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Christopher Jon Gilbert

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**2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)**

Name: Moen Incorporated

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 25300 Al Moen Drive

City: North Olmsted

State: Ohio

Country: USA Zip: 44070

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Signature

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Date

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ASSIGNMENT

For One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration received of the hereinafter named assignee, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the undersigned, Christopher Jon Gilbert of 10 Park Lane, Moreland Hills, Ohio 44022, hereby assign to Moen Incorporated, an Ohio corporation, having a place of business at 25300 Al Moen Drive, North Olmsted, Ohio 44070, its successors and assigns, so far as concerns the United States and the Territories and Possessions thereof and all foreign countries, all right, title and interest in and to the inventions in

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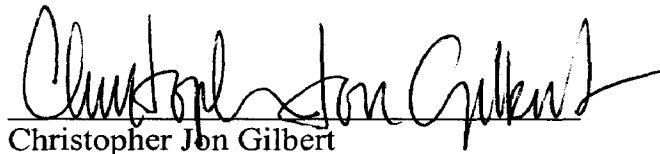
set forth in the application for United States Letters Patent executed by the undersigned on Nov 20/04 (date(s) Declaration was signed); OR  
 set forth in the application for United States Letters Patent, Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_,  
 filed \_\_\_\_\_,

said application for United States Letters Patent, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions in countries foreign to the United States, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation and Convention applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patents and reissues and extension of Letters Patent granted for said inventions or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said applications and said Letters Patent; said assignee being hereby authorized to file patent applications in any or all countries on any or all said inventions in the name of the undersigned or in the name of said assignee or otherwise as said assignee may deem advisable, under the International Convention or otherwise; the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments being hereby authorized to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to said assignee in accordance herewith; this assignment being under covenant, not only that full power to make the same is had by the undersigned, but also that such assigned right is not encumbered by any grant, license, or other right heretofore given, and that the undersigned will do all acts

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We hereby instruct our attorneys to enter the corresponding serial number and filing date of the afore-referenced patent application prior to recording this assignment, to have the same effect as if entered prior to my signature.

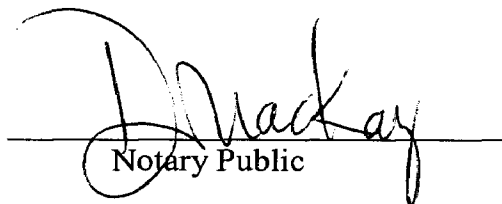
Date: Nov 30/04

  
Christopher Jon Gilbert

State of Ohio                                 )  
  )  
County of Cuyahoga                        )

On this 30 day of November, 2004, personally appeared before me, Christopher Jon Gilbert, to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the uses and the purposes therein mentioned.

Date: 11/30/04

  
Notary Public

Debra MacKay, Notary Public  
In and For the State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires  
October 1, 2008