

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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ASSIGNMENT OF U.S. PATENT

WHEREAS, SHIPPING SYSTEMS, INC. a Louisiana Corporation having offices at 1811 Roselawn Avenue, Monroe Louisiana 71201 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), is the owner of the invention for which the patent listed below has issued (hereinafter referred to as the "Patent");

PATENT NUMBER	TITLE	ISSUE DATE
5,111,838	Dunnage Bag Air Valve And Coupling	May 12, 1992

WHEREAS, ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC., a Delaware corporation, having offices at 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, Illinois 60025 (hereinafter referred to as Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring said invention and Patent;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patent, in and to the invention described and claimed therein, and any reissues of the Patent; with the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and enjoyment and the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and legal representatives to the end of the term for which each of the Patents was granted or reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this assignment, sale, transfer had not been made. This grant specifically includes, without limitation, the right to recover for any third party infringement of the Patent, regardless of whether such infringement occurred before or occurs after the effective date of this Assignment.

ASSIGNOR DOES HEREBY COVENANT and agree with the Assignee that it will not execute any writing or do any act conflicting with the terms of this Assignment and that Assignor will, upon request and at Assignee's expense, execute such additional documents and do such additional acts as may be necessary to perfect the Assignee's enjoyment of this Assignment.

Dated effective as of this 22nd day of January, 2004.

Subscribed to and sworn to before me
this 22nd day of January, 2004.

SHIPPING SYSTEMS, INC.

Signature

Print or Type Name

Title

Therese Drummond

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: at Death

Tom L. Bagwell

TOM L. BAGWELL

PRESIDENT