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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Dennis Eugene Nixon, Sr., a United States citizen residing at 828 Fox Chapel Road, Duncansville, PA 16635 (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR") is the inventor of certain inventions or improvements for a FRAMING STRUCTURE FOR OPENINGS, PARTICULARLY DOORWAY SIDE LIGHTS, for which he has on even date herewith executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States; and,

WHEREAS, Signature Door Co. Inc., a corporation of Pennsylvania having a place of business at 401 Juniata Street, Altoona, PA 16602 (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions or improvements and in and to said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in the United States or elsewhere;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, ASSIGNOR agrees and does hereby sell, assign and convey to said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions or improvements and said application and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof, including continuations, divisions, renewals, substitutes and like counterparts for said application, and including in the United States and its possessions and territories and all other countries, the same to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent respectively may be granted, reissued or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR, had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made.

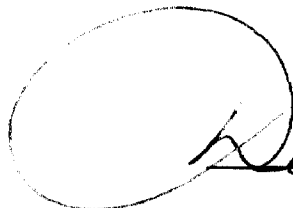
AND ASSIGNOR covenants that he has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that he has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and further covenants and agrees each time request is made, without undue delay to execute and deliver all such papers as may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said inventions or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent in said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, nominees, or legal representatives, and to communicate to said ASSIGNEE, or to their nominee all known facts respecting said inventions or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent, to testify in

any legal proceedings, to sign all lawful papers, to execute all disclaimers and divisional, continuing, and reissue applications, to make all rightful oaths, and generally to do everything possible to aid said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, nominees and legal representatives to obtain and enforce for their own benefit proper patent protection for said inventions or improvements in the United States and its possessions and territories and in all other countries which ASSIGNEE in its discretion may choose to pursue;

AND ASSIGNOR authorizes and requests the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue to said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest, in and to any and all Letters Patent for said inventions or improvements, including any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued and granted on or as a result of the application aforesaid, in accordance with the terms of this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, ASSIGNOR has set his hand and seal, intending to be legally bound.

Dated: 4-26-01


Dennis E. Nixon, Sr.
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