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ASSIGNMENT

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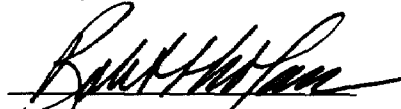
- () which has been executed by the undersigned concurrently herewith,
(X) which was filed on November 9, 2001 and assigned Serial No. 10/037,217.

and is entitled: "End Cap for Roll Tarp System" and in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said improvements; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on said improvements; and in and to all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application; and

Agree that said Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said improvements in its own name; and that, when requested, without charge to, but at the expense of, said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this Assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all said improvements; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and representatives, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said improvements and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which said Assignee, its successors, assigns or representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection for said improvements and for vesting title to said improvements and all applications to patents and all patents on said improvements, in said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives; and

Covenant with said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives that no assignment, grant mortgage, license, or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

Signed at OMAHA, this 27 day of April, 2002


Robert L. Nolan

STATE OF NEBRASKA)

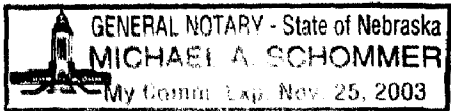
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On this 27 day of April, ~~2001~~ ²⁰⁰², before me personally appeared Robert L. Nolan, to me personally known and known to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledged the signing thereof as his free act and deed.

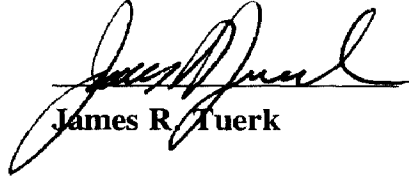
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Notary Public



MICHAEL A. SCHOMMER
Printed Name


Signed at INDIANAPOLIS, this 22 day of APRIL, ²⁰⁰²2001.


James R. Tuerk

STATE OF Indiana)
) ss:
COUNTY OF Marion)

On this 22 day of April, ²⁰⁰²2001, before me personally appeared James R. Tuerk, to me personally known and known to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledged the signing thereof as his free act and deed.

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