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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Gregory M. Cruise and Olexander Hnojewyj

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

Name: Advanced Closure Systems

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 735 Palomar Avenue

City: Sunnyvale State: CA ZIP: 94086

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
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Execution Date: January 22, 1999

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Patent Application No.(s)

09/187,384  
(11/06/1998)

B. Patent No.(s)

09756238

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ 40.00

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Daniel D. Ryan

Name of Person Signing

Signature

July 16, 1999

Date

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## ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS**, Gregory M. Cruise of Fremont, California and Olex Hnojewyj of Saratoga, California (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), have invented and own a certain invention entitled Systems and Methods for Applying Cross-Linked Mechanical Barriers for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been executed on even date herewith (attorney's Docket No. 1849.16102-B);

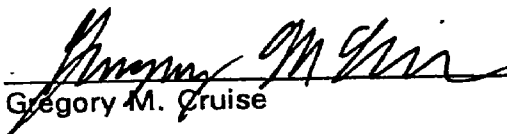
**WHEREAS**, Advanced Closure Systems, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

**NOW THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:** Be it known that in consideration of the payment of ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNORS hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale;

ASSIGNORS further covenant that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNORS and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal this 22 day of January, 1999.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Gregory M. Cruise

State of CALIFORNIA )  
County of SANTA CLARA ) ss.

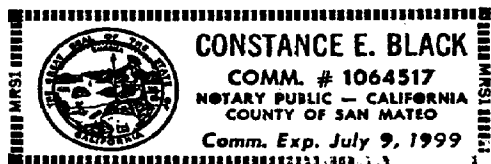
Personally appeared before me this 22 day of JANUARY, 1999,  
the above named Gregory M. Cruise, to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing  
Assignment and acknowledged the same as his free act and deed.

Constance E. Black

Notary Public

My commission expires July 9, 1999

(Seal)



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IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal this 22 day  
of Jan, 1999.

Alexander Hnojewyj

Alex Hnojewyj

ALEXANDER *af*

State of CALIFORNIA )  
County of SANTA CLARA ) ss.

Personally appeared before me this 22 day of JANUARY, 1999,  
the above named Olex Hnojewyj, to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing  
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