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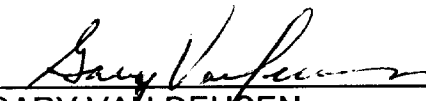
For the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, GARY VAN DEUSEN, of 1226 Meadow Lane, Hillsdale, Michigan 49242, County of Hillsdale and State of Michigan, do hereby assign, sell and set over to THE SHANE GROUP, INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan and having a place of business at P.O. Box 765, Hillsdale, Michigan 49242-0765, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, domestic and foreign, in and to the inventions and discoveries in the U.S. patent application entitled TRIPLE BEDWAY PLAYGROUND SLIDE (Attorney Docket No. SHG-9858), which application was executed by me on the 23rd day of May, 2001, and in and to all Letters Patent to be obtained for said inventions and discoveries by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and to Letters Patent obtained on any reissue or re-examination thereof, including the right of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives to make applications and receive Letters Patent for said inventions and discoveries in any and all foreign countries in its own name, or in my name, at its election, and I hereby assign, sell and set over to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, all rights of priority in and to said inventions and discoveries in all countries.

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And I hereby authorize my attorneys, Duncan F. Beaman, Reg. No. 18,235; Thomas N. Young, Reg. No. 20,985; Jason J. Young, Reg. No. 34,048; Marshall G. MacFarlane, Reg. No. 30,403; Todd L. Moore, Reg. No. 36,874; and Christopher A. Mitchell, Reg. No. 40,729 to enter the Serial No. and filing date of the application on this paper when known.

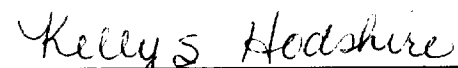
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