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For value received, we, **RICHARD G. KLUGE**, of Route 3, W-1461, Maureen Court, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin 53147, does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto **JOHN STERLING CORPORATION**, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois, and having a place of business at 11600 Sterling Parkway, Richmond, Illinois 60071, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States and its territories, and all foreign countries, in and to the invention set forth in my application for United States Letters Patent for improvements in **"SHELF AND CLOTHES ROD BRACKET** (Case 6) executed by me of even date herewith, and in and to said application, and all the right, title and interest in, to and under any and all United States and foreign Letters Patent that may be granted for my said invention and all divisions, continuations, renewals, reissues and extensions thereof and the applications therefor, and the right to claim the priority of this application in any and all foreign countries where application for patent on said invention may be filed, and I hereby agree to execute such other lawful documents and perform such other lawful acts as are requested for securing to said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all of the rights to said invention and application.

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE and request the United States Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks to issue the Letters Patent to said assignee, its successors and assigns, pursuant to the terms of this Assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed, sealed and delivered this instrument at RICHMOND, IL., this 15th day of MAY, 1998.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix my official seal the day and year last above written.

My Commission Expires:

Brian J. O'Toole
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