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102387538 To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof. 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies) 1. Name of conveying party(ies): Name: Dayton Technologies, L.L.C. Philip G. Morton, David A. Stammen, Todd J. Hamilton, Scott A. Ricke Internal Address: _____ Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ___Yes__ No 3. Nature of conveyance: Street Address: 351 N Garver Rd. X Assignment __ Merger ___ Change of Name __ Security Agreement City: Monroe State: Ohio ZIP: 45449 __Other___ Execution Date: February 24, 2003 Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes X No 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: Feb. 24, 2003 (Docket 7813) B. Patent No.(s) Patent Application No.(s) 10374338 Additional numbers attached? ___ Yes ___ No 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1 Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40 Name: Alan F. Meckstroth, Esq. Internal Address: Jacox, Meckstroth & Jenkins X Enclosed Authorized to be charged to deposit account Street Address: 2310 Far Hills Building 8. Deposit account number: Suite 2 City: Dayton State: Ohio ZIP: 45419 (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit Account) DO NOT USE THIS SPACE Statement and signature To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Alan F. Meckstroth Name of Person Signing Tel. (937) 298-2811

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS we

Philip G. Morton	of _	Germantown	Preble	Ohio
David A. Stammen	of _	Dayton	Montgomery	Ohio
Todd J. Hamilton	of _	Middletown	Butler	Ohio
Scott A. Ricke	of _	Trenton	Butler	Ohio
Name	_	City	County	State

have invented certain new and useful **DECK PLANK AND METHOD OF PRODUCTION** (Docket 7813) for which we executed an application for letters patent of the United States on even date herewith:

AND WHEREAS, Dayton Technologies, L.L.C., a Limited Liability Company of the State of Delaware, with a place of business at 351 North Garver Road, Monroe, Ohio 45050-1292 hereinafter called the Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the inventions therein disclosed and any letters patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1,00) and other valuable considerations, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns. the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and any divisions or continuations thereof, and the inventions therein disclosed, and any improvements thereon, and any patent or patents that may be issued or reissued thereon, and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any letters patent thereon, and reissues thereof, to said Assignee, its successors and assigns; and we hereby authorize said Assignee, it successors and assigns, to file in its own name applications for patent in foreign countries in connection with the inventions hereby transferred, under the International Convention claiming the priority of said United States application or otherwise, and to secure in its own name the patent or patents issued thereon; and we hereby agree that, upon request, we will sign all papers, and make all rightful oaths, and do all acts which said Assignee, its successors or assigns, may consider necessary in connection with said United States application, and in connection with any other United States or foreign applications that may be filed in connection with said inventions, and with any improvements thereon, and in connection with any patents issued or reissued thereon.

TESTIMONY, WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and seals:

Philip & Morton

Todd J. Hamilton

David A. Stammen

Scott A Ricke

State of Ohio

SS

County of Butler

On this 24 day of <u>February</u>, 2003, before me a Notary Public in and for the above County and State, personally appeared the above named Philip G. Morton, David A. Stammen, Todd J. Hamilton and Scott A. Ricke personally known to me, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing assignment as their free acts and deeds for the purpose herein set forth.

HEATHER LYNNE SLATON, NOTARY PUBLIC to and for the State of Ohio

My Commission Expires Nov. 18, 2003

RECORDED: 02/26/2003

Notary Public

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