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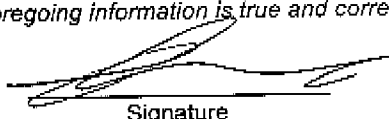
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(hereinafter called ASSIGNOR)

COE NEWNES/MCGEHEE ULC, 900 - 1959 Upper Water Street, Halifax, Nova Scotia, B3J 2X2

(hereinafter called ASSIGNEE)

WHEREAS the Assignor and Assignee executed an Asset Purchase Agreement dated July 31, 2002, which provides for the purchase by Assignee of certain patent rights of Assignor; and

WHEREAS the Assignor, in consideration of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign and transfer to the Assignee and its successors and assigns:

- (i) ASSIGNOR'S entire right, title and interest in Canada, the United States and throughout the world in and to the patents and patent applications listed in Schedule A attached hereto, including any and all inventions described therein, and in any and all continuations-in-part, continuations, divisions, substitutes, reissues, reexaminations, or extensions thereof, and all other applications for patent relating thereto which have been filed, or hereafter shall be filed, in Canada, the United States or in any other jurisdiction and further including all rights under treaties to file and prosecute patent applications corresponding to the preceding patents and patent applications (the "Patents");
- (ii) all of ASSIGNOR'S corresponding right, title and interest in and to any patents which may issue therefor, the same to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE to the full end of the term for which the said patent is granted and maintained, as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR, and;
- (iii) the right to take action and recover in respect of any infringement of the Patents that took place prior to the date of this Assignment.

The Assignor hereby authorizes the issuance of any and all registrations for the Patents to the Assignee, its successors, assigns or legal representatives.

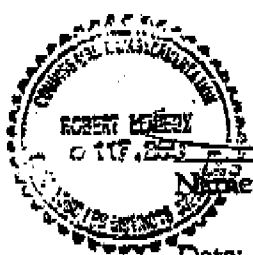
The Assignor, on behalf of itself, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, hereby covenants and agrees, without further consideration, to do all such lawful acts and things and to execute such further lawful assignments, documents, assurances, applications and other instruments as reasonably may be required by the Assignee, its successors, assigns or legal representatives, to obtain any and all registrations for the Patents and to vest the same in the Assignee, its successors, assigns or legal representatives.

The Assignor hereby agrees to execute and sign all documents required to effect a recordation of the assignment of the Patents and registrations thereof before the proper office or agency.

EXECUTED at Montreal this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 2002.  
CAE WOOD PRODUCTS G.P.  
Harland Paterson  
Name:  
Title:

**STATEMENT OF WITNESS**

I, Robert Lemieux whose full post office address is  
4865 Esplanade Montreal, H2T 2Y8 was  
personally present and did see Harland Paterson who is known to me, execute  
the above assignment.



[Signature]  
Name: ROBERT LEMIEUX  
Date: August 16, 2002

Assignment accepted by:

EXECUTED at Montreal this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 2002

COE NEWNES/MCGEEHEE ULC

Name: Jeanette Webb

Title:

**STATEMENT OF WITNESS**

I, Robert Lemieux, whose full post office address is 4965 Esplanade de Montreal Qc H2T 2V8 was personally present and did see Jeanette Webb who is known to me, execute the above assignment.



Name: ROBERT LEMIEUX

Date: August 16, 2002

**SCHEDULE A**

NAME	PATENT#	CURRENT STATUS	COUNTRY
Active Sawguide Assembly and Method	2,338,242	Pending	CA
Active Sawguide Assembly and Method	09/792,891	Pending	US
Bin Sorter for Use in a Lumber Mill	4,815,917	Registered	US
Board Trimmer With Pre-Trimmer Near-End Saws	2,353,774	Pending	CA
Board Trimmer With Pre-Trimmer Near-End Saws (Prov. 1)	60/220,176	Pending	US
Board Trimmer With Pre-Trimmer Near-End Saws	09/912,630	Pending	US
Cable Clamp	2,095,986	Registered	CA
Cable Clamp	5,392,496	Registered	US
Circulating Paddle Board Positioning Apparatus	2,191,389	Registered	CA
Circulating Paddle Board Positioning Apparatus	5,911,302	Registered	US
Circulating Paddle Positioning Fence with Flexible Track	2,236,508	Pending	CA
Circulating Paddle Positioning Fence with Flexible Track	6,173,829	Registered	US
Color Sorting of Lumber	1,323,332	Registered	CA
Color Sorting of Lumber	4,992,949	Registered	USCIP
Continuous Breakdown Tilt Hoist with Overhead Rotatable Secondary Hoist	2,230,464	Pending	CA
Continuous Breakdown Tilt Hoist with Overhead Rotatable Secondary Hoist	5,879,129	Registered	US
Double Lugged Chain Link	60/323,108	Pending	US
High Speed Revolving Board Singulator with Retracting Shoe and Variable Dwell Duckers	2,271,175	Pending	CA
High Speed Revolving Board Singulator with Retracting Shoe and Variable Dwell Duckers	6,199,683	Registered	USCIP
High Speed Revolving Lug Loader with Retracting Heel and Hook	2,185,620	Registered	CA
High Speed Revolving Lug Loader with Retracting Heel and Hook	5,921,376	Registered	US
Improved Log Scanning	2,131,919	Pending	CA
Improved Log Scanning	5,394,342	Registered	US
Incline Disc Variable Target Size Sawguides for Circular Gang Saws	2,200,653	Registered	CA
Incline Disc Variable Target Size Sawguides for Circular Gang Saws	5,921,162	Registered	US

