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Execution Date: **JANUARY 31, 2002**

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: **ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.**

Internal Address:

Street Address: **3600 WEST LAKE AVENUE**

City: **GLENVIEW** State: **IL** ZIP: **60025**

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

09/848,658

B. Patent No.(s)

6,146,076

5,518,351

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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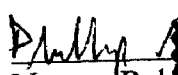
UNITED STATES PATENT ASSIGNMENTS

WHEREAS, SPEEDY PRODUCTS, INC., a Minnesota corporation having offices at 2472 Seventh Avenue East, North St. Paul, Minnesota 55109 (hereinafter referred to as "SPEEDY"), is the owner of the United States patents identified in the attached Schedule A (collectively hereafter referred to as the "PATENTS");

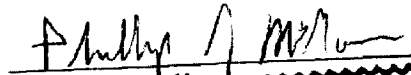
WHEREAS, ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC., a Delaware corporation, having offices at 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, Illinois 60025 (hereinafter referred to as "ITW"), is desirous of acquiring ownership rights in the PATENTS;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, SPEEDY does hereby assign, sell, transfer and set over to ITW, effective as of January 31, 2002 the entire right, title and interest in and to the PATENTS, the inventions described and claimed therein, any reissues of the PATENTS, and the right to sue for past infringements; with the same to be held and enjoyed by ITW for its own use and enjoyment and the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and legal representatives to the end of the term for which each of the PATENTS was granted or reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by SPEEDY if this assignment, sale, transfer had not been made.

Subscribed to and sworn to before me
this 31st day of January, 2002.


Notary Public PHILLIP J. MCGOVERN
Notary Public, State of Illinois
My Commission Expires 9/25/05

Subscribed to and sworn to before me
this 31st day of January, 2002.



Notary Public
"OFFICIAL SEAL"
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Notary Public, State of Illinois
My Commission Expires 9/25/05

SPEEDY PRODUCTS, INC.

By: 

Title: President

ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.

By: 

Title: General Manager

SCHEDULE A

UNITED STATES PATENTS

PATENT NUMBER	TITLE	ISSUE DATE
6,146,076	Support Structure including a snap nut	09/14/00
5,518,351	Self tapping screw having thread nut as a head	05/21/96

ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, SPEEDY PRODUCTS, INC., a Minnesota Corporation having offices at 2472 Seventh Avenue East, North St. Paul, Minnesota 55109 (hereinafter ASSIGNOR), is the owner of the United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/848,658 (hereafter referred to as the "APPLICATION");

WHEREAS, ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC., a Delaware Corporation, having offices at 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, Illinois, 60025 (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring ownership rights in the APPLICATION;

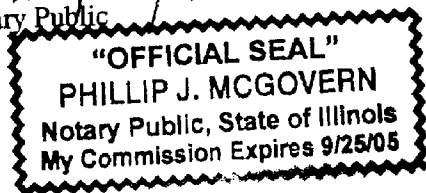
NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said ASSIGNOR does hereby assign, sell, transfer and set over to said ASSIGNEE, effective as of the 31st day of January, 2002, the entire right, title and interest in and to the APPLICATION, the inventions described and claimed therein, any patents issuing from the APPLICATION, including any divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part, thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States, and countries foreign thereto, which may be granted for said Invention, and in and to any and all priority rights, Convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto.

SPEEDY PRODUCTS, INC.

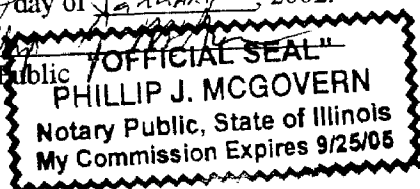
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Title: Pres.

Subscribed to and sworn to before me
this 7th day of January, 2002.
[Signature]
Notary Public



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Notary Public



ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.

By: [Signature]

Title: General Manager

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