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 Number 1 Pop Hits from Rockmasters International Administered by Bennett Law Office, PC



*Dallas, Texas.* It's true, "If You Wanna Be Happy"(#1 1963) dance til' a "Quarter To Three"(#1 1961). The song and master catalog of legendary Norfolk Sound creator Frank Guida are re-born, digitally mastered, and available for licensing opportunities. <u>Rockmasters International Network Inc</u>. has selected the <u>Bennett Law Office, PC/Tamera H. Bennett</u> to administer this pop icon catalog of the 1960's.

In addition to the Number 1 Pop and Black Chart hits by artists such as Gary U.S. Bonds, and Jimmy Soul. The Rockmasters' catalog includes charting recording artists the Church Street Five, featuring Gene Barge on sax; Tommy Facenda with the kids' favorite "High School USA" (1959); and Bill Deal and the Rhondels.

The man and sound behind the hits, <u>Frank Guida</u>, opened a record store in Norfolk, Virginia in 1953. Mr. Guida's passion for music inspired a recording studio in the back of the record shop in 1958 and the release of the first singles on the LeGrand Label. Other hits from the LeGrand and SPQR labels include "Twist Twist Senora," "<u>Seven Day Weekend</u>," "Not Me," and "Dear Lady Twist." "If You Wanna Be Happy" is featured in the movie Mermaids and the soundtrack for My Best Friends Wedding. "Quarter to Three," "Where Did That Naughty Little Girl Go," and "Dear Lady Twist" were all featured in the 1985 movie Mask.

Read the full press release here.



- International Network, Inc. Myspace
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## • Twittersquatting: The newest form of Document hosted at JDSUPRA Cybersquatting DocumentViewer.aspx?fid=c360ef28-89a2-47e2-935a-114473b96ddd Cybersquatting

<u>Twitter</u> is social networking's shortest and latest trend. In case you are not familiar, Twitter allows users to connect in text posts of 140 characters, which are easily sent and received from the website, various Twitter applications, or from your smartphone.

Much like a domain name, a user's "handle" on Twitter is now prime cyber real estate. More about "Twittersquatting" can be found <u>here</u>. To learn what others are saying about your brand on Twitter, try <u>TweetScan</u>.

## • Little M Music Publishing catalog acquired by Spirit Music Group

Congratulations to our clients and friends, the Washington Family, in the acquisition of the Fats Washington music publishing catalog by <u>Spirit</u> <u>Music Group</u>.

More information about the acquisition is available on our <u>blog</u>, and <u>Myspace</u>.



### • Who We Are

Tamera Bennett, nicknamed by her clients as the IP quarterback, develops strategies to protect and leverage each client's intellectual property. Tamera works closely with her clients to implement customized brand management programs. Tamera's clients range from rock star to leadership coach and financial guru to custom motorcycle designer.



Tamera is a past chair of the State Bar of Texas Entertainment & Sports Law section, a founding board member of the Women Business Owners of Denton County, and a former adjunct professor at Dallas Baptist University. Tamera frequently lectures to attorneys and business owners on intellectual property and entertainment law matters. In addition to her law practice, Tamera is the owner and president of Farm To Market Music, LLC a full service song administration company.

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