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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, John E. RICHARD, 5648 Quilley Avenue Northeast, Rogers, Minnesota 55374, William J. NEPSHA, 12841 Van Buren Street Northeast, Blaine, Minnesota 55434, Timothy L. MULLEN, residing at 1040 Adam Drive, Hudson, Wisconsin 54016, Thomas R. HURNEY, residing at 1915 State Avenue, Anoka, Minnesota 55303, and Paul RUTHERFORD Jr., residing at An der Mauer 12, 75334 Straubenhardt, Germany, made certain new and useful inventions and improvements for which we filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on concurrently herewith, which is entitled ELECTRICAL ENCLOSURE HAVING IMPROVED SEALING AND SHIELDING COMPONENT AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE THEREOF.

AND WHEREAS, Hoffman Enclosures, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Minnesota, and having an office and place of business at 900 Ehlen Drive, Anoka, Minnesota 55303-7504 (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions, improvements and application and in and to the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest for all countries in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed in the aforesaid application, and in and to the application, all divisions, continuations, or renewals thereof, all Letters Patent which may be granted therefrom, and all reissues or extensions of such patents, and in and to any and all applications which have been or shall be filed in any foreign countries for Letters Patent on the inventions and improvements, including an assignment of all rights under the provisions of the International Convention, and all Letters Patent of foreign countries which may be granted therefrom; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patent for the aforesaid inventions and improvements to the Assignee as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the use of the Assignee, its successors and assigns.

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AND, furthermore we covenant and agree with said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by us and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by us.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF	, I have hereunto set my hand this 13 day of
October 198.	
	John Richard
	John R. RICHARD
STATE OF MINNESOTA)	
STATE OF MINNESOTA) ss. COUNTY OF ANOKA)	

On this 13 day of October 19 98, before me personally appeared John E. RICHARD to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,	I have hereunto set my hand this 13 day of
OCTOBER 1998.	
	William J. Nepska William J. NEPSHA
STATE OF MINNESOTA) COUNTY OF AND KA)	
On this/3_ day of	BEX, 1998 before me personally appeared William J.
NEPSHA to me known and known to me to be	the person described in and who executed the foregoing
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	Timothy L. MULLEN
STATE OF MINUE SOTTA)	
COUNTY OF HNOKA	
On this 13 day of Octo	BEN. 1998 before me personally appeared Timothy L.
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Thomas R. HURNEY
STATE OF MINNESOTA)
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HURNEY to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing
instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein
set forth.
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 9 day of
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Paul RUTHERFORD Jr.
STATE OF)
FEDERAL REPUBLIC) SS.
COUNTY OF OF GERMANY)
On this 9 day of October, 1998, before me personally appeared Paul
RUTHERFORD Jr. to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the
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