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**ASSIGNMENT**

Keith W. Sterner, residing at 7071 Copenhagen Square, Bethlehem PA 18017, a citizen of the United States of America; Dennis E. Graham, residing at 401 Johnston Drive, Bethlehem, PA 18017, a citizen of the United States of America; John F. Simonof, Jr., residing at 41 Clairmont Avenue, Easton, PA 18045, a citizen of the United States of America; and David R. Gill, residing at 422 Thomas Stewart Way, Stewartsvills, NJ 08886, a citizen of the United States of America, (hereafter jointly and severally referred to as the undersigned), are the inventors of

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for which the undersigned have executed an application for United States Letters Patent, U.S. Patent Application No. 10/337,484, filed January 7, 2003.

The undersigned hereby authorize assignee or assignee's representative to insert the Application Number and the filing date of this application if they are unknown at the time of execution of this assignment.

Flexicon Corporation, a Pennsylvania corporation, having a principal place of business at 2400 Emrick Boulevard, Bethlehem, PA 18020-8006, United States of America, (hereafter referred to as the assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in said invention, all applications for and all letters patent issued on said invention.


For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, do hereby sell, assign and transfer to the assignee and assignee's successors, assigns and legal representatives the entire right, title and interest in said invention and all patent applications thereon, including, but not limited to, the application for United States Letters Patent entitled as above, and all divisions and continuations thereof, and in all letters patent, including all reissues and reexaminations thereof, throughout the world, including the right to claim priority under the Paris Convention or other treaty.

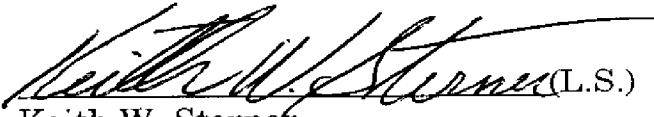
It is agreed that the undersigned shall be legally bound, upon request of the assignee, to supply all information and evidence relating to the making and practice of said invention, to testify in any legal proceeding relating thereto, to execute all instruments proper to patent the invention throughout the world for the benefit of the assignee, and to execute all instruments proper to carry out the intent of this instrument.

The undersigned warrant that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any encumbrance.

EXECUTED under seal on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2003  
at Stewartville, New Jersey.  
(place)

Witness:

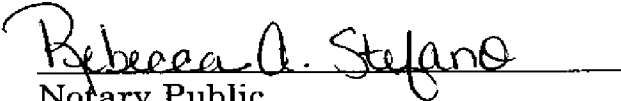
  
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Keith W. Sterner (L.S.)  
Keith W. Sterner

State of NJ  
County of Warren  
ss.

On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2003 before me personally appeared Keith W. Sterner, to me known to be the person described herein and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same knowingly and willingly and for the purposes therein contained.

Witness my hand and Notarial seal the day and year immediately above written.

  
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Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

REBECCA A. STEFANO  
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MAY 6, 2007

EXECUTED under seal on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2003  
at Stewartville, NJ  
(place)

Witness:

*Keith W. Stemer*

*Dennis E. Graham* (L.S.)  
Dennis E. Graham

State of NJ  
County of Warren ss.

On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2003 before me personally appeared  
Dennis E. Graham, to me known to be the person described herein and who  
executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same  
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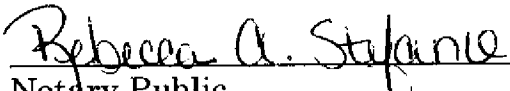
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EXECUTED under seal on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2003  
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(place)

Witness:   
 (L.S.)  
John F. Simonof, Jr.

State of NJ  
County of Warren ss.

On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2003 before me personally appeared John F. Simonof, Jr., to me known to be the person described herein and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same knowingly and willingly and for the purposes therein contained.  
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Witness:

Keith W. Steiner

David R. Gill (L.S.)  
David R. Gill

State of NJ

ss.

County of Warren

On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2003 before me personally appeared David R. Gill, to me known to be the person described herein and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same knowingly and willingly and for the purposes therein contained.

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