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Incline Wedge Variable Target Size Sawguides for Circular Gang Saws	2,202,852	Registered	CA
Incline Wedge Variable Target Size Sawguides for Circular Gang Saws	5,927,174	Registered	US
Lath Cutter and Placer		Pending	CA
Lath Placer	2,048,356	Registered	CA
Lath Placer	5,244,341	Registered	US
Live Bin Walls	1,264,772	Registered	CA
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	617,211	Registered	AU
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	637,933	Registered	AU Div 1
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	1,301,371	Registered	CA
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	91,677	Registered	FI
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	230,371	Registered	NZ
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	242,144	Registered	NZDiv 1
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	242,145	Registered	NZDiv 2
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	8902791-6	Pending	SE
Log Scanner (NZDiv 1 & Div 2 Log Scanning Method)	5,023,805	Registered	US
Lug Loader	4,869,360	Registered	USCON 1
Lug Loader	1,228,873	Registered	CA
Lumber Moisture Content Sorter	1,278,071	Registered	CA
Lumber Optimizer, NZDiv - A Method of Discriminating Knots in Lumber	606,015	Registered	AU
Lumber Optimizer, NZDiv - A Method of Discriminating Knots in Lumber	1,281,392	Registered	CA
Lumber Optimizer, NZDiv - A Method of Discriminating Knots in Lumber	94,290	Registered	FI
Lumber Optimizer, NZDiv - A Method of Discriminating Knots in Lumber	2,670,114	Registered	JP
Lumber Optimizer, NZDiv - A Method of Discriminating Knots in Lumber	226,540	Registered	NZ
Lumber Optimizer, NZDiv - A Method of Discriminating Knots in Lumber	233,743	Registered	NZDiv 1
Lumber Optimizer, NZDiv - A Method of Discriminating Knots in Lumber	504,547	Registered	SE
Lumber Optimizer, NZDiv - A Method of Discriminating Knots in Lumber	4,879,752	Registered	US

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Lumber Trimmer	2,357,815	Pending	CA
Lumber Trimmer	09/965,020	Pending	US
Method and Apparatus For Automatically Placing Sheets of Plastic from a Roll onto a Roll onto the Second Top Tier of a Lumber Package	2,209,812	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus For Automatically Placing Sheets of Plastic from a Roll onto a Roll onto the Second Top Tier of a Lumber Package	6,198,438	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for Curve Sawing or Traverse Edging with an Active Sawbox	2,214,928	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus for Curve Sawing or Traverse Edging with an Active Sawbox	5,946,995	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for Curve Sawing with an Active Sawguide Package (Robo Gang)	60/184,422	Pending	USProv
Method and Apparatus for Fenceless Ending of Workpieces	2,371,388	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus for Repositioning of Workpiece on a Lugged Transfer Chain	10/073,111	Pending	US
Method and Apparatus for Fenceless Ending of Workpieces	60/267,743	Pending	USProv
Method and Apparatus for Forming Curved Cants for Curve Sawing in an Active Gang Saw	2,202,120	Registered	CA
Method and Apparatus for Forming Curved Cants for Curve Sawing in an Active Gang Saw	5,816,302	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for High Speed Variable Tier Width Lumber Stacking	2,211,384	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus for High Speed Variable Tier Width Lumber Stacking	5,964,570	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for Improved Identification of Probable Defects in a Workpiece	2,235,093	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus for Improved Inspection and Classification of a Workpiece	09/900,095	Pending	USProv
Method and Apparatus for Improved Inspection and Classifications of Attributes of a Workpiece	2,235,176	Pending	CA

