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WHEREAS, we, Thomas R. O'Connor of Greenfield, Wisconsin, and Chad M. Kernats of Colgate, Wisconsin, have made certain inventions which are described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled TELESCOPING COVER BUMPER, executed by us on even date herewith preparatory to obtaining United States Letters Patent therefor, and

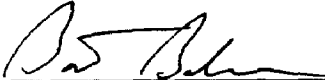
WHEREAS, A & A Mfg. Co. Inc., a Wisconsin corporation having a place of business at New Berlin, Wisconsin (hereinafter called "Company"), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in said inventions throughout the United States of America and the territories thereof and for all foreign countries,

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Company, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the United States of America and the territories thereof and for all foreign countries, in and to said inventions, the aforesaid application, and all other applications hereafter filed in the United States or any other country based in whole or in part on said inventions, and all Letters Patent granted upon said applications by the United States or any other country, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to said Company. We further grant to said Company, its successors and assigns, the right to claim for any of said applications the full benefits and priority rights of any international agreement between the United States and any foreign country or countries.


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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the location and on the date indicated below our signatures.

WITNESSES:

  
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THOMAS R. O'CONNOR

 (SEAL)

Dated: April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2001

