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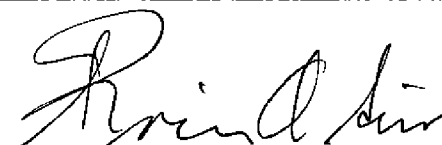
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WHEREAS A. RICHARD LIMITED (hereinafter the "Assignor") is the owner of the following U.S. pending patents :

<u>Patents</u>	<u>Application Number</u>
Double molding process whereby a sign is produced on a product while said product is molded	09/518,629
Ergonomic hand scraper	09/766,607
Ergonomic drywall knife	09/776,729
Blade scraping tool	10/057,684
Sanding tool	10/286,166

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

WHEREAS HYDE OPCO, S.E.N.C., the full post office address of whose principal office or place of business is 1050 Rene-Lussigny Blvd. W. Suite 2500, Montreal, Quebec, H3B 4X1 (civic address, city, province and postal code) (hereinafter the "Assignee") wishes to acquire the said U.S. 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. 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 RICHARD GERVAIS
 Title President

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

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 Name RONALD P. CARLSON
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