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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Stephen D. Hatcher and Michael L. Deimen, residing at 509 West 6th Street, Jasper, Indiana 47546 and P.O. Box 307, Holland, Indiana 47541, respectively, have invented certain improvements in:

CHAIR WITH BACKREST DEPTH ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM

as described and claimed in an application for U.S. Letters Patent of The United States of America thereon, said application having Application Serial No. 10/983,348, filed November 8, 2004; and

WHEREAS, Kimball International, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Indiana, having its principal place of business at 1600 Royal Street, Jasper, Indiana 47549, is to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and said application for Letters Patent;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, we, Stephen D. Hatcher and Michael L. Deimen, do hereby assign, sell, transfer and set over unto said Kimball International, Inc., its successors and assigns, the full, entire and exclusive right, title and interest, for the territory of the United States of America and for all foreign countries, in and to said invention, as described in the application identified above, and in and to said application and any divisions or continuations or continuations-in-part thereof or substitutes therefor which may be filed, and in and to any patents or reissues, renewals or extensions thereof which may be granted on said application or for said invention, and in and to any patent application which may be filed on said invention in countries foreign to the United States of America and any patents granted thereon; said invention, applications, and patents to be held and enjoyed by said Kimball International, Inc., and its successors or assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which said patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment not been made.

We hereby authorize and request the Patent and Trademark Office officials in the United States of America and the Patent Office officials of any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said patents, when granted to said Kimball International, Inc., as the assignee of our entire right, title and interest in and to the same for the sole use and enjoyment of said Kimball International, Inc., its successors and assigns.

Further, we agree to execute all papers and to give such lawful testimony and to perform such other lawful acts as said Kimball International, Inc., its successors and assigns may require

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to enable it or them to procure a Letters Patent on said invention or reissues or extensions thereof in the United States of America and/or in any foreign country, and/or to hold, enforce or convey said Letters Patent, reissues or extensions.

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Stephen D.

STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF Dubois

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, this day personally appeared Stephen D. Hatcher and Michael L. Deimen, to me well known, who acknowledged the execution of the foregoing instrument as their free act and deed.

My Commission Expires:

November 17,2012

BRANDEE MCKIM NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF INDIANA
PIKE COUNTY

MY COMMISSION EXP. NOVEMBER 17, 2012

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