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Docket No.: 25343/31389

ASSIGNMENT

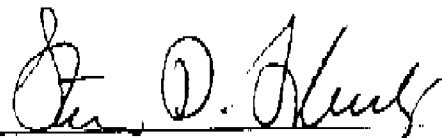
In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned hereby assigns to Schultz Company, a Missouri corporation, having a principal place of business at 13260 Corporate Exchange Drive, St. Louis, MO, 63044, its successors and assigns (hereinafter Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest in the invention or improvements of the undersigned disclosed in the patents set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto (collectively, the "Patents"), and any and all other applications for Letters Patent which the Assignee or the undersigned may file, either solely or jointly with others, on said invention or improvements, and in any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be obtained on any of said applications, including any identified in Exhibit A, and in any reissue or extension thereof.

For said consideration, the undersigned further agrees, upon the request and at the expense of said Assignee, to execute any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or substitute application for said invention or improvements, and any oath or affidavit relating thereto, and any application for the reissue or extension of any Letters Patent that may be granted upon said application(s), and, in the event of any application or Letters Patent assigned herein becoming involved in an interference, to cooperate to the best of the ability of the undersigned in the matters of preparing and executing the preliminary statement and giving and producing evidence in support thereof.


And for said consideration, the undersigned agrees to take all actions, including executing any documents, reasonably requested by Assignee, to secure, maintain, perfect and enforce the rights granted herein to Assignee.

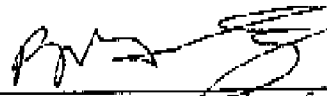
And for said consideration, the undersigned further assigns to said Assignee the entire right, title and interest in said invention or improvements for all foreign countries, including all priority rights, and agrees to execute, at the request of said Assignee, all documents in connection with any application for foreign Letters Patent therefor.

And for said consideration, the undersigned further assigns to said Assignee all rights and remedies for past infringement of said invention or improvements, including the right to sue and collect damages and profits for such infringements.

By: 
Name: Steven D. Schultz

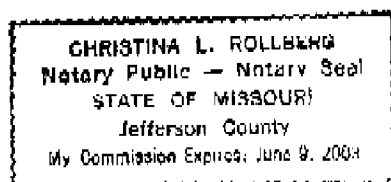
Witnesses:


Printed Name: ROSALIE O'BRIEN


Printed Name: Benjamin Hulsey

8 May, 2002
STATE OF MISSOURI
City
COUNTY OF St. Louis

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared STEVEN D. SCHULTZ to me personally known to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed said instrument as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein expressed



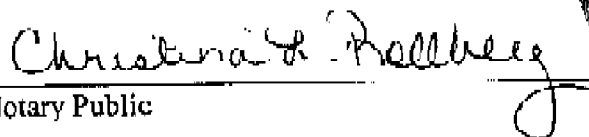

Notary Public



EXHIBIT A

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Title</u>
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