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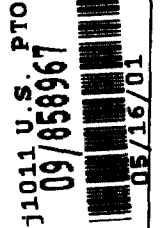
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ASSIGNMENT

Whereas I, JAY DITTMER, with residence and citizenship as indicated below; have made an invention in

SELF-BALANCING MOUNTING SYSTEM FOR A FLAT PANEL DISPLAY

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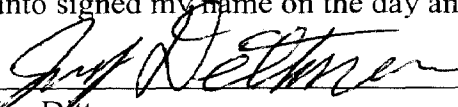
and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America based thereon;

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, I have agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto Chief Manufacturing, Inc ("Company"), a corporation of Minnesota, having its principal office at 12800 Highway 13 South, Suite 500, Savage, MN 55378, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and application, and in and to any division or continuation (in whole or in part) of said application, and in and to any and all improvements in said invention made by me or made jointly with others (provided any such improvement is made during, or within one year after the termination of, the employment by said Company of whichever of us, solely or jointly with one or more others, has made the same), and in and to any and all Letters Patent, reexaminations, reissues, or extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted thereon or on any divisional, continuation (in whole or in part), renewal, reexamination, reissue, or other or further application based in whole or in part upon said invention or improvements thereon, to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by me had this assignment and transfer not been made;

I do further agree for myself and for my heirs, executors, and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments, and documents, and to perform such other acts as I lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its right, title, and interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in any and all countries;

And I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon any of said applications, to said Company, as the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein.

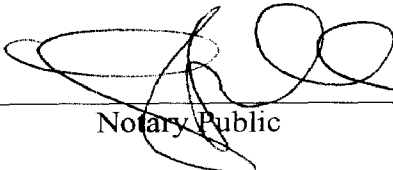
In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name on the day and year set forth below.


Jay Dittmer
15676 Hampshire Avenue
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United States of America

5-10-01
Date

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Dakota)

On this 10th day of May, 2001, before me personally appeared JAY DITTMER, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.


Notary Public

