensation
1	M. LINKSVAYER	CTO	40	74,163	4,238	
2	M. HAUGHEY	Web Designer	40	51,507	3,250	
3	J. WILBANKS	Exec. Director	40	79,319	4,862	
4	M. GARLICK	COO	40	63,394		
5	N. PAHARIA	ASST DIRECTOR	40	54,789	4,316	

7. Was any compensation provided to any of the individuals listed in 6 above which was not quantified in your response to 6? Yes No If yes, please provide explanation:



8. List the name, amount of compensation paid, and the nature of services rendered by each of the organization's FIVE highest paid consultants providing professional services (e.g., attorneys, architects, accountants, management companies, investment advisors, professional solicitors, professional fundraising counsel.)

	Name	Amount of Compensation	Type of Service(s)
1	CHRISTIANE ASSCHENFELDT	82,249	LEGAL-INTERNATIONAL
2	PAULA LEDIEU	94,247	MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT
3	DIANE CABELL	40,000	LEGAL SERVICES
4	ROLAND HONEKAMP	29,839	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS
5	JON PHILLIPS	8,332	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT

9. Bank(s) in which the organization's funds are deposited (include bank address and phone number):

Bank	Address	Phone Number
BANK OF AMERICA	33 MONTGOMERY ST, CA 94105	415.624.0776
STANFORD FED'L CREDIT UNION	1500 PAGE MILL RD, PALO ALTO, CA	650.723.2509
DEUTSCHE BANK AG	UNTER DEN LINDEN 13-15 BERLIN GERMANY	+49.303.407.3815

10. What is the organization's accounting method? Cash Accrual Other (specify) _____

11. If organization's mailing address is a P.O. Box Number, list the organization's full street address:

Street Address	City, State	Zip

12. Name, address and telephone number of Contact Person:

Name	Street Address	City, State, Zip	Telephone Number
DIANE CABELL	889 SOUTH ST. STE. 3	PORTSMOUTH, NH 03801	603 373 0062

13. During the fiscal year reported here, did your organization solicit contributions or have funds solicited on its behalf? Yes No

14. At any time during the fiscal year following the year reported here, will your organization, or others acting on its behalf, have solicited contributions? Yes No

IF YOU ANSWERED "YES" IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION 13 OR QUESTION 14, YOU MUST COMPLETE SCHEDULES A-1 AND/OR A-2 UNLESS YOU ARE EXEMPT FROM THE SOLICITATION CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENT.

15. If you are claiming an exemption from the solicitation certificate requirement, please indicate by placing an 'X' in the box to the right to identify which exemption applies to your organization.

a religious organization	<input type="checkbox"/>
an organization which (a) does not raise more than \$5,000 during a calendar year OR does not receive contributions from more than ten persons during a calendar year; AND (b) carries out all of its activities, including fundraising, through unpaid volunteers. (The conditions at both (a) and (b) must be met for your organization to qualify for this exemption.	<input type="checkbox"/>



- 16. Names, addresses (street & P.O.) and telephone numbers of other offices/chapters/branches/affiliates (attach list). *See Attachment 1*
- 17. List the names, titles and addresses (street & P.O.) of officers, directors, trustees, and the principal salaried executives of organization (attach separate sheet). *Attachment 1*
- 18. Attach separate sheet listing names and addresses (street & P.O.) for all below: *Attachment 1*.

Individual(s) responsible for custody of funds
 Individual(s) responsible for distribution of funds
 Individual(s) responsible for fund raising
 Individual(s) responsible for custody of financial records
 Individual(s) authorized to sign checks

- 19. Has this organization or any of its officers, directors, employees or fund raisers solicited funds in any other state? Yes No

If "yes", attach list of states where solicitation was conducted, including registering agency, dates of registration, registration numbers, any other names under which the organization was/is registered, and the dates and type (mail, telephone, door to door, special events, etc) of the solicitation conducted. *See Attachment 1*.

