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PREFACE

This publication complements *COPYRIGHT LAW: SEVENTH EDITION* by providing access to a variety of materials which we hope will be of use to students and teachers alike. Together, the Seventh Edition and this Supplement provide the most comprehensive, up-to-date materials on copyright available in legal education today.

Part One of the Supplement contains the Copyright Clause of the U.S. Constitution, the current version of Title 17, and the Copyright Act of 1909, and miscellaneous legislative materials.

Part Two provides a rich assortment of international materials, including the Berne Convention and the Berne Convention Implementation Act of 1988, NAFTA, GATT/TRIPS, the treaty texts adopted by the World Intellectual Property Organization in December 1996, and the European Union Internet Copyright Directive — plus materials relating to copyright in the networked information environment.

Part Three collects excerpted legislative histories of interest to teachers and students of modern copyright law.

Part Four offers a variety of new text and case law materials. We have included opinions newly released or revised by the courts, as well as additional and substitutional text notes updating developments since publication of the Seventh Edition.

Finally, Part Five contains a Cumulative Bibliography of important secondary materials on copyright (and related bodies of law). It is organized to mirror the casebook chapter-by-chapter for maximum utility.

In addition to annual bound supplements to the casebook available from the publisher, further helpful information concerning recent developments in copyright law may be obtained by consulting the following works: Marshall Leaffer, *UNDERSTANDING COPYRIGHT LAW* (LexisNexis, 4th ed. 2005), Robert C. Lind, *COPYRIGHT LAW: STUDENT STUDY GUIDE*, and the standard treatises by David Nimmer, William Patry, Paul Goldstein, and Howard Abrams (all referenced topically in Part Five hereof).

We hope that readers will let us know what materials, or additional types of coverages, they would like to see added in the future!

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