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Yes
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Yes

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Brian J. Babka, residing at 891 Trail 12, Hudson, Wisconsin 54016, Dave R. Bogenhagen, residing at 650 7th Street, North Hudson, Wisconsin 54016, Todd W. Bruchu, residing at 3150 Klondike Avenue, Lake Elmo, Minnesota 55042, James Robert Harger, residing at 3215 Alta Vista Road, Rockford, Illinois 61107, Thomas Michael Wright, residing at 6834 Safford Road, Rockford, Illinois 61101 and Arthur Raymond King, IV, residing at 10833 Banyan Drive, Machesney Park, Illinois 61115, made certain new and useful inventions and improvements for which we filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on June 30, 1999, application Serial No. 09/343,343, which is entitled CASEMENT LOCK.

AND WHEREAS, ANDERSEN CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Minnesota, and having an office and place of business at 100 Fourth Avenue North, Bayport, Minnesota 55003–1096 (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions, improvements and application and in and to the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest for all countries in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed in the aforesaid application, and in and to the application, all divisions, continuations, or renewals thereof, all Letters Patent which may be granted therefrom, and all reissues or extensions of such patents, and in and to any and all applications which have been or shall be filed in any foreign countries for Letters Patent on the inventions and improvements, including an assignment of all rights under the provisions of the International Convention, and all Letters Patent of foreign countries which may be granted therefrom; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patent for the aforesaid inventions and improvements to the Assignee as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the use of the Assignee, its successors and assigns.

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, we do hereby agree that we and our executors and legal representatives will make, execute and deliver any and all other instruments in writing including any and all further application papers, affidavits, assignments and other documents, and will communicate to said Assignee, its successors and representatives all facts known to us relating to said

PATENT REEL: 010284 FRAME: 0925 improvements and the history thereof and will testify in all legal proceedings and generally do all things which may be necessary or desirable more effectually to secure to and vest in said Assignee, its successors or assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements, inventions, applications, Letters Patent, rights, titles, benefits, privileges and advantages hereby sold, assigned and conveyed, or intended so to be.

AND, furthermore we covenant and agree with said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by us and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by us.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this / day of
September, 1999.
Brian J. Babka
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STATE OF Mimes sta
STATE OF Minner sta) ss. COUNTY OF Washington)
On this 10th day of Sept., 1999, before me personally appeared Brian J.
Babka to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing
instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein
set forth.
[SEAL]

Notary Public

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this <u>ZO</u> day of <u>september</u> , 1999.
Dave R. Bogenhagen
STATE OF Municopa) ss. COUNTY OF Washington)
On this 20 th day of September, 1999, before me personally appeared Dave R.
Bogenhagen to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the
foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and
purposes therein set forth.
REBECCA S. JOHNSON NOTARY PUBLIC - MINNESOTA My Comm. Expires Jan. 31, 2005
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 15 day of September, 1999.
Todd W. Bruchu
STATE OF Managers
STATE OF Minnesoto) ss. COUNTY OF Mashington)
On this 15th day of Systemlar, 1991, before me personally appeared Todd W.
Bruchu to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing
instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein
set forth.
[SEAL] Notary Public
REBECCA S. JOHNSON ENDITED TO MINNESOTA MY Comm. Expires Jan. 31, 2005

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 3/ day of
<u>Caegust</u> , 19 <u>99</u> .
Daniel Daniel
James R. Harger
STATE OF Stances)
STATE OF <u>Illencie</u>)) ss. COUNTY OF <u>Winnebago</u>)
On this 3/5 day of Queent, 1999, before me personally appeared James R.
Harger to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing
instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein
set forth.
"OFFICIAL SEAL" CHARLOTTE MacDOUGALL
[SEAL] CHARLOTTE MacDOUGALL Notary Public, State of Illinois My Commission Expires 11/01/00 Notary Public Notary Public
My Commission Expires 11/01/00 Notary Public
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this _3/_ day of
AULUST, 1999.
Then I'm
Thomas M. Wright
STATE OF Illinoin) ss.
STATE OF
COUNTY OF Wendows)
O Company of the Comp
On this 3/5/ day of August, 1999, before me personally appeared Thomas M.
Wright to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing
instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein
set forth.
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 31 day of Hucust, 19 79. Arthur R. King, IV
STATE OF <u>Illinois</u>) ss. COUNTY OF <u>Winnebago</u>
On this 3/St day of August, 1999, before me personally appeared Arthur R.
King, IV to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing
instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein
set forth.
[SEAL] CHARLOTTE MacDOUGALL [SEAL] Notary Public, State of Illinois Charloth MacDougle

My Commission Expires 11/01/00 Notary Public

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