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SCHEDULE A TO PATENT AND LICENSE SECURITY AGREEMENT BETWEEN EXTRUSION TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND FLEET CAPITAL CORPORATION, AS AGENT

PATENT APPLICATION

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PATENT REGISTRATIONS

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IN FERLOCKED PLASTIC-ENCASED CONCRETE PIPE	603205 02/20/1996	5,573,040 11/12/1996

PATENT AND LICENSE SECURITY AGREEMENT

PATENT AND LICENSE SECURITY AGREEMENT ("Agreement") dated as of March 14, 2003, made by EXTRUSION TECHNOLOGIES, INC., a Colorado corporation, having its chief executive office at 222 South Ninth Street, Suite 2880, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402 ("Borrower") and FLEET CAPITAL CORPORATION, a Rhode Island corporation ("FCC"), as agent for the "Lenders" (as hereinafter defined) (FCC, in such capacity, "Agent").

$\underline{W} \underline{I} \underline{T} \underline{N} \underline{E} \underline{S} \underline{S} \underline{E} \underline{T} \underline{H}$:

WHEREAS, Borrower, Mid-States Plastics, Inc., the lender signatories thereto ("Lenders") and Agent have entered into that certain Loan and Security Agreement of even date herewith (as the same may hereafter be amended or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Loan Agreement"), pursuant to which Lenders have, subject to certain conditions precedent, agreed to make loans, advances and other financial accommodations (collectively, the "Loans") to Borrower and Mid-States Plastics, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, Agent and Lenders have required as a condition, among others, to the making of the Loans to Borrower and Mid-States Plastics, Inc., in order to secure the prompt and complete payment, observance and performance of all of Borrower's and Mid-States Plastics, Inc.'s obligations and liabilities hereunder, under the Loan Agreement, and under all of the other instruments, documents and agreements executed and delivered by Borrower or Mid-States Plastics, Inc. to Agent and Lenders in connection with the Loan Agreement (all such obligations and liabilities being hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Obligations"), that Borrower execute and deliver this Agreement to Agent, for its benefit and the ratable benefit of Lenders:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises set forth herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Borrower agrees as follows:

1. Defined Terms.

- (a) Unless otherwise defined herein, the capitalized terms used herein which are defined in the Loan Agreement shall have the meanings specified in the Loan Agreement.
- (b) The words "hereof", "herein", and "hereunder" and words of like import when used in this Agreement shall refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and section and schedule references are to this Agreement unless otherwise specified.
- (c) All terms defined in this Agreement in the singular shall have comparable meanings when used in the plural, and <u>vice versa</u> unless otherwise specified.

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- 2. <u>Security Interest in Patents</u>. To secure the complete and timely payment, performance and satisfaction of all of the Obligations, Borrower hereby grants to Agent, for its benefit and the ratable benefit of Lenders, a first priority security interest, having priority over all other security interests (except for Permitted Liens), with power of sale to the extent permitted by applicable law, all of Borrower's now owned or existing and filed and hereafter acquired or arising and filed:
 - (i) patents and patent applications, and the inventions and improvements described and claimed therein, including, without limitation, those patents and patent applications listed on Schedule A and (a) the reissues, divisions, continuations, renewals, extensions and continuations-in-part thereof (b) all income, royalties, damages and payments now and hereafter due and/or payable under and with respect thereto, including, without limitation, payments under all licenses entered into in connection therewith and damages and payments for past or future infringements thereof, (c) the right to sue for past, present and future infringements thereof, and (d) all rights corresponding thereto throughout the world (all of the foregoing patents and applications, together with the items described in the foregoing clauses (a)-(d), being sometimes hereinafter individually and/or collectively referred to as the "Patents'); and
 - (ii) license agreements with any other party in connection with any Patents or such other party's patents or patent applications, whether Borrower is a licensor or licensee under any such license agreement, including, but not limited to, the license agreements listed on Schedule B, and the right upon the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default to use the foregoing in connection with the enforcement of Agent's or Lenders' rights under the Loan Agreement (all of the foregoing being hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Licenses"). Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Section 2, the Licenses shall not include any license agreement which by its terms prohibits the grant of the security interest contemplated by this Agreement.
- 3. <u>Restrictions on Future Agreements</u>. Borrower will not, without Agent's prior written consent, enter into any agreement, including, without limitation, any license agreement, which is inconsistent with this Agreement, and Borrower further agrees that it will not take any action, and will use its best efforts not to permit any action to be taken by others subject to its control, including licensees, or fail to take any action, which would in any material respect affect the validity or enforcement of the rights transferred to Agent, for its benefit and the ratable benefit of Lenders, under this Agreement or the rights associated with those Patents which are material to the operation of Borrower's business.
- 4. New Patents. Borrower represents and warrants that the Patents and licenses listed on Schedules A and B, respectively, include all of the patents, patent applications and license agreements in connection with patents or patent applications that are material to the operation of Borrower's business. If prior to the termination of this Agreement, Borrower shall (i) obtain rights to any new patentable inventions or license agreements in connection with

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Agent nor any Lender shall be under obligation to take any steps necessary to preserve rights in the Patents or Licenses against any other parties, but may do so at its option during the continuance of an Event of Default, and all expenses incurred in connection therewith shall be for the sole account of Borrower and added to the Obligations secured thereby.

