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Ringgold, Georgia 30736 | 2. Name and address of receiving parties
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A Tennessee Limited Liability Company
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Chattanooga, Tennessee 37407 |
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Assignment executed on August 31, 2001.

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NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, TAPISTRON INTERNATIONAL, INC. has sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns, Assignor's entire right, title and interest for all countries in and to all Patents and Patent Applications and in and to any and all divisions, continuations, or renewals thereof, all Letters Patent which may be granted therefrom, and all reissues or extensions of such patents, and in and to any and all Patent Applications which have been or shall be filed in the United States and any foreign countries for Letters Patent on said Patents and Patent Applications, including an assignment of all


rights under the provisions of the International Convention, and all Letters Patent of foreign countries which may be granted therefrom; and TAPISTRON INTERNATIONAL, INC. hereby authorizes the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patent and hereby authorizes its counterpart in any foreign country to issue any and all foreign Letters Patent for the aforesaid Patents and Patent Applications to the said Assignee as the assignee of Assignor's entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the use of the said Assignee, its successors and assigns.

AND, furthermore, TAPISTRON INTERNATIONAL, INC. covenants and agrees with said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by TAPISTRON INTERNATIONAL, INC., and that full right to convey the same as expressed herein is possessed by TAPISTRON INTERNATIONAL, INC.

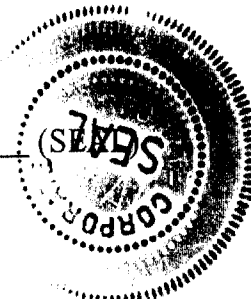
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ATTEST:

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 Henry Christopher (SEAL)
Henry Christopher, Secretary

By: Bruce C. Elliston
Bruce C. Elliston, President

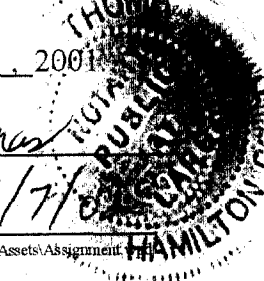
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WITNESS my hand and seal this 31st day of August, 2001

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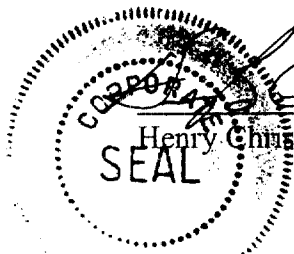
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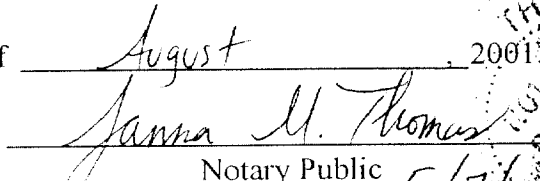
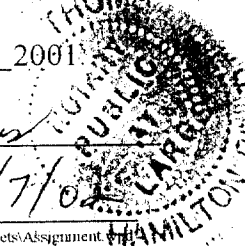
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