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Kirt E. Whiteside, Terry L. Whiteside  
and W. Gordon Dallas

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## 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Whiteside Mfg. Co.  
Address: 309 Hayes Street  
Delaware, Ohio 43015

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?

☐ Yes  
☒ No

## 3. Nature of conveyance:

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Kirt E. Whiteside**, of Marion, County of Marion, and State of Ohio; **Terry L. Whiteside**, of Delaware, County of Delaware, and State of Ohio; and, **W. Gordon Dallas**, of Ashland, County of Ashland and State of Ohio, have invented a new, original and ornamental design for a **BASE FOR A WHEELED CHAIR**, for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Whiteside Mfg. Co., a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Ohio and having its principal office and place of business at 309 Hayes Street, Delaware, Ohio 43015, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in, to and under any application directed thereto and any Letters Patent of the United States or foreign countries which may be obtained therefor:

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

BE IT KNOWN that in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration received by us from Whiteside Mfg. Co., aforesaid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said Kirt E. Whiteside, Terry L. Whiteside and W. Gordon Dallas, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over unto Whiteside Mfg. Co., aforesaid, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and all foreign countries and in, to and under the application for Letters Patent of the United States therefor, executed by us on the 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> days of February, 2001, and in, to and under any reissue, divisional, continuing or substitute application thereof or any corresponding application filed in a foreign country, and in, to and under any Letters Patent that may be issued for said invention in the United States or in any foreign country; and we do hereby covenant and agree for ourselves and our legal representatives to assist our said assignee in the prosecution of the said application or applications and in any interference or litigation which may arise involving our said invention or the said patent or patents, and to execute any reissue application thereon, or any divisional, continuing, substitute, or foreign application based on or corresponding to the above specifically

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identified application, as may be requested by our said assignee, and we do hereby  
authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said  
Letters Patent of the United States upon the above specifically identified application for  
said invention to Whiteside Mfg. Co., aforesaid, as assignee of our entire right, title and  
interest in and to the same for the sole use and behoof of our assignee, its successors  
and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this

12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2001.

*Kurt E. Whiteside*  
Kurt E. Whiteside

  
Terry L. Whiteside

W. Gordon Dallas

STATE OF OHIO )  
 )ss  
COUNTY OF Monroe )

I, Debra K. Curren, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that **Kirt E. Whiteside**, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal,  
this 12 day of February, 2001.

**DEBRA K. CURREN**  
**Notary Public - State of Ohio**  
**My Commission Expires Feb. 16, 2004**

Delro K. Curren  
Notary Public

STATE OF OHIO )  
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COUNTY OF Morrow )



I, Debra K. Curren, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that **Terry L. Whiteside**, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal,  
this 12 day of February, 2001.

**DEBRA K. CURREN**  
Notary Public - State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires Feb. 16, 2004

Debra K. Curren  
Notary Public

STATE OF OHIO )  
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COUNTY OF )

I, E. Mara Morrison, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that **W. Gordon Dallas**, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal,  
this 20th day of February, 2001.

E. Mara Morrison  
Notary Public

**E. MARA MORRISON**  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires June 13, 2005