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ASSIGNMENT

THIS INSTRUMENT OF ASSIGNMENT WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, we, JOHN F. KLEBES and ROBERT L. CONSTANT

residents of 157 Thalia Drive, Feeding Hills, MA 01030; and
12 Crawford Drive, Westfield, MA 01085;

respectively, have invented improvements in

A SECURITY APPARATUS FOR USE IN A FIREARM

for which we have executed on even date herewith an application for Letters
Patent of the United States, and

WHEREAS, SMITH & WESSON CORP.

a corporation of the State of Delaware

having a place of business at 2100 Roosevelt Avenue
Springfield, Massachusetts 01102-2208

is desirous of acquiring an interest in said invention, said application and the
Letters Patent to be issued therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for
and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR to each in hand paid and other
good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,
we have sold, assigned and set over, and do hereby sell, assign and set over to
said corporation, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest to
and in said invention in the United States and in all foreign countries, said United
States application for Letters Patent therefor and the Letters Patent when issued;
and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patent and
Trademarks to issue the Letters Patent based upon said application to said
corporation as the assignees of our entire right, title and interest to and in the
same, for the sole use and behoof of said corporation, its successors or assigns.

STATE OF Massachusetts)
) ss:
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On this 31 day of July , 2000, before me, the subscriber,
personally came, ROBERT L. CONSTANT, to me known and known to be the
same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and duly
acknowledged that he executed the same.

Lisa M. Gurdstrom

Notary Public

My Commission
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