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ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT, made by me, **Terry Edward Frye**, a citizen of United States of America, residing at 106 Settlers Circle, Cary, North Carolina 27513;

WITNESSETH: That,

WHEREAS, I am the sole inventor of certain new and useful improvements in **HAND-HELD APPARATUS FOR INSTALLING FLASHOVER PROTECTION COVERS ON ENERGIZED ELECTRICAL CONDUCTORS AND EQUIPMENT** for which an application for United States Letters Patent has been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on **March 3, 2000**, under Serial No. **09/519,378**, and

WHEREAS, **TYCO ELECTRONICS CORPORATION**, a Pennsylvania corporation having a principal place of business at 2901 Fulling Mill Road, Middletown, Pennsylvania 17057-3163, hereinafter referred to as assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention as described in said application, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which shall be granted therefor in the United States of America and all foreign countries;

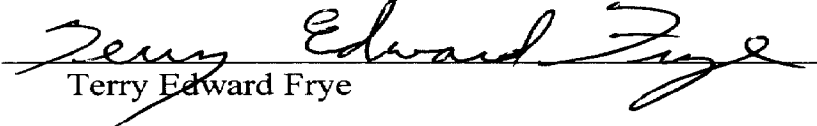
NOW, THEREFORE, To Whom It May Concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and convey unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and application, and in and to any and all subsequent patent applications which claim priority from said application including regular utility, and continuations and continuations-in-part, or divisions thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America and all foreign countries or reissues or other forms of protection thereof which may be granted for or on applications claiming priority from said application, for the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted along with any term extensions thereon or therefor, together with the right to claim the priority of said application in all foreign countries in accordance with the International Convention, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment and sale had not been made.

I hereby request that said Letters Patent be issued in accordance with this assignment.

I further covenant and agree that, at the time of the execution and delivery of these presents, I possess full title to the invention and application above-mentioned, and that I have the unencumbered right and authority to make this assignment.

I further covenant and agree to communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to me relating to said invention, to testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said invention, to execute any additional papers which may be requested to confirm the right of the assignee, its representatives, successors, or assigns to secure patent or similar protection for said invention in all countries and to vest in the assignee complete title to said invention and Letters Patent, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee, its successors, assigns, and other legal representatives; and I hereby instruct, and further covenant and agree to bind my heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to do same, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee or its representatives.

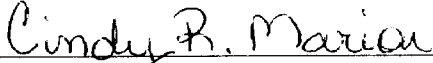
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 26 day of June, 2000.

 (SEAL)
Terry Edward Frye

North Carolina
Wake County

I, Cindy R. Marion, a Notary Public for said County and State, do hereby certify that Terry Edward Frye personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal, this the 26 day of June, 2000.


Notary Public

My Commission expires 2-13-2005.