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Name Fender Musical Instruments Corporation

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 7975 North Hayden RoadCity: Scottsdale State AZ ZIP CODE: 85258Additional name(s) and address(es) attached? Yes ☒ No

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ASSIGNMENT

Assignment is hereby made effective as of the 28th day of January 1998, by WILLIAM T. TURNER, an individual residing at 2400 Ridgeview Drive, #212, Chino Hills, California 91710 (hereinafter referred to as "Inventor"), to FENDER MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Corporation"), located at 7975 North Hayden Road, Scottsdale, Arizona 85258.

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) in hand paid by Corporation to Inventor, and of other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Inventor hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Corporation the entire worldwide right, title and interest in "Patent Rights" comprising (1) an invention entitled PICKUP FOR ELECTRIC GUITARS, set forth in Corporation's attorney's file 360030-381, and in United States patent application Serial No. 09/014,839, filed January 28, 1998, and further comprising; (2) said United States patent application and any and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-art, or renewals thereof, or substitutes therefor, and further comprising; (3) any and all foreign patent applications which describe or claim said invention or any portion thereof, or which correspond to all or any part of said United States patent application or of any such division, continuation, continuation-in-part or renewal thereof or substitute therefor, and further comprising; (4) any and all patents obtained for said invention in the United States or any foreign country, or issuing out of said United States patent application, or out of any such foreign patent application or out of any division, continuation, continuation-in-part or renewal of (or substitute for) any such United States or foreign patent application, and further comprising; (5) any and all reissues or extensions of any such patents. Inventor also assigns to Corporation the right to claim priority of said Patent Rights under the International Convention.

Inventor warrants that he has not executed and will not execute any agreements in conflict herewith.

Inventor agrees that he will at any time, upon request, execute and deliver to Corporation any and all papers (including further assignments, patent applications, etc.) and do all other lawful acts requested by Corporation that may be deemed desirable by Corporation to perfect its title to said Patent Rights, or to perfect, maintain or enforce said Patent Rights in any country, or to disclaim to dedicate said Patent Rights or any portions thereof.

Inventor further agrees that he will at all times communicate to Corporation all facts known to him relative to said Patent Rights, when requested to do so by Corporation.

This entire Assignment inures to the benefit of Corporation, its successors and assigns, and is binding upon Inventor, his heirs, successors and legal representatives.

Dated: 10/7, 1998

William T. Turner
WILLIAM T. TURNER

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF _____)

On this _____ day of _____, 19__, before me _____, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared WILLIAM T. TURNER, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal.

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Notary Public