



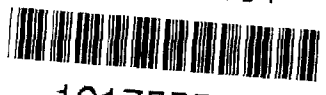
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WHEREAS, John T. FORBIS a citizen of the United States of America having a post office address of 2719 North Division Avenue, York, Nebraska 68467, has invented a method and apparatus entitled FENCE PANEL, hereinafter called the "invention," preferred embodiments of which are disclosed in a United States continuation patent application executed on March 14, 2001, and being assigned application serial no. 29/138,099, and filed on March 6, 2001 and for which U.S. Patent No. _____ was granted on _____ and identified as File No. T5094.DIV.CON.F of the law firm, Clayton, Howarth & Cannon, P.C., P.O. Box 1909, Sandy, Utah 84091 (I hereby authorize the attorneys of Clayton, Howarth & Cannon, P.C. to insert said serial number, filing date and execution date when known).

WHEREAS, Assignee Kroy Building Products, Inc., a Delaware corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, located at P.O. Box 636, York, Nebraska 68467, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the invention;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid to us by the Assignee,

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the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I

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I hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and such Patent Office officials in foreign countries as are duly authorized by their patent laws to issue patents, to issue any and all patents on said invention to the Assignee as the owner of the entire interest, for the sole use and behoof of the said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

I hereby agree, without further consideration and without expense to me, to sign all lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts which the Assignee, or the Assignee's successors, assigns and legal representatives may request of me to make this Assignment fully effective, including, by way of example but not of limitation, the following:

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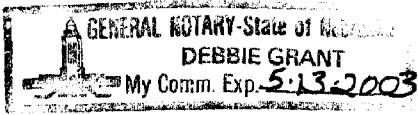
This assignment and agreement shall be binding upon my heirs and legal representatives.

Executed this 14 day of March, 2001, at York NE.
(City, State)

John T. Forbis
John T. FORBIS

STATE OF Nebraska)
) : ss.
COUNTY OF York)

On March 14, 2001, before me personally appeared John T. FORBIS, known to me to be the person described and who signed the foregoing Assignment in my presence and acknowledged under oath before me that he has read the same and knows the contents thereof and that he executed the same as his free act and deed and for the purposes set forth therein.



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