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

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

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- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
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January 28, 2004

Execution Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 137 W. Forest Hill AvenueP.O. Box 927City: Oak Creek State: WI Zip: 53154Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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For One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration received of the hereinafter named assignee, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the undersigned, Billy B. Edwards, 3365 Fiebantz Dr., Brookfield, Wisconsin 53005 and James L. Welch, 133 West College Ave., Waukesha, Wisconsin 53186 assign all right, title and interest to **Master Lock Company, a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 137 W. Forest Hill Avenue, P.O. Box 927, Oak Creek, Wisconsin 53154**, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, so far as concerns the United States and the Territories and Possessions thereof and all foreign countries, in and to the inventions in

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set forth in United States Provisional Patent Application No. 10/707816 filed on January 14, 2004, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, including but not limited to all provisional, divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation, PCT and Convention applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patents and reissues and extension of Letters Patent granted for said inventions or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said applications and said Letters Patent; said assignee being hereby authorized to file patent applications in any or all countries on any or all said inventions in the name of the undersigned or in the name of said assignee or otherwise as said assignee may deem advisable; the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments being hereby authorized to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to said assignee in accordance herewith; this assignment being under covenant, not only that full power to make the same is had by the undersigned, but also that such assigned right is not encumbered by any grant, license, or other right heretofore given, and that the undersigned will do all acts reasonably serving to assure that the said inventions, patent applications and Letters Patent shall be held and enjoyed by said assignee as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned if this assignment had not been made, and particularly to execute and deliver to said assignee all lawful documents including petitions, specifications, oaths, assignments, invention disclaimers, and lawful affidavits in form and in substance which may be requested by said assignee, to furnish said assignee with all facts relating to said inventions or

the history thereof and any and all documents, photographs, models, samples or other physical exhibits which may be useful for establishing the facts of conception, disclosure and reduction to practice of said inventions, and the testify in any proceedings relating to said inventions, patent applications and Letters Patent.


Date: 1-21-04

  
BILLY B. EDWARDS

State of Wisconsin )  
County of Milwaukee ) SS:

On this, the 21st day of January, 2004, personally appeared before me Billy B. Edwards, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above Assignment, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and the purposes therein mentioned.

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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JAMES L. WELCH

State of Wisconsin )  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ ) SS:

On this, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004, personally appeared before me James L. Welch, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above Assignment, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and the purposes therein mentioned.

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

BILLY B. EDWARDS

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Date: JAN. 28, 2004

  
JAMES L. WELCH

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On this, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2004, personally appeared before me James L. Welch, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above Assignment, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and the purposes therein mentioned.

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