- 20. Has this organization or any of its officers, directors, employees:
 If yes, please attach an explanation

- (a) Been enjoined or otherwise prohibited by a government agency/court from operating or soliciting contributions? Yes No
- (b) Ever been refused registration or had its registration or tax exemption denied, suspended, modified or revoked by a governmental agency? Yes No
- (c) Been the subject of a proceeding regarding any solicitation or registration? Yes No
- (d) Entered into a voluntary agreement of compliance or consent judgment with any government agency or in a case before a court or administrative agency? Yes No

- 21. Have any restrictions been removed during the year from donor-restricted funds?
 If yes, please attach an explanation *Attachment 1* Yes No

- 22. Have donor-restricted funds been loaned to unrestricted funds?
 If yes, please attach an explanation Yes No

- 23. This question involves "Termination of Employment or Change of Control Compensation Arrangements" with certain "Related Parties" (see instructions and definition sections). Report only if payments made or promised to any individual are in excess of four months salary or \$100,000, whichever dollar amount is less.

- (a) Did you make actual payments or otherwise transfer value under such an arrangement to any individual described in Related Party definition, sections (a) or (b), which payments are not reported in Question 6 or 7 above? Yes No
- (b) Do you have an agreement with any individual described in Related Party definition, section (a) or (b), containing such an arrangement? Yes No

If you answered "yes" for Question 23(a) or 23(b) above, please attach an explanation identifying the individual(s) involved, stating the amount of any payments made or value transferred, and describing the terms of each agreement.



24. This question applies to related party transactions, which include transactions with officers, directors, trustees, certain employees, relative, and organizations they own or control. Please consult the instructions and definition sections for the definition of a "Related Party" and "Indebtedness" before answering. Note that transactions involving related parties must be reported even when there is no accounting recognition (e.g., in-kind gifts, waiver of interest not otherwise reported).

If the answer to any part of Question 24 is "Yes", attach a schedule stating the name and address of the related party, the nature of the transaction, the value or the amounts involved in the transaction, and the procedure followed in authorizing the transaction.

See Attachment 1

During the year, has your organization:		Yes	No
(a)	Sold or transferred assets to or purchased assets from or exchanged assets with a related party?		✓
(b)	Leased assets to or leased assets from a related party?		✓
(c)	Been indebted to a related party?		✓
(d)	Allowed a related party to be indebted to it?	✓	
(e)	Made or held an investment in a related party?		✓
(f)	Furnished goods, services, or facilities to a related party?	✓	
(g)	Acquired goods, services, or facilities from a related party who received compensation or other value in return?	✓	
(h)	Paid or became obligated to pay wages, salary or other compensation to a related party?	✓	
(i)	Transferred income or assets to or for use by a related party?		✓
(j)	Was the organization a party to any transaction in which any of its officers, directors or trustees has a material financial interest, or did any officer, director or trustee receive anything of value not reported as compensation?		✓
(k)	Has the organization invested in any corporate stock in which any officer, director, or trustee owns more than 10% of the outstanding shares?		✓
(l)	Is any property of the organization held in the name of or commingled with the property of any other person or organization?		✓
(m)	Did the organization make a grant award or contribution to any organization in which any of its officers, directors or trustees has a relationship?		✓



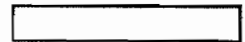
Under penalty of perjury, I declare that the information furnished in this report, including all attachments, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Diane Cabell Corporate Counsel 6.05.2006
Signature of president or other authorized officer or trustee Title Date

DIANE CABELL
Name of Preparer

889 SOUTH ST., Sk. 3 PORTSMOUTH, NH 03801
Address

603 373.0062
Phone Number



SOLICITATION ACTIVITIES

Schedule A-1

Solicitation activities during fiscal year covered by this report

List any names which will be used by the organization in connection with the solicitation of funds, other than the official name which appears on page 1.

A.

B.

C.

