

9122103

09-25-2003

Form PTO-1595  
(Rev. 03/01)

RECOI

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

OMB No. 0651-0027 (exp. 5/31/2002)

Tab settings ⇌ ⇌ ⇌ ▼ ▼ ▼ ▼

102558892

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

## 1. Name of conveying party(ies):

The Estate of John D. Hollingsworth

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

## 3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Execution Date: 9/10/03

## 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: John D. Hollingsworth on Wheels, Inc

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 3309 Laurens Road

City: Greenville State: SC Zip: 29607

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

## 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Patent Application No.(s) \_\_\_\_\_

B. Patent No.(s) 4,537,069; 4,967,195 and  
5,096,506Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

## 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Thomas W. Epting

Internal Address: Leatherwood Walker Todd  
& Mann, P.C.

Street Address: P.O. Box 87

City: Greenville State: SC Zip: 29602

## 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 8

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 120.00

- ☒ Enclosed  
☐ Authorized to be charged to deposit account

## 8. Deposit account number:

12-0760

RECEIVED  
SEP 22 AM 7:04  
OPR/FINANCE

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

## 9. Signature.

Thomas W. Epting  
Name of Person Signing  
Signature9/15/03  
Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and documents: 4

Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to:  
Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks, Box Assignments  
Washington, D.C. 20231

09/24/2003 LMUELLER 00000287 4537069

01 FC:8021

120.00 OP

PATENT  
REEL: 014506 FRAME: 0551

## **ASSIGNMENT**

ASSIGNMENT made by the Estate of John D. Hollingsworth, \_\_\_\_\_, Greenville, South Carolina 29609 (hereinafter referred to as the "Estate"), to John D. Hollingsworth on Wheels, Inc., of 3309 Laurens Road, Greenville, South Carolina 29607, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee").

### **WITNESSETH:**

WHEREAS, the Estate owns record title to the patents (hereinafter referred to as the "Patents") for inventions (hereinafter the "Inventions") identified on Exhibit A attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, Assignee maintains *de facto* ownership of the Patents and desires to formalize obtaining record title to the Patents from the Estate together with all rights to the Patents and the Inventions and improvements thereon, and all rights thereto in the United States of America and all countries throughout the entire World, their respective possessions and territories (collectively hereinafter referred to as "the Territory"), and in any and all patents and/or other rights which may be granted to Assignee within the Territory.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the promises hereinafter contained, and One Dollar (\$1.00) paid to the Estate by Assignee, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged by the Estate, the Estate agrees as follows:

1. *Assignment.* The Estate agrees to assign and hereby assigns to Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in the Patents and in the Inventions in the Territory, and in any improvements in the Inventions heretofore or hereafter made, and to all rights of priority thereto pursuant to the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property; and in any patent applications and patents in the Territory based upon the Patents or applications related thereto (including applications filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty ("PCT")), and in any patents for or other rights in the Invention and/or the improvements that may be granted by a governmental entity in the Territory, including each patent granted on any application, including, but not limited to, an application filed under the PCT, a provisional application, a non-provisional application, a utility application, a design application, a continuing prosecution application, a continued examination application, or an application having similar effect as any of the foregoing applications, and any application which is a division, substitution, continuation-in-part, or continuation of applications contemplated herein, and in each issue, reissue, or extension of the patents based on such applications.

2. *Parties.* The terms, covenants, and conditions of the assignment shall inure to the benefit of Assignee, its successors, assigns and/or other legal representatives, and shall be binding on the Estate, its successors, and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The Estate, through its personal representatives, has executed this Assignment as of the date indicated below.

THE ESTATE OF JOHN D.  
HOLLINGSWORTH

9/10/03  
Date

By: Andy B. Rasor  
Andy B. Rasor  
Personal Representative

SWORN to before me this  
10<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2003.

Quinn H. Henderson  
Notary Public for South Carolina  
My Commission expires: 6-09-07

September 9, 2003  
Date

By: Irvine T. Welling, Jr.  
Irvine T. Welling, Jr.  
Personal Representative

SWORN to before me this  
9<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2003.

W. D. Alford  
Notary Public for South Carolina  
My Commission expires: 9/10/09

Sept 9<sup>th</sup> 2003  
Date

By: William E. Henderson  
William E. Henderson  
Personal Representative

SWORN to before me this  
9<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2003.

William E. Amett  
Notary Public for South Carolina  
My Commission expires: Aug 19, 2012

## EXHIBIT A

1. **U.S. Patent No. 4,537,096**

Title: "Metallic Card Clothing and Method and Apparatus for Making Same"

Issued: August 27, 1985

Inventor: John D. Hollingsworth

Together with any and all foreign counterpart applications and patents and any and all related U.S. Patents, including, but not limited to, all continuation patents, continuation-in-part patents, divisional patents, reissue patents, and re-exam patents.

2. **U.S. Patent No. 4,964,195**

Title: "Metallic Card Clothing"

Issued: October 23, 1990

Inventor: John D. Hollingsworth

Together with any and all foreign counterpart applications and patents and any and all related U.S. Patents, including, but not limited to, all continuation patents, continuation-in-part patents, divisional patents, reissue patents, and re-exam patents.

3. **U.S. Patent No. 5,096,506**

Title: "Method for Making Card Clothing"

Issued: March 17, 1992

Inventor: John D. Hollingsworth

Together with any and all foreign counterpart applications and patents and any and all related U.S. Patents, including, but not limited to, all continuation patents, continuation-in-part patents, divisional patents, reissue patents, and re-exam patents.