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For: LOOP SUBSTRATE FOR RELEASABLY ATTACHABLE
ABRASIVE SHEET MATERIAL

Assignment – Joint Inventors

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WHEREAS GANESH CHANDRA DEKA, residing at 10550 Stonepoint Place, Duluth, GA 30097, and SAMUEL LEE SYKES residing at 3058 Westwood Way, Alpharetta, GA 30201, (hereinafter collectively referred to as Assignors), have made an invention and have each either (1) previously executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor or (2) are contemporaneously executing an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America for the invention which is entitled:

LOOP SUBSTRATE FOR RELEASABLY ATTACHABLE ABRASIVE SHEET MATERIAL

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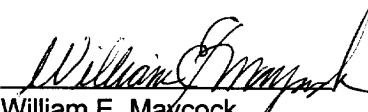
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