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## ASSIGNMENT

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## DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, I, RAYMOND GROSFILLEX of Rue de la Montagne, Oyonnax, France 01107, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a design for a <u>PANEL CONNECTING AND FINISHING STRIP</u> hereinafter the invention, for which I have made an application for DESIGN LETTERS PATENT OF THE UNITED STATES which was filed on <u>September 2, 1998</u> under application Serial No. 29/093,076.

AND WHEREAS, GROSFILLEX SARL, of Boite Postale 2, ARBENT, Oyonnax, France 01107, hereafter the Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest to any United States DESIGN LETTERS PATENT that may be granted for such application and the entire right, title and interest to make, use and sell the invention within the United States of America and its territorial possessions.

NOW, THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH, That for and in consideration of the sum of Ten French Francs, in hand paid to me, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby assign, sell and transfer to the Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to said application for DESIGN LETTERS PATENT of the United States, and in and to all divisions and continuations of said application, and in and to any DESIGN LETTERS PATENT of the United States and all reissues and extensions thereof that may be granted, together with all rights of priority granted by local laws and treaties including any international convention, for the protection of industrial property, together with the right to extend the protection for said U.S. DESIGN LETTERS PATENT to the various territorial possessions now owned or which may be hereafter acquired by the United States of America, all said rights to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its own use and behoof, and for the use and behoof of its successors or assigns, to the full end of the term for which said DESIGN LETTERS PATENT may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment sale had not been made. I do hereby request and authorize that any and all DESIGN LETTERS PATENT, when granted, be issued in accordance with this assignment to the Assignee.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this / day of / 29 october, 1998.	
Sign at Oyonnax, France,  RAYMOND GROSFILLEX	
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Signed and sealed in the presence of:	
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