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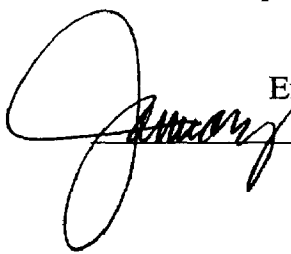
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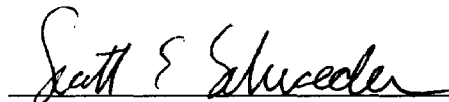
**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, Scott Schroeder, having an address of 4555 Eagle Bend Drive, Avon, Colorado 81620, am the inventor named in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, entitled SPORTS EQUIPMENT RACK, I hereby authorize the firm of Christensen O'Connor Johnson and Kindness<sup>PLLC</sup>, 1420 Fifth Avenue, Suite 2800, Seattle, Washington 98101, to insert here in parentheses (Application Serial No. 09/238,695, filed January 27, 1999) the application number and filing date of said application;

AND, WHEREAS, Patricia O'Neill and John C. Moore, individuals, having a residence and place of business at 1385 Westhaven Circle, Vail, Colorado 91657 (hereinafter collectively referred to as ASSIGNEE), are desirous of acquiring my entire right and title to and interest in my invention disclosed in said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for sufficient, good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE my entire right and title to and interest in said application and said invention, including the right to apply for international patents and patents thereon in foreign countries in my name or in the name of ASSIGNEE, said invention and all applications and patents on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had this sale, assignment and transfer not been made, and I do hereby further agree and promise to execute all instruments and render all such assistance as ASSIGNEE may request in order to make and prosecute any and all applications on said invention, to enforce any and all patents on said invention, and to confirm in ASSIGNEE legal title to said invention and all applications and patents on said invention, all without charge to ASSIGNEE but at no expense to me. I also acknowledge that this Assignment in no way supersedes, and is in compliance with my obligations under, the Agreement entered into between the parties on December 17, 1998, and entitled Assignment of Patent Rights.

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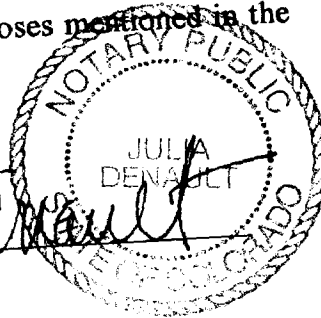
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