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e: PELLA CORPORATION

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Street Address: 102 Main

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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, **FITCH INC.**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Ohio and having its principal place of business at 10350 Olentangy River Road, Worthington, Ohio 43085 is the owner by assignment from **FRANK R. WILGUS** of a one-sixth undivided interest in certain new and useful improvements in

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for which application for Design Letters Patent of the United States is about to be made; and

WHEREAS, **PELLA CORPORATION**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of **Iowa** and having its principal place of business at 102 Main Street, Pella, Iowa 50219, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest of **FITCH INC.** in, to and under said invention, said application and any and all Design Letters Patent which may be granted for or upon said invention in the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, **FITCH INC.**, has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto said **PELLA CORPORATION** the full and exclusive right, title and interest of **FITCH INC.**, throughout the world, in, to and under the following:

(a) said invention as fully set forth and described in the application for Design Letters Patent of the United States that is about to be filed on the invention and identified under attorney **Dkt. No. D30399**;

(b) said application;

- (c) any and all refilings, divisions, and continuations of said application;
- (d) any and all Design Letters Patent of the United States of America which may issue from said application, refilings, divisions and continuations;
- (e) any and all reissues of said Design Letters Patent of the United States of America;
- (f) any and all applications for Design Letters Patent upon said invention which have heretofore been filed or may hereafter be filed in any and all countries foreign to the United States of America, together with all rights to file and to claim priority in connection with said foreign-filed applications;
- (g) any and all refilings, divisions and continuations of said foreign-filed applications;
- (h) any and all Design Letters Patent of countries foreign to the United States of America which may issue from the said foreign-filed applications, refilings, divisions and continuations; and
- (i) any and all extensions of, and additions to, said Design Letters Patent of countries foreign to the United States of America.

ALL of the above shall be held and enjoyed by said **PELLA CORPORATION** for its own use and behoof, and for its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Design Letters Patent may be granted, and **FITCH INC.** does hereby authorize and

request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Design Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment.

**FITCH INC.**

Date: 10-12-00

Authorized Signature

Printed Name

Title

STATE OF OHIO )  
                                   ) ss.  
 County of DELAWARE

On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of OCTOBER, 2000, before me personally appeared FRANK WILGUS, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

My Commission expires:  
 GLORIA D. BROOKS  
 NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF OHIO  
 My Comm. Expires Dec. 10, 2001  
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Gloria D. Brooks  
 Notary Public