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## ASSIGNMENT

(Joint Inventors)

WHEREAS, We, Gerald R. Sizer, are the joint inventors of a Fishing Rod Application Ser. No., 29/090,041, Filed, June 29, 1998 for which we have prepared and on the day of May, 1998, executed an application for filing in the United States Patent Office preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor, and

WHEREAS, Outdoor Creations, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Minnesota, and having a principal place of business at 9355 Holly Street N.W., Coon Rapids, Minnesota, 55433 USA, hereinafter referred to as "Corporation", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention for the United States and for all foreign countries and in and to any and all foreign and domestic Letters Patent which may be granted therefore;

NOW, THEREFORE, To All Whom It May Concern, Be It Known, that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration to me in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Corporation, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and any foreign countries which may be granted therefore including our rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and in and to any and all extensions, divisions or reissues of said Letters Patent that may be granted, the same to be held and enjoyed by Corporation for its own use and behoof and use and behoof of its successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by myself had this assignment and sale not been made;

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, I materially represent to Corporation, its successors and assigns, that at the time of the execution and delivery of these presents, I am the lawful owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, application and Letters Patent above mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered, and that I have good right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth;

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, I hereby covenant and agree to and with Corporation, its successors and assigns, that whenever its counsel or the counsel of its successors or assigns, learned in the law, shall advise that an amendment or division of, or any continuation-in-part thereof, or any other proceeding in connection with the filing or prosecution of said domestic or foreign patent applications, including interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that a reissue or extension of said Letters Patent is lawful and desirable, I, or my executors, administrators or assigns will sign all papers and drawings, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement of valid Letters Patent for said invention, or for the reissue or extension of the same, without charge to Corporation, its successors or assigns, but at Corporations's expense.

I hereby request the Honorable Commissioner of Patents to issue the Letters Patent to corporation in accordance with this instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands on the 28 day of shot, 1998

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WITNESS

STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF ANOKA

On this 28th day of September, 1998, before me personally appeared second RSizer + Karl H. Lundstp me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that each executed the same as his free act and deed.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto affixed by official signature with the seal of my office, the day and year Melaniel Frommeng Notary Public.

above written.



**RECORDED: 12/11/1998** 

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