Types of solicitation activities in which you expect to engage (check all that apply):			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mass mailings	<input type="checkbox"/>	Raffle, beano, bingo or gaming event
<input type="checkbox"/>	Door-to-door	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sale of goods other than by telephone
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Entertainment event	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Individual mailings
<input type="checkbox"/>	Telemarketing without sale of goods or ads	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Corporate solicitations
<input type="checkbox"/>	Telemarketing with sale of goods	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Grant proposals
<input type="checkbox"/>	Telemarketing with sale of ads	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other: (explain)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Via the internet	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Identify the method or methods you expect to use for fundraising (check all that apply):			
<input type="checkbox"/>	A. Professional solicitor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Own employees
<input type="checkbox"/>	B. Professional fundraising counsel	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	E. Volunteers
<input type="checkbox"/>	C. Commercial co-venturer	<input type="checkbox"/>	

With respect to categories A, B and C, furnish names and addresses:

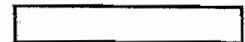
Name	Address

4. Identify by name and title the individuals who will have final responsibility for the charity's custody of contributions

Name	Address
NATALIE WALROND, CFO	CREATIVE COMMONS 543 HOWARD ST. 5 th FLR, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105 - 3013
DIANE CABELL, ASSIT TREAS.	889 SOUTH ST., PORTSMOUTH, NH 03801

Identify by name and title the individuals who will have final responsibility for the charity's distribution of contributions:

SAME AS ABOVE.	



Schedule A-2
Solicitation activities planned for fiscal year which follows the reporting year.

List any names which will be used by the organization in connection with the solicitation of funds, other than the name which appears on page 1.

A.

B.

C.

Types of solicitation activities in which you expect to engage (check all that apply):			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mass mailings	<input type="checkbox"/>	Raffle, beano, bingo or gaming event
<input type="checkbox"/>	Door-to-door	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sale of goods other than by telephone
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Entertainment event	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Individual mailings
<input type="checkbox"/>	Telemarketing without sale of goods or ads	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Corporate solicitations
<input type="checkbox"/>	Telemarketing with sale of goods	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Grant proposals
<input type="checkbox"/>	Telemarketing with sale of ads	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (explain):
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Via the Internet	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Identify the method or methods you expect to use for fundraising (check all that apply):			
<input type="checkbox"/>	A. Professional solicitor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Own employees
<input type="checkbox"/>	B. Professional fundraising counsel	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	E. Volunteers
<input type="checkbox"/>	C. Commerical co-venturer	<input type="checkbox"/>	

With respect to categories A, B and C, furnish names and addresses:

Name	Address

Identify by name and title the individuals who will have final responsibility for the charity's custody of contributions:

Name	Title
NATALIE WALROND, CFO & TREAS.,	CREATIVE COMMONS
DIANE CABELL,	ASSI TREASURER

Identify by name and title the individuals who will have final responsibility for the charity's distribution of contributions:

Name	Address
NATALIE WALROND	543 HOWARD ST, 5 TH FLR, SF, CA 94105
DIANE CABELL	889 SOUTH ST, 9 TH FLR, PORTSMOUTH, NH 03801

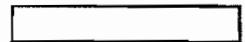


Certification by Organization - TWO DIFFERENT SIGNATURES ARE REQUIRED

Under penalty of perjury, we declare that the information furnished above, including any attachments, is true and correct to the best of our knowledge.

Signature of President or other authorized officer or trustee	Title	Date
<i>Ashley Cabell</i>	<i>Corporate Counsel Corporate Secretary</i>	<i>6/05/06</i>

Signature of President or other authorized officer or trustee	Title	Date
<i>Natalie A. Walron</i>	<i>CFO & TREASURER</i>	<i>6/05/06</i>



SCHEDULE RO

I. Please read the instructions and definition of "Related Organization" carefully before completing this section.
(If you have more than 5 Related Organizations, please attach a list)

Name iCOMMONS LTD.		Primary purpose or activity CHARITY - EDUCATION		
FYE MARCH 31, 2006	A. Donor restricted funds (-) liabilities	B. 3 rd Party restricted funds (-) liabilities	C. Unrestricted funds (-) liabilities £ 1000.-	D. Total net assets (A+B+C) £ 1000.-

Name		Primary purpose or activity		
FYE	A. Donor restricted funds (-) liabilities	B. 3 rd Party restricted funds (-) liabilities	C. Unrestricted funds (-) liabilities	D. Total net assets (A+B+C)

