RM PTO-1595 12-19-2001 U.S. Department of Commerce 1-31-92 Patent and Trademark Office Attorney Docket No. 07792.0004 Attorney Customer Number: 22,852 To the Honorable Commissioner of P ATTN, BOX ASSIGNMENTS 101919242 Please record the attached original down. 1. Name of conveying party(ies): 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Shane Sloan Name: Master Cutlery. Inc. Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Internal Address: 3. Nature of conveyance: Street Address: 701 Penhorn Avenue \boxtimes Assignment Merger City: Secaucus Security Change of Name State: **New Jersey** Zip Code: 07094 Agreement Other: Additional name(s) & Address(es) attached? November 26, 2001 **Execution Date:** ☐ Yes ⊠ No Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of 4. the application: November 26, 2001 A. Patent Application Number(s): B. Patent Number(s): ⊠ No Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes Total number of applications and registrations 6. Name and address of party to whom correspondence 5. involved: One concerning document should be mailed: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40 Name: Enclosed (Please charge deficiency to deposit \boxtimes account) Authorized to be charged to deposit account FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT Internal Address: & DUNNER, L.L.P. 1300 I Street, N.W. Street Address: Washington, D.C. City: Deposit Account No.: 06-0916 8. 20005-3315 Zip: State:

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I, the below named inventor, hereinafter referred to as Assignor, have made an invention entitled:

KNIFE HANDLE

for which I executed an application for United States Letters Patent concurrently; and

WHEREAS, Master Cutlery, Inc., a corporation of New Jersey whose post office address is 701 Penhorn Avenue, Secaucus, NJ 07094 (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of securing the entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention in all countries throughout the world, and in and to the application for United States Letters Patent on this invention and the Letters Patent to be issued upon this application:

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) in hand paid and other good and valuable consideration the receipt of which from Assignee is hereby acknowledged, I, as Assignor, have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the Assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, my entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention, and this application, and all divisions. and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof, as well as all rights to claim priority on the basis of this application, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for this invention in any foreign country and all Letters Patent which may be granted on this invention in any foreign country, and all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as described above, to issue all Letters Patent for this invention to Assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

AND, I HEREBY covenant that I have the full right to convey the interest assigned by this Assignment, and I have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment;

AND, I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will, without further consideration, communicate with Assignee, its successors and assigns, any facts known to me respecting this invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to this invention in said Assignee, its successors or assigns, execute all divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid Assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for this invention in the United States and any foreign country, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be borne by the Assignee, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set our hands.

County of Young) ss.	Name: Shane Sloan Address: Route 1, Box 17 New Castle, TX 76372
State of <u>Texas</u>)	Signature: Nov. 26, 2001
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 control of the Control Notary Public	lay of <u>Nev</u> , 20 <u>0L</u> .
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