- 9. Agent's Right to Sue. From and after the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default, and subject to the terms of the Loan Agreement, Agent shall have the right, but shall not be obligated, to bring suit to enforce the Patents and the Licenses, and, if Agent shall commence any such suit, Borrower shall, at the request of Agent, do any and all lawful acts and execute any and all proper documents reasonably required by Agent in aid of such enforcement. Borrower shall, upon demand, promptly reimburse and indemnify Agent for all costs and reasonable expenses incurred by Agent in the exercise of its rights under this Section (including, without limitation, all reasonable attorneys' and paralegals' fees). If for any reason whatsoever, Agent is not reimbursed with respect to the reasonable costs and expenses referred to in the preceding sentence, then upon written notice to Borrower, such costs and expenses shall be added to the Obligations secured hereby.
- 10. <u>Waivers</u>. No course of dealing between Borrower and Agent, and no failure to exercise or delay in exercising on the part of Agent any right, power or privilege hereunder or under the Loan Agreement shall operate as a waiver or any of Agent's rights, powers or privileges. No single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege hereunder or under the Loan Agreement shall preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege.
- anything set forth herein to the contrary, it is hereby expressly agreed that upon the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default, Agent may exercise any of the rights and remedies provided in this Agreement, the Loan Agreement, or any other agreement executed in connection therewith. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Borrower acknowledges and agrees that (i) the Patents and Licenses comprise a portion of the Collateral and Agent shall have the right to exercise its rights under the Loan Agreement with respect to the Patents and Licenses to the same extent as with respect to all other items of Collateral described therein, and (ii) from and after the occurrence of an Event of Default, Agent or its nominee may use the Patents and Licenses in connection with the conduct of Borrower's business.
- 12. <u>Severability</u>. The provisions of this Agreement are severable, and if any clause or provision shall be held invalid and unenforceable in whole or in part in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity or unenforceability shall affect only such clause or provision, or part thereof, in such jurisdiction, and shall not in any manner affect such clause or provision in any other jurisdiction, or any other clause or provision of this Agreement in any jurisdiction.
- 13. <u>Modification</u>. This Agreement cannot be altered, amended or modified in any way, except as specifically provided in <u>Sections 2 and 4</u> hereof or by a writing signed by the parties hereto.
- 14. <u>Cumulative Remedies; Power of Attorney</u>. All of Agent's rights and remedies with respect to the Patents and the Licenses, whether established hereby, by any other

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agreement or by law, shall be cumulative and may be exercised singularly or concurrently. Borrower hereby irrevocably appoints Agent as Borrower's attorney-in-fact, with full authority in the place and stead of Borrower and in the name of Borrower or otherwise to carry out the acts described below. Subject to the terms of the Loan Agreement, upon the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default, Borrower hereby authorizes Agent to, in its sole discretion, (i) endorse Borrower's name on all applications, documents, papers and instruments necessary or desirable for Agent in the use of the Patents and the Licenses, (ii) take any other actions with respect to the Patents and the Licenses as Agent deems is in its best interest, (iii) grant or issue any exclusive or non-exclusive license with respect to the Patents to anyone on commercially reasonable terms, and (iv) assign, pledge, convey or otherwise transfer title in or dispose of the Patents and the Licenses to anyone on commercially reasonable terms. Borrower hereby ratifies all that such attorney-in-fact shall lawfully do or cause to be done in good faith by virtue hereof. This power of attorney is coupled with an interest and shall be irrevocable until this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 6. Borrower acknowledges and agrees that this Agreement is not intended to limit or restrict in any way the rights and remedies of Agent under the Loan Agreement, but rather is intended to facilitate the exercise of such rights and remedies. Agent shall have, in addition to all other rights and remedies given it by the terms of this Agreement, all rights and remedies allowed by law and the rights and remedies of a secured party under the Uniform Commercial Code as enacted in any jurisdiction in which the Patents may be located or deemed located.

- 15. <u>Binding Effect; Benefits</u>. This Agreement shall be binding upon Borrower and its successors and assigns and shall inure to the benefit of Agent, Lenders and its and their nominees, successors and assigns. Borrower's successors and assigns shall include, without limitation, a receiver, trustee or debtor-in-possession of or for Borrower; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that Borrower shall not voluntarily assign its obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of Agent.
- 16. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the internal laws (as distinguished from the conflicts of law provisions) and decisions of the State of Illinois.
- 17. <u>Notices</u>. All notices or other communications hereunder shall be given in the manner and to the addresses set forth in the Loan Agreement.
- 18. <u>Section Headings</u>. The section headings herein are for convenience of reference only, and shall not affect in any way the interpretation of any of the provisions hereof.
- 19. <u>Execution in Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by different parties hereto in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement.

(Signature Page Follows)

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(Signature Page to Patent and License Security Agreement)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have duly executed this Agreement on the day and year first above written.

EXTRUSION TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: Mull
Name: DARSON WEST
Title: STORE THEM
Accepted and agreed to as of this Accepted and Accep
FLEET CAPITAL CORPORATION, as Agent
By:
Name:
Title:

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EXTRUSION TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By:	
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Accepted and agreed to as of the	his 📈 day of March, 2003.

FLEET CAPITAL CORPORATION, as Agent

By: Stan Conole

Title: 5- 49

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STATE OF MINNESOTA		aa
COUNTY OF HENNEDIN)	SS

The foregoing Patent and License Security Agreement was executed and acknowledged before me this 14th day of March, 2003, by Dokson West personally known to me to be the SECRETARY of EXTRUSION TECHNOLOGIES, INC., a Colorado corporation, on behalf of such corporation.

(SEAL)

Notary Public: Margaret Stanley

My commission expires:_



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SCHEDULE B to Patent and License Security Agreement

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Sublicense Agreement between Uponor Oyj, formerly known as Oy Uponor Ab, and ETI, as effective of the date of this Patent and License Security Agreement.

Non-Exclusive License between Uponor Innovation AB and ETI, effective as of the date of this Patent and License Security Agreement.

Non-Exclusive Agreement between Contech Construction Products, Inc. and Uponor ETI Company, dated June 17, 1999.

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