Name		Primary purpose or activity		
FYE	A. Donor restricted funds (-) liabilities	B. 3 rd Party restricted funds (-) liabilities	C. Unrestricted funds (-) liabilities	D. Total net assets (A+B+C)

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Name		Primary purpose or activity		
FYE	A. Donor restricted funds (-) liabilities	B. 3 rd Party restricted funds (-) liabilities	C. Unrestricted funds (-) liabilities	D. Total net assets (A+B+C)

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II. List the total compensation paid by your organization and/or any other related organization to your chief executive (e.g. executive director) and to the four other current or former directors, trustees, officers, or employees within the system of related organizations identified at I, above, receiving the highest aggregate compensation (see Instructions). Use additional lines below to itemize by compensation source.

Name LAWRENCE LESSIG		Title PRESIDENT & CEO	
Income Source CREATIVE COMMONS	Salary & Other Income NONE	Benefits Plan NONE	Other Compensation \$6689 REIMBURSEMENT FOR TRAVEL

Name JOHN WILBANKS		Title EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	
Income Source CREATIVE COMMONS	Salary & Other Income \$79,319	Benefits Plan \$4862.	Other Compensation

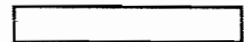
Name MIKE LINKSVAYER		Title CTO	
Income Source CREATIVE COMMONS	Salary & Other Income \$74,163	Benefits Plan \$4238	Other Compensation

Name MIA GARLICK		Title COO + GENERAL COUNSEL	
Income Source CREATIVE COMMONS	Salary & Other Income \$63,394	Benefits Plan —	Other Compensation

Name NEERU PATTARIA		Title (FORMER) EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	
Income Source CREATIVE COMMONS	Salary & Other Income \$54,789	Benefits Plan \$4316	Other Compensation

III. Is asset and/or compensation information for religious organizations and/or certain non-charitable entities related to foundations excluded pursuant to instructions? If yes, place an "X" in the box to the right.

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The following tables are to be used to enter the codes requested on Page 1 of the Short Form:

TABLE 1

COUNTY	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
BARNSTABLE	1	MIDDLESEX	9
BERKSHIRE	2	NANTUCKET	10
BRISTOL	3	NORFOLK	11
DUKES	4	PLYMOUTH	12
ESSEX	5	SUFFOLK	13
FRANKLIN	6	WORCESTER	14
HAMPDEN	7	OUT-OF-STATE	15
HAMPSHIRE	8	FOREIGN	16

Table 2

TYPE OF ORGANIZATION	CODE	TYPE OF ORGANIZATION	CODE
Arts/Culture/Humanities	1	Recreation/ Sports/ Leisure/ Athletics	14
Educational Institutions and Related Activities	2	Youth Development	15
Environmental Quality/ Protection/ Beautification	3	Human Services - Multipurpose and Other	16
Animal Related	4	International/ Foreign Affairs/ National Security	17
Health - General and Rehabilitative	5	Civil Rights/ Social Action/ Advocacy	18
Mental Health and Crisis Intervention	6	Community Development/ Capacity Building	19
Diseases/ Disorders/ Medical Disciplines	7	Philanthropy/ Voluntarism/ Grantmaking Foundations	20
Medical Research	8	Science and Technology Research Institutes/ Services	21
Crime and Legal Related	9	Social Science Research Institutes/ Services	22
Employment and Job Related	10	Public/ Society Benefit - Multipurpose and Other	23
Food/ Agriculture/ Nutrition	11	Religion Related/ Spiritual Development	24
Housing and Shelter	12	Mutual/ Membership Benefit Organization/ Other	25
Public Safety and Disaster Preparedness/ Relief	13	Other	26

