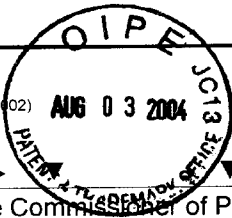


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ASSIGNMENT**Joint Inventorship**

WHEREAS, Jason Anthony Stipes and Andrew David Schaffstein, hereinafter called the "Assignors", have invented a new and useful *Cable Channel Filler with Embedded Shield and Cable Containing the Same*, filed as a U.S. PCT application with serial No. PCT/US01/01367 and an International filing date of January 16, 2001 and claim priority of U.S. provisional application 60/177,068 filed January 19, 2000; and

WHEREAS, Belden Wire & Cable Company, a Delaware corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Indiana, having a principal office and place of business at 2200 U.S. Highway 27 South, Richmond, Indiana, hereinafter called the "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, the application above identified, and to all priority rights thereof, and to National applications filed in any of the countries designated in the above PCT application and to applications in any country based on the invention described in the above PCT application, and in, to and under Letters Patent which may be obtained for said invention, as hereinafter more fully set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of \$10.00, and other valuable and legally sufficient considerations, the receipt of which by the said Assignors from the said Assignee is hereby acknowledged, the said Assignors have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest for and all priority rights in and to the invention and applications hereinabove identified, and any Letters Patents that may issue for said invention as well as all continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions and reissues thereof, to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the said Assignee, its

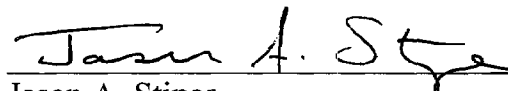
successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which any and all of said Letters Patents for said invention that may issue.

And the said Assignors do hereby covenant and agree, for themselves and their legal representatives, that they will assist their said Assignee in the prosecution of the application herein identified; in the making and prosecution of any other applications for Letters Patent that the said Assignee may elect to make covering the invention herein identified, as hereinbefore set forth, including any application for reissue, application for reexamination, or any proceeding in any country, affecting said invention, investing in the said Assignee exclusive title in and to all such other applications and Letters Patents; and in the prosecution of any interference or reexamination which may arise involving said invention, or any application or Letters Patents herein contemplated; and that they will execute and deliver to the said Assignee any and all additional papers which may be requested by the said Assignee to fully carry out the terms of this assignment.

And the appropriate Patent Offices are 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 hands on the date indicated below.

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