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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

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1. Name of conveying party(ies)

Steven Ausnit

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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Illinois Tool Works Inc.

3600 West Lake Avenue

Street Address:

City: Glenview State: IL Zip: 60025

3. Assignment Merger
 Security Agreement Change of Name
 Other: _____
Date of Execution: 2/7/03

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached Yes No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

3/24/03

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: _____

A. Patent Application No(s)

B. Patent No(s)

Title Reclosable Packaging Having
Slider-operated String
Zipper

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Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed

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Dennis M. Flaherty

Dennis Flaherty

March 27, 2003

Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date

ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which I acknowledge receipt, I, STEVEN AUSNIT, residing at 124 East 61st Street, New York, New York 10021, hereby sell and assign to Illinois Tool Works Inc. (hereinafter "said Company"), a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principal place of business at 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, Illinois 60025-5811, its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in RECLOSABLE PACKAGING HAVING SLIDER-OPERATED STRING ZIPPER, invented by me, as described and claimed in the application for United States patent executed concurrently herewith, and any and all applications for patent therefor in any and all countries, including all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said improvements or resulting therefrom to said Company, or its successors or assigns, and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said Company, I will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to me respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for

said improvements in all countries.

Full name of sole inventor: STEVEN AUSNIT

Inventor's signature: 

Feb 7/03
DATE

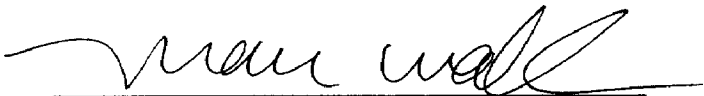
State of New York

County of New York

On this 7th day of February, in the year 2003, before me personally appeared STEVEN AUSNIT, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

SEAL


Signature of Notary Public

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