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**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND PATENTS THEREON**

WHEREAS, I, Thomas M. Sweeney, 4448 Boardwalk Ct., Cincinnati, Ohio 45242, have invented a new and original design for a INTERCONNECT FOR ELECTRICALLY CONNECTING PLURAL ELECTRICALLY CONDUCTIVE NEUTRAL BARS IN FIXED SPACED-APART RELATIONSHIP as fully disclosed in an application for Design Letters Patent so entitled and (check one)

- executed by me (us) on October 30, 2002
- filed by me (us) on \_\_\_\_\_, as Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, preparatory to obtaining Design Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and

WHEREAS, ILSCO CORPORATION, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Ohio and having its principal office at 4730 Madison Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45227-1426, desires to acquire the entire interest in and to the subject matter disclosed in said application and in and to all patents issued or to be issued thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said ILSCO CORPORATION my entire right, title and interest in and to the subject matter disclosed in said application and in and to all Letters Patents Domestic and Foreign issued or to be obtained thereon, including all rights and interests with priority rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the International Patent Cooperative Union, European Patent Convention, Common Market Convention, or any other Convention or Union for each country of said Convention or Union; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the Design Letters Patent granted on said application and all future patents granted upon the subject matter disclosed therein to the above-named Assignee, its legal representatives and assigns.

Full Name of  
**First Inventor:** Sweeney Thomas M.  
 Last Name First Name Middle Name

*Thomas M. Sweeney* TMS 11/8/02  
*Thomas M. Sweeney* 10/30/02  
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On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2002, before me personally appeared Thomas M. Sweeney to me known and known by me to be the above-named individual who acknowledged the signing of the foregoing instrument to be a voluntary act and deed and who executed the same for the uses and purposes therein specified.

**ROBIN DESMOND**  
 Notary Public, State of Ohio  
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*Robin Desmond*  
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