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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, William B. Dawson of Maple Grove, Hennepin County, Minnesota, have invented certain new and useful improvements in MORTARLESS RETAINING WALL BLOCK, for which an application for Letters Patent has been filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; said application having been executed on the date set forth below and which may be identified in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Serial No. 29/096,772 filed November 19, 1998; and

WHEREAS, Keystone Retaining Wall Systems, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Minnesota, and having a business address at 4444 West 78th Street, Edina, Minnesota 55435, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration to me in hand paid by the said Keystone Retaining Wall Systems, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Keystone Retaining Wall Systems, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and the Letters Patent, both foreign and domestic, that may or shall issue, including all of my entire right under the International Convention, and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to the above mentioned assignee in accordance herewith.

I hereby authorize said assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent, in its own name if desired, in any and all foreign countries, and additionally to claim the filing date of said United States applications and/or otherwise take advantage of the provisions of the International Convention.

Upon Said Consideration, I do hereby covenant and agree with the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that I or my executors or administrators will at any time upon request, without further consideration, but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors or assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as said Assignee, its successors or assigns, may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the Assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights occurring as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents.

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IN WITNESS WI	HEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 1999.  William B. Dawson
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