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Name: Illinois Tool Works Inc.

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 3600 West Lake Avenue

City: Glenview                      State: IL    ZIP: 60025

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5,756,183

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PATENT

UNITED STATES PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, FOILMARK MANUFACTURING CORP., a Foilmark company, a Delaware corporation having offices at 5 Malcolm Hoyt Drive, Newburyport, Massachusetts 01950, U.S.A., hereinafter referred to as "FOILMARK.MAN." is the owner of the United States patent identified in the attached Schedule A (hereafter referred to as the "PATENT");

WHEREAS, ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC., a Delaware corporation, having offices at 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, Illinois 60025, U.S.A. (hereinafter referred to as ITW") is desirous of acquiring ownership rights in the PATENT;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged FOILMARK MANUFACTURING CORP does hereby assign, sell, transfer and set over to ITW, effective as of May 21, 2001 the entire right, title and interest in and to the PATENT, the inventions described and claimed therein, any reissues of the PATENT, and the right to sue for past infringements; with the same to be held and enjoyed by ITW for its own use and enjoyment and the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and legal representatives to the end of the term for which the PATENT was granted or reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by FOILMARK.MAN if this assignment, sale, transfer had not been made.

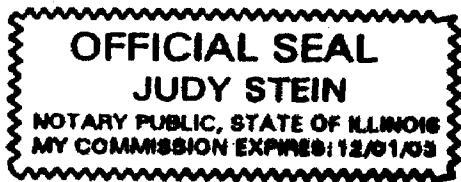
FOILMARK MANUFACTURING CORP,  
A Foilmark company

By: *Mull*

Title: *Vice President*

Subscribed to and sworn to before me  
this 30<sup>th</sup> day of *July*, 2001

*Judy Stein*  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires: *12/01/03*



ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.

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**SCHEDULE A**

**UNITED STATES PATENT**

<b>PATENT NUMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>ISSUE DATE</b>
5,756,183	Microembossed Paper, Microembossable Coating for Paper Substrates and a Process for Microembossing Paper Substrates	05/26/98

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