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Execution Date: April 24, 2002

Street Address: 3600 West Lake Avenue

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ITW 13571

Whereas, I/We, Wayne Hansen of 14452 43rd Ave Chippewa Falls WI 54729, hereafter referred to as applicant, have invented certain new and useful improvements in Rib Clip

☐ for which an application for a United States Patent was filed on _____,
Application Number _____.

☒ for which an application for a United States Patent was executed on 4/24/2002, and

Whereas, Illinois Tool Works of IL herein referred to "assignee" whose mailing address is 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, IL 60225 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$ 1.00), the receipt whereof is acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, I/We, the applicant, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said assignee the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Patents which may be granted therefor in the United States, I/We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said United States Patent to said assignee, of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for his sole use and behoof; and for the use and behoof of his legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

Executed this 24th day of April, 2002.

at ITW Engineered Fasteners - Chippewa Falls, WI.

Wayne Hansen
(Signature)

State of Wisconsin SS:
County of Chippewa

Before me personally appeared said Wayne Hansen

and acknowledged the foregoing instrument as his free act and deed this Twenty-fourth
day of April, 2002.

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Jacklyn M. Liebelt
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