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Method and Apparatus for Improved Inspection and Classifications of Attributes of a Workpiece	6,272,437	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for Mounting a Laser Diode unit In a Laser Scanner Module for Use in Sawmill Profile Scanning (Lasermount)	2,950,198	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus for Mounting a Laser Diode unit In a Laser Scanner Module for Use in Sawmill Profile Scanning (Lasermount)	09/591,492	Pending	US
Method and Apparatus for Multiple Feeding of Flitches to a Board Edger	2,188,853	Registered	CA
Method and Apparatus for Multiple Feeding of Flitches to a Board Edger	5,826,637	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for Optimizing Sub-Pixel Resolution in a Triangulation Based Distance Measuring Device	5,905,567	Registered	USCIP
Method and Apparatus for Optimizing Sub-Pixel Resolution in a Triangulation Based Distance Measuring Device	2,115,859	Registered	CA
Method and Apparatus for Optimizing Sub-Pixel Resolution in a Triangulation Based Distance Measuring Device	5,627,635	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for Optimizing the Interface Between Actuatable Lumbermill Machinery and a High Speed Lugged Transfer Chain (High Speed Sorter)	2,316,058	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus for Optimizing the Interface Between Actuatable Lumbermill Machinery and a High Speed Lugged Transfer Chain (High Speed Sorter)	09/639,822	Pending	US
Method and Apparatus for Positioning Flitches or Cants for a Board Edger or Gang Saw	2,229,332	Registered	CA
Method and Apparatus for Positioning Flitches or Cants for a Board Edger or Gang Saw	5,992,484	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for Scanning, Optimizing and Edging a Board with an Active Edger	2,216,582	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus for Scanning, Optimizing and Edging a Board with an Active Edger	6,062,280	Registered	US



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Method and Apparatus for the Variable Position Feeding of a Gang Saw	2,201,242	Registered	CA
Method and Apparatus for the Variable Position Feeding of a Gang Saw	5,853,038	Registered	US
Method and Apparatus for Video Lumber Grading	2,203,970	Pending	CA
Method and Apparatus for Video Lumber Grading	6,031,567	Registered	US
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	19195/97	Registered	AU
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	91349/01	Pending	AU Div
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	2,205,782	Pending	CA
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	982,015	Registered	FI
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	332,419	Registered	NZ
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	9803161-0	Registered	SE
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	5,884,682	Registered	US
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	09/505,255	Pending	USCon 1
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	6,039,098	Registered	USDiv 1
Position-Based Integrated Motion Controlled Curve Sawing	6,039,097	Registered	USDiv 2
Rotatable Saw Unit for Optimized Log Breakdown	2,316,056	Pending	CA
Rotatable Saw Unit for Optimized Log Breakdown	09/639,823	Pending	US
Side Shifting Carriage Frame Stick Placer	2,137,701	Registered	CA
Side Shifting Carriage Frame Stick Placer	5,580,212	Registered	US
Singulator and Allocator for Elongated Members	2,149,948	Registered	CA
Singulator and Allocator for Elongated Members	962,183	Registered	FI
Singulator and Allocator for Elongated Members	9601921-1	Registered	SE
Singulator and Allocator for Elongated Members	5,813,512	Registered	US
Spike Stick and Lath Placer	2,237,951	Pending	CA
Spike Stick and Lath Placer	6,065,927	Registered	US
Stepped Positioning Fence	2,241,481	Pending	CA
Stepped Positioning Fence	6,311,828	Registered	US

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Stick Placer	2,345,861	Pending	CA
Stick Placer	60/287,011	Pending	USProv1
Threaded Ring and Nut Variable Target Size Sawguides for Circular Gang Saws	2,192,508	Registered	CA
Threaded Ring and Nut Variable Target Size Sawguides for Circular Gang Saws	5,809,859	Registered	US
Tilt Cradle Breakdown Hoist	2,121,401	Registered	CA
Tilt Hoist with Multiple Independent Rotatable Masts	2,200,654	Registered	CA
Tilt Hoist with Multiple Independent Rotatable Masts	5,795,126	Registered	US
Trimmer Flexible Positioning Fence	2,191,390	Registered	CA
Trimmer Flexible Positioning Fence	5,865,080	Registered	US
Vacuum Assisted Stick Placer	2,134,598	Registered	CA
Vacuum Assisted Stick Placer	5,636,965	Registered	US
Vacuum Stick and Lath Placer	2,200,656	Registered	CA
Vacuum Stick and Lath Placer	5,863,176	Registered	US