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WHEREAS, VICTOR V. AROMIN of 22 CANTARA STREET, WEST WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND 02893, (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), has invented and owns a certain invention entitled: POWER STRIP WITH SELF-CONTAINED GROUND FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER MODULE for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States were filed on October 28, 2002 and assigned Serial No. 10/281,903.

WHEREAS: TOWER MANUFACTURING CORPORATION of 25 Reservoir Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island 02907, a Corporation existing under the Laws of the state of Rhode Island (hereafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and application and to and under said Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and to said application and Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which could conflict with this assignment and sale;

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal this ______ day of ________, 2002.

VICTOR V. AROMIN

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