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Brian C. Opielski and Jerome C. Habeck

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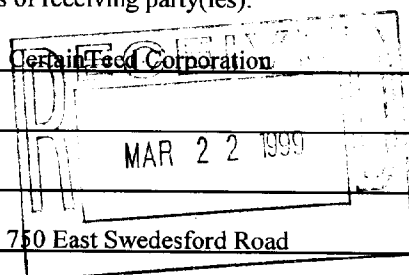
Name: Certain Feed Corporation

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 750 East Swedesford Road

City: Valley Forge State: PA ZIP: 19482

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A S S I G N M E N T

We, (1) Brian C. Opielski, and (2) Jerome C. Habeck, hereby declare that we are joint inventors of the invention relating to HALF-ROUND BASE WINDOW COMPONENT, described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America executed on 7/17/96 and 7/31/96.

For valuable consideration received, we hereby sell, assign, and transfer to CertainTeed Corporation, a Pennsylvania corporation, with its principal place of business located at 750 East Swedesfor Road, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania 19482, duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America, its successors, and assigns, our entire right, title, and interest, for all countries in and to said inventions, and all the rights and privileges under any and all applications and Letters Patents that may be granted therefore, and any divisions, continuations, reissues, and extensions thereof.

We agree that, when requested, we will, without charge to said Corporation but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, make all rightful declarations, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents or other forms of protection for said inventions in any and all countries, and for vesting title thereto in said Corporation, its successors, assigns or nominees.

We agree that we will communicate to said Corporation or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said inventions and, when requested by said Corporation and at its expense, will testify in any legal proceedings, and generally do everything possible to aid said Corporation, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives or nominees, to obtain or enforce proper protection for said inventions in any and all countries.

We authorize and empower said Corporation, its successors, assigns or nominees, to make application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions in its or their own name, or in our names, in any and all countries, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right or priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

We hereby consent that a copy of this Assignment shall be deemed a full, legal, and formal equivalent of any

Assignment, consent to file or like document, which may be required in any country for any purpose, and more particularly, in proof of the right of the said Corporation or its successors, assigns or nominees to apply for patent or other proper protection for said inventions, and to claim the aforesaid benefits of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

We covenant with CertainTeed Corporation, its successors, assigns, legal representatives, and nominees, that to the best of our knowledge the right, title, and interest herein conveyed by us, are free and clear of any incumbrance, and that we have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

Signed at _____ Dated _____

Inventor (1) *Brian C. Opielski*
Brian C. Opielski

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Malvern, Pennsylvania 19355

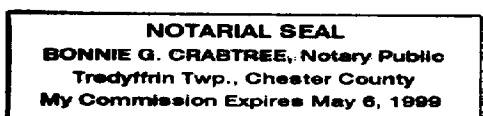
1st Witness *Jeffrey B. Hensch* *Jeffrey B. Hensch*
(Type or Print Name) (Signature)

2nd Witness *Carole A. Matthews* *Carole A. Matthews*
(Type or Print Name) (Signature)

This 18th day of July, 1996, before me personally came the above-named Brian C. Opielski, known as the individual who executed the foregoing Assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and Notarial seal the day and year immediately above-written.

Bonnie G. Crabtree
Notary Public



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Signed at TECH CENTER Dated 7-31-96
Inventor (2) Jerome C. Habeck
Jerome C. Habeck

Address 4128 Archwood Drive
Holt, Michigan 48842

1st Witness Timothy J Steller Timothy J Steller
(Type or Print Name) (Signature)

2nd Witness CINDY M DILLON Cindy M Dillon
(Type or Print Name) (Signature)

This 31st day of July, 1996, before me personally came the above-named Jerome C. Habeck, known as the individual who executed the foregoing Assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and Notarial seal the day and year immediately above-written.

Rose A. Miller
Notary Public

ROSE A. MILLER
Notary Public, Jackson Court,
My Commission Expires Aug. 30, 1998

Signed at Tech. Center Dated July 31, 1996