

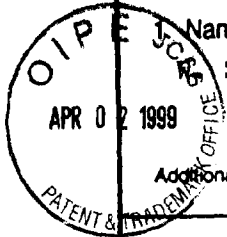
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To the Honorable Commissioner of

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3. Nature of conveyance:

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Name: Stimsonite Corporation

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 6565 West Howard Street

City: Niles State: IL ZIP: 60714-3804

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

09/231,197

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Signature

April 2, 1999
Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **Scott W. Thielman**, a citizen of the United States, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **Method and Apparatus for Embossing a Precision Pattern of Micro-Prismatic Elements in a Resinous Sheet or Laminate** for which I have executed and filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on January 14, 1999 under Serial No. 09/231,197 and


WHEREAS, **Stimsonite Corporation**, a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 6565 West Howard Street, Niles, Illinois 60714-3804, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and to said pending application and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, I, **Scott W. Thielman**, have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said **Stimsonite Corporation** the full and exclusive right to the invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof.

I HEREBY authorize and request the Patent and Trademark Office Officials in the United States and any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said **Stimsonite Corporation** as the assignee of my entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and enjoyment of said **Stimsonite Corporation** its successors and assigns.


FURTHER, I agree that I will communicate to said **Stimsonite Corporation**, or its representatives any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said **Stimsonite Corporation** make all rightful oaths and generally do everything necessary or desirable to aid said **Stimsonite Corporation**, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 23 day of March, 1999. *WST*


Scott Thielman

State of Illinois)
) S.S.:
County of Cook)

On this 23 day of MARCH, 1999, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared **Scott W. Thielman** who proved to me that he is the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.


Notary Public

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