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all citizens of the United States of America

residing at Box 2013, Rd #2, Moscow, Pennsylvania 18444; 4 Meadow Avenue, Dallas, Pennsylvania 18612; Box 304 RR2, Dalton, Pennsylvania 18414; and 76 Jay Road, Effort, Pennsylvania 18330

hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto Metro Industries, Incorporated

a corporation of Nevada

having a place of business at 1 East First Street, Suite 1411, Reno, Nevada 89501

its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest, for all countries, in and to certain inventions relating to

SUPPORT FOR SECURING CANTILEVERED SHELVING TO AN INSULATED UNIT

and described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States filed on January 24, 2002, as U.S. Patent Application No. 10/054,704.

and in and to said application, and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted, thereon, and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent or other grants of protection of proprietary rights including, but not limited to, inventor's certificate, utility model, utility certificate, patent of importation, registration of patent and industrial design registration which may be filed, and which may be granted, upon said inventions in any countries or regions foreign to the United States, and all reissues, renewals and extensions thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and all officials of countries or regions foreign to the United States having authority so to do, to issue all such Letters Patent or other grants of protection upon said inventions to the Assignee or to such nominees as it may designate.

AND WE authorize and empower the said Assignee or nominees to invoke and claim for any application for such Letters Patent or other grants of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by a convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from me.

AND WE hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in any country or region for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of the said Assignee or nominees to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

AND WE hereby covenant that we have the full right to convey the entire right, title and interest herein assigned and that I have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE hereby covenant and agree that we will communicate to said Assignee or nominees all facts known to me pertaining to said inventions, and testify in all legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and declarations and in general perform all lawful acts necessary or proper to aid said Assignee or nominees in obtaining, maintaining and enforcing all lawful patent or other grants of protection of said inventions in any and all countries and regions.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, WE hereunto set our hand and seal this 21 day of 12002. L.S. L.S. L.S. L.S. STATE OF PURISHUANIA COUNTY OF HUYEVNE) ss.: On this alst day of March, 2002 before me personally appeared to me known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who thereupon acknowledged to me that executed the same for the purposes therein set forth. (Seal) (Notary Stamp) (Joint Inventors) Notana Seal Charlene Arrone, Notary Public Wilkes-Barre Twp., Luzerne County My Commission Expires Jan. 10, 2005 DC_MAIN 89451 v 1

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