

ASSIGNMENT

Pursuant to our obligation to AOS Holding Company (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business at:

1403 Faulk Road, Suite 106-G
Wilmington, Delaware 19890

and for other valuable and sufficient consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we:

James D. Waters
49 Amherst Court
Florence, KY 41042

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confirm our obligation to and hereby sell, assign and convey, unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest -

(1) in and to an invention entitled "Water-Resistant Porcelain Enamel Coatings and Method of Manufacturing Same" for which we have executed a United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/190,957, filed July 8, 2002 (Atty. File No. 010121-9696-02);

(2) in and to said United States patent application, in and to all other patent applications (including divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, §111(b) provisional, §111(a), and reissue applications) based upon said invention, and in and to the patent or patents to be granted thereon, including reissues thereof, if any, to the full end of the term or terms for which said patent or patents may be granted;

(3) in and to all patent applications on said invention now or hereafter filed in countries foreign to the United States of America, and in and to any and all patents granted on said applications to the full end of the terms for which said patents may be granted; and