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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

United States Patent Number: 6,227,592
Inventor: Thacker
Filed: August 4, 2000
For: Pickup Bed Cover

Docket No. 1714B.1
Issued: May 8, 2001

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I/we, the undersigned, own rights to the invention identified above.

WHEREAS, Thacker Manufacturing Inc. (hereinafter "Company" or "Assignee"), an Arizona Corporation, having a principal place of business at 5255 N. Avenida Largo Tucson, Arizona 85745, is desirous of acquiring certain rights thereunder;

NOW, THEREFORE, for one dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned:

Hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto said Company the entire right, title and interest in and throughout the United States of America (including its possessions and dependencies), and all countries foreign thereto, in and to said invention, said application and any and all patents (including reissues and extensions thereof), of any country, which have been or may be granted on said invention or any part thereof, or on said application or any divisional, substitute, continuation-in-whole or in-part, renewal, reissue or other patent application based thereon, or based upon said invention, together with the right in said Company to apply for any such patent in its own name in all countries of the world where such is permissible by law, and the right to claim the benefit of the priority right provided by the International Convention of 1883, as amended to date, and any other such priority right; TO BE HELD AND ENJOYED by said Company, its successors and assigns, to the full ends of the respective terms for which said patents or any of them have been or may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned had no sale and assignment of said interest been made;

Agree, for the undersigned and for the heirs and legal representatives of the undersigned, to execute without further consideration any further lawful documents and any further assurances, and any divisional, continuation-in-whole or in-part, substitute, renewal, reissue, or other applications for patents of any country that might be deemed necessary by said assignee fully to secure to said assignee its interest as aforesaid in and to said invention or any part thereof, and in and to said several patents or any of them;

Covenant, for the undersigned and for the legal representatives of the undersigned, and agree with said Company its successors and assigns, that no right of license to make, use or sell said invention has been or will be granted by the undersigned to anyone.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have unto set my hand and seal on the date indicated by my signature.

Inventor Signature: *Ray W. Prank*

Date: 13 Dec 2004

STATE OF Arizona)

) ss.

COUNTY OF Pima)

On the 13th day of December, 2004, before me personally came Gary W. Thacker to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same.

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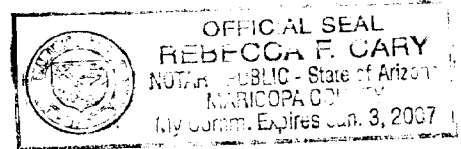
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FOR THE COMPANY:

Signature: *Ray W. Prank*

Position: President

Date: 13 Dec 2004



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