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To the Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name(s) of conveying party:

- (1) Valérie Maistre
- (2) Claude Desbiolles
- (3) Alain Hubault
- (4) Patrick Mercier

2. Name and address of receiving party:

SOMFY
50, Avenue du Nouveau Monde
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France

3. Nature of conveyance: Assignment

Execution Dates: (1)September 1, 2004 (2)September 2, 2004 (3)September 2, 2004 (4)September 2, 2004

4. Application number:

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(1)September 1, 2004 (2)September 2, 2004 (3)September 2, 2004 (4)September 2, 2004

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning Assignment should be mailed:

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INVENTION/PATENT APPLICATION ASSIGNMENT
FROM INVENTOR(S) TO COMPANY

WHEREAS I/WE MAISTRE, Valérie of Thyez - France, DESBIOLLES, Claude of Eteaux - France, HUBAULT, Alain of Magland - France, MERCIER, Patrick of Marignier - France, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled:

METHOD OF DETERMINING AN INTERMEDIATE OPEN POSITION FOR A ROLLER BLIND

the specification of which is filed as a National Phase of PCT Application No PCT/IB03/01083 filed on March 25, 2003 and designating the US, under French priorities No FR 02 03668 filed on March 25, 2002 and FR 03 01675 filed on February 12, 2003, and published as WO 03/081357 on October 2, 2003

AND WHEREAS, SOMFY a corporation organized under the laws of FRANCE and having an address of 50, Avenue du Nouveau Monde, 74300 CLUSES, FRANCE, hereinafter referred to as assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries that may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt for and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, We do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said assignee, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries that may be issued for said invention;


UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, We hereby agree with the said assignee that We will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that We will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or causes of action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

AND We request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States that may be issued for said invention to said assignee, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.


01.09.2004
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