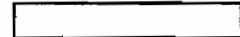


TABLE 3

PURPOSE	CODE	PURPOSE	CODE
HIGHER EDUCATION	1	POLICE	32
SECONDARY EDUCATION	2	FIRE	33
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	3	EMERGENCY AID/DISASTER RELIEF	34
PRE-ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	4	OTHER PUBLIC SAFETY	35
DAY CARE CENTER (CHILD OR ADULT)	5	EX-OFFENDERS	36
SCHOLARSHIPS	6	VICTIM ADVOCACY	37
PARENT TEACHER GROUPS	7	FRATERNAL	38
OTHER EDUCATIONAL	8	PROFESSIONAL/OCCUPATIONAL	39
HOSPITAL	9	VETERANS	40
REHABILITATION	10	CHILDREN	41
NURSING HOME/LONG TERM CARE	11	ADOPTION	42
DIRECT HEALTH SERVICES (NON-HOSPITAL)	12	YOUTH SPORTS	43
MENTAL HEALTH	13	ELDERLY	44
FAMILY PLANNING	14	FAMILY SERVICES	45
DRUG ABUSE	15	LEGAL SERVICES	46
ALCOHOL	16	POOR	47
AIDS	17	PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES	48
ALZHEIMER'S	18	MINORITIES	49
HEART DISEASE	19	WOMEN'S ISSUES	50
CANCER	20	GAY, LESBIAN, TRANSGENDERED, BISEXUAL	51
OTHER HEALTH	21	HOMELESS SHELTER	52
MUSEUM	22	ANIMALS	53
LIBRARY	23	CONSUMER	54
PERFORMING ARTS	24	CIVIC	55
OTHER CULTURAL	25	ISSUE ADVOCACY	56
HISTORICAL SOCIETY	26	RELIGIOUS	57
OTHER HISTORICAL	27	FRIENDS OF	58
ENVIRONMENT	28	RESEARCH	59
LAND CONSERVATION	29	PROVIDE GRANTS	60
COMMUNITY/NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT	30	OTHER:	61
HOUSING FACILITY	31	OTHER:	62

CREATIVE COMMONS CORPORATION

SCHEDULE OF ATTACHMENTS

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|----------------------|--|
| Attachment 1: | Offices, Personnel, Funds, Related Transactions |
| Attachment 2: | Pledge Letter for Related Organization |
| Attachment 3: | 2005 990 Return |
| Attachment 4: | 2005 Audited Financial Statement |

ATTACHMENT 1

**OFFICES, PERSONNEL, FUNDS,
RELATED TRANSACTIONS**

ATTACHMENT 1: CREATIVE COMMONS CORPORATION

Question 16. Other offices/branches/affiliates

Principal Office:

Creative Commons
c/o MIT CSAIL
32 Vassar St.
Cambridge, MA 02139

Creative Commons
543 Howard Street, 5th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94105-3013
(T) 415.946.3070

Creative Commons Berlin
Gipstrasse 12
10119 Berlin
Germany

Creative Commons
889 South Street, Ste. 3
Portsmouth, NH 03801

Affiliate:

iCommons Ltd.
c/o WilmerHale
5th Floor, Alder Castle
10 Noble Street
London, EC2V 7QJ UK

Question 17: Names, titles and addresses of officers, directors, trustees and principal salaried executives

OFFICERS and PRINCIPAL SALARIED EXECUTIVES

Mia Garlick, COO and General Counsel
Natalie Walrond, CFO and Treasurer
Mike Linksvayer, CTO
543 Howard St., 5th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94105

Lawrence Lessig, President and CEO
Stanford Law School
559 Nathan Abbott Way
Stanford, CA 94305-8610

OFFICERS and PRINCIPAL SALARIED EXECUTIVES, cont'd.

