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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I. Donal Moore, hereinafter referred to as Assignor, of 2190 Northlawn, Birmingham, Michigan 48009, am the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to: U.S. Patent No. 5,772,370 issued June 30, 1998 for a RETRACTABLE AND/OR REMOVABLE NET TYPE CARGO RESTRAINING SYSTEM; Canadian Patent Application No. 2,238,044 filed on November 21, 1996 for a RETRACTABLE AND/OR REMOVABLE NET TYPE CARGO RESTRAINING SYSTEM; European Patent Application No. 96942794.7 for a RETRACTABLE AND/OR REMOVABLE NET TYPE CARGO RESTRAINING SYSTEM: International Application No. PCT/US96/18762 for a RETRACTABLE AND/OR REMOVABLE NET TYPE CARGO RESTRAINING SYSTEM; U.S. Patent Application S.N. 08/979,603 filed November 26, 1997 for a RETRACTABLE AND/OR REMOVABLE NET TYPE CARGO RESTRAINING SYSTEM; U.S. Provisional Application S.N. 60/142,782 filed on July 8, 1999 for LOAD RETAINING BARRIER NET FOR MOTOR. VEHICLE; U.S. Patent No. 5,685,470 issued November 11, 1997 for a REMOVABLE STORAGE APPARATUS; International Application No. PCT/US97/10671 for a REMOVABLE STORAGE APPARATUS; U.S. Patent Application S.N. 08/980,085 filed November 26, 1997 for an AUTOMOTIVE STORAGE NET AND EDGE MOUNTED CLIP FOR INSTALLATION THEREOF; U.S. Provisional Application S.N. 60/143,066 filed July 9, 1999 for a HEAT SHRINK SYNTHETIC MESH STRUCTURE; U.S. Patent Application S.N. 09/358,079 filed July 21, 1999 for a HEAT SHRINK SYNTHETIC MESH STRUCTURE; and of the inventions described therein;

WHEREAS, Polytech Netting, L.P., hereinafter referred to as Assignee, a Limited Partnership of Texas having a place of business at 631 East Big Beaver Road, Suite 207, Troy, Michigan 48083, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions and said patents and patent applications in the United States of America and all countries throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, Assignor by these presents does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee in the United States of America and all foreign countries throughout the world all right, title, and interest in and to said inventions, said patents and said patent applications, including in and to any improvement(s) on said inventions heretofore or hereafter made, and any continuations or divisionals of said patent applications, and all patents, U.S. and foreign, granted upon any such applications or for the inventions described therein, and any reexaminations, reissues or extensions of said patents, including the right to recover for past damages, such right extending in the United States of America and all foreign countries throughout the world, such right to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its own use and enjoyment and for the use and enjoyment of its successors and assigns to the full end of the term or terms for which any Letters Patents that are now or may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this assignment, transfer and sale had not been made;

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Assignor hereby consents that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal 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 said Assignee or nominee to claim the aforesaid benefit 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;

Assignor agrees that, when requested, he will, without charge to the Assignce but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for the inventions in any and all countries, and for vesting title thereto in the Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees;

Assignor covenants with said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any incumbrance, and that Assignor has full right to convey the same as herein expressed;

Signed and sealed this 24 777 day of November, 1999.

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