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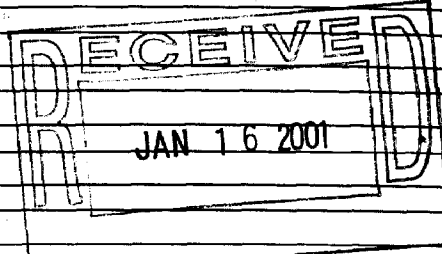
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, International Window Fashions, L.L.C. (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"),
is the owner of record in the United States Patent and Trademark Office for Serial No.
29/041,420, filed July 13, 1995.

Comfortex Window Fashions, having its principal office and place of business at
21 Elm Street, Maplewood, New York 12189 (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of
acquiring all right, title and interest in, to and under said aforementioned patent and the
invention covered thereby (hereinafter the "PROPERTY").

Therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt thereof which is
hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and does hereby
sell, assign, transfer and set over to ASSIGNEE the aforementioned PROPERTY and the
invention covered thereby, the same to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE for its own use and
enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and other legal
representatives, to the end of the terms for which the said PROPERTY has been or will be
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this assignment and sale had not been made; together with all claims by ASSIGNOR for
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same for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns or other
legal representatives.

ASSIGNOR agrees that it will, by its officers, employees, legal representatives or
other persons duly authorized, communicate to ASSIGNEE or the representatives thereof any
facts known to it respecting said inventions, and will, upon request, testify in any legal

proceedings, sign all lawful papers, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by ASSIGNEE or by counsel for ASSIGNEE, to assist or enable ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. ASSIGNOR additionally agrees to execute short form copies of this assignment or portions thereof regarding any or all of the aforementioned PROPERTY, as required by ASSIGNEE in the future.

ASSIGNOR agrees to waive all rights and privileges to attack the utility, novelty or validity of the aforesaid existing patent which ASSIGNOR has assigned as against any one claiming a right under the aforementioned PROPERTY under ASSIGNOR's assignment or grant.

ASSIGNOR warrants that it is the owner of the PROPERTY listed on this attached schedule, and that the PROPERTY is free of all liens, security interests, claims or other encumbrances except where specifically noted. Where a patent is subject to a license, the license shall be identified by date of the agreement and the names of the parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, International Window Fashions, L.L.C. has caused its
name to be signed by its duly authorized representative and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto
this _____ day of _____, 2000.

**INTERNATIONAL WINDOW
FASHIONS, L.L.C.**

By *Thomas J. Marysak*
Title *President*

State of New York :
County of Rensselaer : SS:

On this 11th day of January, 2000 before me personally came

THOMAS J. MARYSAK to me known, who being duly sworn, did depose and say that he is

OFFICER OF RECORD of International Window Fashions, L.L.C., and that he executed the above

assignment on behalf of said corporation with authority to do so.

Judith A. Rowe
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