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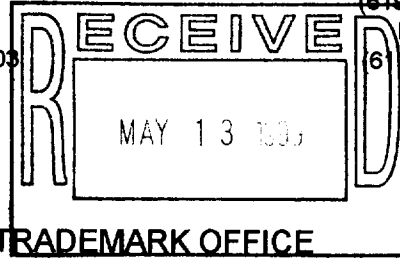
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Attorney Docket:	11203.30)

TRANSMITTAL OF ASSIGNMENT

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Sir:

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3. Nature of conveyance: Assignment

Execution Date: November 24, 1998

4. Application number:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40.00

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9. Statement and signature.

The undersigned declares that, to his best knowledge and belief, the information contained in this Transmittal of Assignment is correct, and that any attached copy of the Assignment is a true copy of the original document.

DATED this 10th day of May, 1999.

Respectfully submitted,



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ASSIGNMENT

I, Carter L. Penley of 9525 Fairbanks Avenue, San Diego, California 92123, have invented a method and apparatus entitled FLEXIBLE TIP FOR GOLF CLUB SHAFT, hereinafter called the "invention."

Preferred embodiments of said invention are disclosed in a United States patent application executed concurrently herewith by me and now identified as File No. 11203.30 of the law firm of Nydegger & Associates, 4350 La Jolla Village Drive, Suite 950, San Diego, California 92122, and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as Serial No. 09/ 187,671 filed November 6, 1998. (I hereby authorize the attorneys of Nydegger & Associates to insert said serial number and filing date when known.)

The Assignee, Penley Sports, LLC, California limited liability company, having a principal place of business at 5230 Carroll Canyon Road, Suite 310, San Diego, California 92121, desires to secure the entire right, title, and interest in said invention.

For good and valuable consideration paid to me by the Assignee, the receipt and sufficiency of which I hereby acknowledge, I HEREBY ASSIGN TO THE ASSIGNEE:

The entire right, title and interest in said invention in the above-identified United States patent application and in all divisions and continuations of said application, or reissues or extensions of Letters Patent or Patents granted thereon, and in all corresponding applications filed in countries foreign to the United States, and in all patents issuing thereon in the United States and Foreign countries.

The right to file foreign patent applications on said invention in its own name, wherever such right may be legally exercised, including the right to claim the benefits of the International Convention for such applications.

I hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and such Patent Office officials in foreign countries as are duly authorized by their patent laws to issue patents, to issue any and all patents on said invention to the

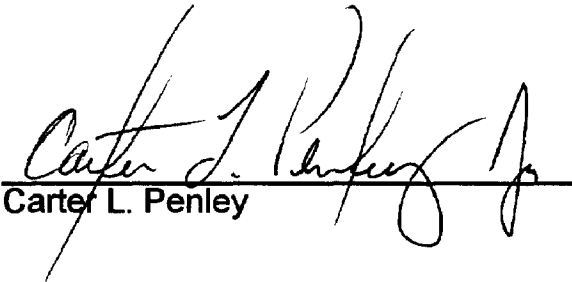
Assignee as the owner of the entire interest, for the sole use and behoof of the said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

I hereby agree, without further consideration and without expense to me, to sign all lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts which the Assignee may request of me to make this Assignment fully effective, including, by way of example but not of limitation, the following:

Prompt execution of all original, divisional, substitute, reissue, and other United States and foreign patent applications on said invention, and all lawful documents requested by the Assignee to further the prosecution of any of such patent applications.

Cooperation to the best of my ability in the execution of all lawful documents, the production of evidence, nullification, reissue, extension, or infringement proceedings involving said invention.

This assignment and agreement shall be binding upon my heirs and legal representatives.


Carter L. Penley

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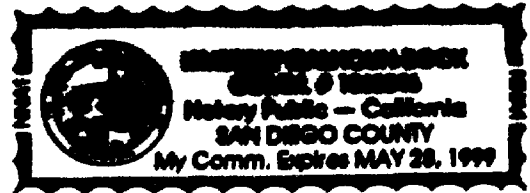
STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO)

On November 24, 1998, before me, Kimberly Calhoun-Peck, Notary Public, personally appeared Carter Lee Penley, Jr., proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.



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