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**ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION**

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WHEREAS, Stuart Mackie, of 13815 Walnut Street, Whittier, CA 90602; hereinafter referred to as "Assignor," is the inventor of the invention described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: CABINET EARTHQUAKE LATCH ASSEMBLY

Date(s) of execution of Declaration: July 10, 2001

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Application No.: Unassigned; and

WHEREAS, Gryphon Corporation, located at 12417 Foothill Blvd., Sylmar, CA, 91342, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE," is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same;

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor has assigned, and by these presents does assign to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the invention and application and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and in and to any Letters Patent and Registrations which may hereafter be granted on any patent application claiming priority from the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world, and to claim the priority from the application as provided by the Paris Convention. The right, title and interest is to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee's successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this Assignment not been made, for the full term of any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

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Assignor hereby authorizes and requests Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP, Two Embarcadero Center, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94111-3834, to insert herein above the application number and filing date of said application when known.

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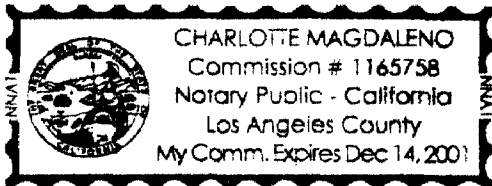
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personally appeared Stuart Mackie, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of  
satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me  
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