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Name: Plano Molding Company

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 431 East South Street

City: Plano State: IL Zip: 60545

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ASSIGNMENT

Peter H. Henning, residing at and having a post office address of 444 Courtney Circle, Sugar Grove, Illinois 60554; Robert Charles Rath, residing at and having a post office address of 39W370 West Haladay Lane, Geneva, Illinois 60134; Jeffrey Alan Rustemeyer, residing at and having a post office address of 2720 Salix Cr., Naperville, Illinois 60564; Jesus Roberto Montenegro, residing at and having a post office address of 707 Terrace Way, Plano, Illinois 60545; and Robert J. Yunger, residing at and having a post office address of 1731 Tamahawk Lane, Naperville, Illinois 60564 (hereinafter called the "Assignors), have made a new and useful invention and improvement in:

"CASE STORAGE AND TRANSPORT RACK"

for a full description of which reference is hereby made to an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed on 3-30-04 by said Assignors and identified as Atty. Docket No. 27343.18.8001.

WHEREAS, Plano Molding Company, a corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, having a place of business at 431 East South Street, Plano, Illinois 60545-1601 (hereinafter called "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, to the application above identified, and in, to and under Letters Patent which may be obtained for said invention, and to other applications or patents covering said invention, as hereinafter more fully set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that, for valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by said Assignors, the Assignors have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign, and transfer unto the said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest for the United States in and to the invention and application hereinabove identified, and in and to any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue or reexamination applications, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States that may issue (or reissue) for said invention on any one or more of said applications, together with the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and related or counterpart applications for Letters Patent and Letters Patent therefor in all countries foreign to the United States, including the right to claim priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and other agreements and treaties of like purpose; to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all of said Letters Patent for said invention may issue.

And the Assignors do hereby covenant and agree, for themselves and their legal representative, that they will assist their said Assignee in the prosecution of any of the applications herein referred to; in the making and prosecution of any other applications for Letters Patent that the said Assignee may elect to make covering the invention herein referred to, including any divisional, continuation, or continuation-in-part application; or any application to reexamine or reissue any patent referred to herein; in vesting in the said Assignee exclusive title in and to all applications and Letters Patent referred to

herein; and in the prosecution of any interference, infringement or other action which may arise involving said invention or any claim thereto or thereunder, or any application or Letters Patent herein referred to; and they will execute and deliver to the said Assignee any and all additional papers which may be requested by said Assignee to vest title in said Assignee in the United States and in countries foreign thereto, and will otherwise fully carry out the terms of this agreement.

And the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue Letters Patent to the said Assignee in accordance with the terms of this Assignment.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said Assignors have hereunto set their hand and affixed their seal.

Dated: 3-30-04

Peter H. Henning
Peter H. Henning

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS
COUNTY OF DeKalb)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that Peter H. Henning, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 30 day of March, 2004.

My Commission Expires:

Margaret B. Vaughan
Notary Public

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Dated: 3-30-04

Robert Charles Rath
Robert Charles Rath

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I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that Robert Charles Rath, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 30 day of March, 2004.

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Dated: March 30, 2004

Jeffrey Alan Rustemeyer
Jeffrey Alan Rustemeyer

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I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that Jeffrey Alan Rustemeyer, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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MARGARET B. VAUGHAN
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Dated: March 30 2004

Jesus Roberto Montenegro
Name: Jesus Roberto Montenegro

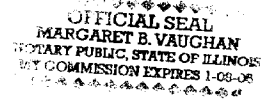
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I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that Jesus Roberto Montenegro, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 30 day of March, 2004.

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Dated: March 30, 2004

Robert J. Yunger
Robert J. Yunger

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COUNTY OF DeKalb)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that Robert J. Yunger, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 30 day of March, 2004.

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