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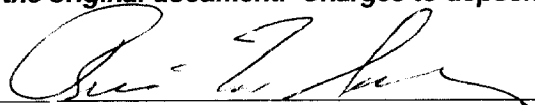
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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, We, FRANK W. HETMAN, JR., and JOHN E. BOWER, residing at 7014 Dakota Avenue, Chanhassen, Minnesota, 55317, and 3505 Grimes Avenue North, Robbinsdale, MN, 55422, respectively, are the inventors and owners of the entire right, title, and interest in and to certain improvements in an invention for UNIVERSAL SASH TETHER CLASP AND ANCHORING APPARATUS FOR WINDOW COUNTERBALANCING SYSTEM, disclosed in our application for United States Letters Patent executed by us of even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, Mon-Ray, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Minnesota and having its principal place of business at 8224 Olson Memorial Highway, Minneapolis, MN, 55427, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and in and to the said application for any and all countries, and in and to any and all Letters Patent and in and to any and all Design Letters Patent of any and all countries which may be granted thereon;

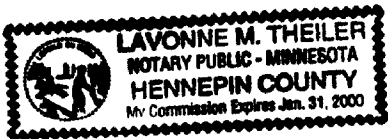
NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), in hand paid to us by the said Mon-Ray, Inc., and for other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, we hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto Mon-Ray, Inc., its successors, and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest, legal and equitable, in and to said invention and in and to the application for United States Letters Patent and in and to any and all Letters Patent or Design Letters Patent of any and all countries which may be granted thereon; and the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue, in accordance with this Assignment, any and all Letters Patent and any and all Design Letters Patent which may be granted on said invention.

Signed at Mon-Roy, Inc., Minnesota, this 29th day of OCTOBER, 1999.

Frank W. Hetman, Jr.

STATE OF MINNESOTA]
COUNTY OF Hennepin] SS

On this 29th day of October, 1999, before me, a Notary Public within and for said county, personally appeared Frank W. Hetman, Jr., to me known to be the identical person who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.



Laverne M. Thaler
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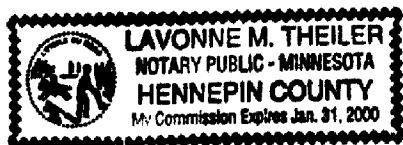
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Signed at Mon-Roy, Inc, Minnesota, this 29th day of October, 1999.

John E. Bower
John E. Bower

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On this 29th day of October, 1999, before me, a Notary Public within and for said county, personally appeared John E. Bower, to me known to be the identical person who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.



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