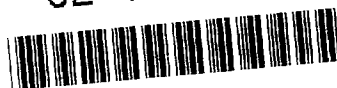


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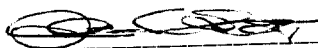
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In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR(S) of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

ASSIGNOR: Name: Lowell T. Rodgers
 Address: 808 East Main Street
 Danville, Kentucky 40422
 County: Boyle

ASSIGNOR: Name: Christopher W. Swafford
 Address: 1071 East Lexington Avenue, Apt. 12
 Danville, Kentucky 40422
 County: Boyle

hereby sell, assign and transfer to

ASSIGNEE: Name: American Greetings Corporation
 Principal Place
 Of Business: One American Road
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 Corporation
 of: Ohio

and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions, and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

AUTOMATED CART UNLOADING/CONVEYOR SYSTEM

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To comply with 37 C.F.R. § 3.21 for recordal of this assignment, we, as ASSIGNOR(S) signing below, hereby authorize and request our attorney to insert below the filing date and application number when they become known.

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and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for such invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent, any reissue or re-examination thereof.

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ASSIGNOR(S) further covenant that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR(S) and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

Signed at Danville, Kentucky on this
(City) (State)

30th day of January, 2002.
(day) (Month)

Lowell T. Rodgers
LOWELL T. RODGERS

STATE OF Ky.)
COUNTY OF Boyle) :SS

Personally appeared before me this day, the above named Lowell T. Rodgers to me personally known, who acknowledged that he signed the foregoing instrument for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that the same is his free act and deed.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this 30th day of
January, 2002.

(Seal)

Connel J. J. J.
Notary Public

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Signed at DANVILLE, Kentucky on this
(City) (State)

30th day of January, 2002.
(day) (Month)

Christopher W. Swafford
CHRISTOPHER W. SWAFFORD

STATE OF Ky.)
COUNTY OF Boyle) :SS

Personally appeared before me this day, the above named Christopher W. Swafford to me personally known, who acknowledged that he signed the foregoing instrument for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that the same is his free act and deed.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this 30th day of
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(Seal)

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Notary Public

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