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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I, John Gibb, residing at 24 Coburn Crescent, Beeton, Ontario LOG 1AO, CANADA, have made an invention entitled PIPE COUPLING HAVING COMPRESSION BAND described and claimed in a design patent application for United States Letters Patent therefor, Application No. 11/127,858, filed May 12, 2005.

AND WHEREAS, VICTAULIC COMPANY OF AMERICA, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, having a place of business at 4901 Kesslersville Road, Easton, Pennsylvania 18040, U.S.A., desires to acquire the entire interest in said application and any Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and confirm unto VICTAULIC COMPANY OF AMERICA, its successors, assigns and legal representatives all right, title and interest in and to said invention and any improvement thereon for all countries of the world, and in and to said application and any divisions, continuations, renewals and substitutes thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may issue thereon, and any reissues of the same; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all patents granted on said invention to VICTAULIC COMPANY OF AMERICA, as the assignee of the patents granted on said invention to VICTAULIC COMPANY OF AMERICA, as the assignee of the entire interest therein and I further agree to execute upon request of the assignee such additional documents, if any, as are necessary and proper to secure patent protection on said invention, and to otherwise give full effect to, and perfect the rights of the assignee under this Assignment.

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IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name at RICHWORD HILL, OHTARIO this 27 day of Touy, 2005.

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