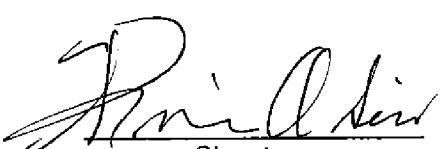


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ASSIGNMENT OF U.S. DESIGN PATENTS

WHEREAS A. RICHARD LIMITED (hereinafter the "Assignor") is the owner of the following U.S. registered and applied-for design patents:

<u>Design Patents</u>	<u>Application Number</u>	<u>Registration Number</u>
Tread of a sand paper holder	29/034,950	---
Tool handle	29/089,901	414,395
Tool handle	29/118,335	431,993
Tool blade	29/118,334	435,408
Ergonomic blade scraper	29/152,540	463,639
Sanding tool	29/162,240	474,389

(hereinafter the "U.S. Design Patents"); and

WHEREAS HYDE OPCO, S.E.N.C., the full post office address of whose principal office or place of business is 1350 Rene-Lussier Blvd. W. Suite 8500 Montreal, Quebec, H3B4Y1 (civic address, city, province and postal code) (hereinafter the "Assignee") wishes to acquire the said U.S. Design Patents.

NOW THEREFORE, THESE PRESENTS WITNESSETH THAT:

In consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor does hereby assign and transfer unto the Assignee, all its rights, title and interest in and to the U.S. Design Patents, together with the goodwill attached thereto.

This Assignment is made in accordance with the terms and conditions of that certain Asset Purchase Agreement entered into between the parties as of the 26th day of September, 2003.

EXECUTED at Montreal, Province of Quebec, as of the 26 day of September 2003.

A. RICHARD LIMITED

By: _____

Name

Title

Richard Gervais

RICHARD GERVAIS

PRESIDENT

HYDE OPCO, S.E.N.C., HEREIN ACTING AND REPRESENTED BY ONE OF
ITS GENERAL PARTNERS, 9134-0539 QUEBEC INC.

By: Ronald P. Carlson
RONALD P. CARLSON
Name: Chief Financial Officer
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