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CONFIRMATION AND ASSIGNMENT

I, Cornelius Frederik SOUISA who resides respectively at:

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have made certain inventions or discoveries (or both) set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America entitled:

"BOARD LOCK FOR ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR"

which application is identified by The Whitaker Corporation File Number 40579 US and British Patent Application No. 9621497.8 filed the 15th day of October, 1996,

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and which, together with its successors and assigns is hereinafter called "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits and privileges hereinafter recited, and of confirming the same or part thereof heretofore acquired by Assignee.

Now, therefore, for valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to me, receipt and sufficiency of which I hereby acknowledge, without reservation:

1. Confirm that the ownership in the said inventions and discoveries resides in Assignee by virtue of the operation of law in respect of a contract of employment made between Assignee of the one part and myself of the other part and I assign and convey to and confirm in Assignee the entirety of any right, title and interest that I may have in and to said inventions and discoveries, said international application, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions and discoveries in whatsoever countries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation and Convention applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or discoveries or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patent and reissues and extensions of Letters Patent granted for said inventions and discoveries, said applications and said Letters Patent;

2. Authorize Assignee to file patent applications in any or all countries on any or all of said inventions and discoveries in my name or in the name of Assignee or otherwise as Assignee may deem advisable, under the International Convention or otherwise;

3. Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein or otherwise as Assignee may direct;

4. Warrant that I have not knowingly conveyed to others any right in said inventions, discoveries, applications or patent or any license to use the same or to make, use or sell anything embodying or utilizing any of said inventions or discoveries, and that I have good right to assign the same to Assignee without encumbrance;

5. Bind my heirs and legal representatives, as well as myself, to do, upon Assignee's request and at its expense, but without additional consideration to me or them, all acts reasonably serving to assure that the said inventions and discoveries, the said patent applications and the said Letters Patent shall be held and enjoyed by Assignee as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by me or my heirs or representatives if this assignment had not been made; and particularly to execute and deliver to Assignee all oaths, and all assignments, disclaimers, and lawful affidavits in form and substance as may be requested by Assignee; to communicate to Assignee all facts

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The effective date of this instrument is the 15th day of October, 1996.

In testimony whereof I have affixed my signature.

Inventor 1: 

Date: 3/2/99.

Seen for legalization of the signature, seen above, of Cornelis Frederik Souisa, residing at Vught, The Netherlands, by me, Albin Adriaan van Gastel, civil law notary at The Hague, The Netherlands, this day, the fifth of February nineteen hundred and ninety-nine




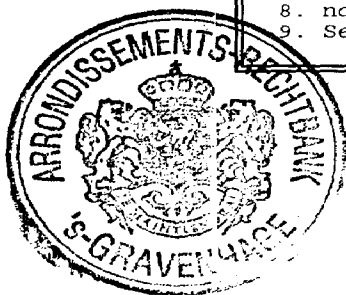
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