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**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION**

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged

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hereby sell, assign and transfer to

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Lexington, KY 40550

and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

**"Automatic Edge Guide Assembly"**

and which is found in (37 C.F.R. Section 3.21) U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue or re-examination thereof.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set hand and seal as of the date(s) listed below.

Edmund H. James III  
Signature of Edmund H. James III

9/24/2004  
Date

Randal S. Williamson  
Signature of Randal S. Williamson

9/24/2004  
Date

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United States of America

and place of signing of assignment

Lexington, KY

Before me on the date(s) indicated above, personally appeared the above named individuals, to me known to be the persons who are described in, and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

Samuel H. Clarys  
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