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WHEREAS, Jeffrey B. Kallevig, having a residence at 9804 Dell Road, Eden Prairie,

Minnesota 55347, made an invention disclosed and claimed in an application for United States

Letters Patent entitled Resilient Discharge Deflecting Chute, filed herewith;

WHEREAS, Jeffrey B. Kallevig, ("assigning inventor") is desirous of assigning his entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and any U.S. or foreign Letters Patent that may be issued thereon, and any improvements thereto; and

WHEREAS, The Toro Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, having a principal place of business located at 8111 Lyndale Avenue South, Bloomington, Minnesota 55420, is desirous of acquiring the right, title, and interest of Jeffrey B. Kallevig in and to said invention, the U.S. and foreign Letters Patent that may be issued thereon, and any improvements thereto;

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Known, that for good are valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by the undersigned, the entire right, title, and interest of said Jeffrey B. Kallevig in and to said application for United States Letters Patent, the Invention disclosed and claimed therein, and any renewals, reexaminations, reissues, extensions, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisionals thereof, including all foreign patents or rights claiming the benefit of priority therefrom or relating thereto, as fully set forth and described in the application for Letters Patent, is hereby sold, assigned and transferred unto The Toro Company.

Pursuant to this Assignment, Jeffrey B. Kallevig warrants that he has made no other assignment, license, transfer, grant, mortgage, encumbrance, or other agreement regarding or affecting the rights and intellectual property interests in the subject invention to or with any party

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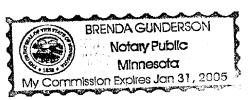
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