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We, **Dennis Westphal** and **Jerome Habeck** hereby declare that we are the inventors of the invention relating to **Patio Door Panel Lower Left Hand Corner Bracket Connector**, described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, identified as Attorney Docket No. D0932-00619, and filed herewith.

We hereby sell, assign and transfer to **CertainTeed Corporation**, a Pennsylvania corporation, with its principal place of business located at 750 East Swedesford Road, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania 19482, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to said application, and all the rights and privileges in said applications and under any and all Letters Patent and any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamination certificates, reissues, and extensions thereof that may be granted in the United States for said inventions; and I also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to CertainTeed Corporation the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We agree that, when requested, we will, without charge to said Corporation but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, make all rightful declarations, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents or other forms of protection for said inventions in any and all countries, and for vesting title thereto in said Corporation, its successors, assigns or nominees.

We agree that we will communicate to said Corporation or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said inventions and, when requested by said Corporation and at its expense, will testify in any legal proceedings, and generally do everything possible to aid said Corporation, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives or nominees, to obtain or enforce proper protection for said inventions in any and all countries.

We authorize and empower said Corporation, its successors, assigns or nominees, to make application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions in its or their own name, or in our name, in any and all countries, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right or priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

We hereby consent that a copy of this Assignment shall be deemed a full, legal, and formal equivalent of any Assignment, consent to file or like document, which may be required in PHI/1492543.1

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We covenant with the Corporation, its successors, assigns, legal representatives, and nominees, that to the best of my knowledge the right, title, and interest herein conveyed by us. are free and clear of any encumbrance, and that we have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

LEBANON, IN Dated 11/10/05

Signed at

Inventor

Dennis Westphal

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1st Witness

2nd Witness

(Type or Print Name)

This 18 day of November, 2005, before me personally came the above-named Dennis Westphal, known as the individual who executed the foregoing Assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and Notarial seal the day and year immediately above-written.

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(Signature)

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This 7 day of November, 2005, before me personally came the above-named Jerome Habeck, known as the individual who executed the foregoing Assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and Notarial seal the day and year immediately above-written.

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