John Wilbanks, Executive Director
c/o MIT CSAIL
32 Vassar St.
Cambridge, MA 02139

Diane Cabell
Corporate Clerk and Assistant Treasurer
Corporate Counsel
889 South Street
Portsmouth, NH 03801

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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MIT Computer Science and AI Lab
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Villanova, PA 19805

Eric Eldred
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Joi Ito's Lab
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2-22-3 Jiyugaoka, Meguro
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Japan

Laurie Racine
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APT 6B
NYC NY 10028

Eric Saltzman
17 Humboldt Street
Cambridge MA 021405

Molly Van Houweling
347 Boalt Hall (North Addition)
Berkeley, CA 94720-7200

Jimmy Wales
PMB 358
200 2nd Ave. S
St. Petersburg, FL 22701

Question 18. Funds

Individuals Responsible for Custody of Funds

Natalie Walrond, CFO and Treasurer
Creative Commons
543 Howard Street, 5th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94105-3013

Christiane Asschenfeldt
Creative Commons Berlin
Gipstrasse 12
10119 Berlin
Germany

Diane Cabell, Ass't Treasurer
Creative Commons
889 South Street
Portsmouth, NH 03801

Individuals Responsible for Distribution of Funds

Natalie Walrond
Diane Cabell
Christiane Asschenfeldt

Individuals Responsible for Fund Raising

Lawrence Lessig
Stanford Law School
559 Nathan Abbot Way
Stanford, CA 94305

John Wilbanks, Executive Director
c/o MIT CSAIL
32 Vassar St.
Cambridge, MA 02139

Individuals Responsible for Custody of Financial Records

Natalie Walrond, Treasurer

Individuals Authorized to Sign Checks

Natalie Walrond
Diane Cabell
Mia Garlick
Christiane Asschenfeldt

Question #19. States Where Fund Raising Has Been Conducted

California. No solicitations were made in Massachusetts during 2005.

Question #21. Release of Restricted Funds

One donor who had given funds in 2004 placed a time restriction on a portion (\$182,000) of those funds in funds prior to a specific date in 2005. The restriction was removed automatically on that date.

Question #24. Related Party Transactions

(d) Allowed a related party to be indebted to it?

At the time of hire, Glenn Otis Brown, former Executive Director of Creative Commons, was offered a loan of \$20,000 as part of his salary package to cover his initial moving expenses from Austin, Texas to San Francisco, California. Loan repayment with interest, commenced March 15, 2003. In recognition of Mr. Brown's outstanding services and his retirement from the organization, on January 7, 2005 the board of directors waived payment of the remaining unpaid balance of the loan, \$13,414.00, in lieu of a bonus.

(f) Furnished goods, services or facilities to a related party?

The organization founded a subsidiary, iCommons Ltd., in Great Britain which is also chartered as a charitable organization. The organization has provided pro bono administrative assistance and website hosting services to the subsidiary.

(g) Acquired goods, services or facilities from a related party who received compensation or other value in return?

The corporation reimbursed its directors for travel expenses to attend to board meetings. The Chairman was reimbursed for travel expenses for lectures and presentations made on behalf of the organization.

Diane Cabell, clerk of the corporation, was paid \$25,994 for legal services.

These payments were authorized by the President and Treasurer of the corporation and approved by the Board of Directors during its annual review of the corporation's financial statements.

(h) Paid or become obligated to pay wages, salary or other compensation to a related party?

The organization pays wages to all of its officers for the performance of their services with the exception of the President who volunteers his time. Wages were approved by the Board of Directors during its annual review of the corporation's financial statements.

In addition, the organization is obligated to provide £1000 to its subsidiary if necessary to fund operations. The subsidiary did not begin active operations in 2005 therefore no funding was provided. **SEE ATTACHMENT 2.**

ATTACHMENT 2

PLEDGE LETTER FOR RELATED ORGANIZATION



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ATTACHMENT 2

8 April 2005

Charity Commission for England and Wales
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Reference: Application of Creative Commons International Limited

Dear Sirs:

This letter is to confirm the financial support that will be provided to Creative Commons International Limited.

On behalf of the parent company and guarantor, Creative Commons Corporation, I can pledge and affirm that Creative Commons International Limited will receive a minimum of £1,000 in annual financial support. We intend to open a bank account to receive such funds as soon as our London consultant becomes available to begin work.

The Board of Directors of Creative Commons Corporation is looking forward to supporting an active and useful organization in the UK that will expand our charitable activities throughout the world.

With best wishes,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Diane Cabell'.

Diane Cabell
Secretary, Assistant Treasurer and Corporate Counsel
Creative Commons Corporation