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## *Assignment*

WHEREAS, we, **CRAIG ALLEN McELDOWNY**, residing at **3350 Simon Road, Russia, Ohio 45363**, a citizen of the United States and **MARK RICHARD MITCHELL**, residing at **16902 East Mason Road, Sidney, Ohio 45365**, a citizen of the United States; have invented "**TAB, TOOLING FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF THE TAB AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE TAB**" for which we herewith file an Application and which has an attorney docket no. 291448-00378; and

WHEREAS, **STOLLE MACHINERY COMPANY, LLC**, a Delaware limited liability company, having an address of **6949 South Potomac Street, Centennial, Colorado 80112**, hereinafter called the "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire worldwide right, title, and interest in and to said application and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One (\$1.00) Dollar and other good and valuable consideration paid to us by said Assignee, receipt whereof we hereby acknowledge, we do hereby assign, sell, transfer, and set over unto said Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign countries and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor in the United States and all foreign countries and all divisions, reissues, continuations, renewals, and/or extensions thereof including all priority rights under the International Convention associated therewith for each country and the Union, said Assignee to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full ends of the terms of said Letters patent and any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment not been made.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested to issue such Letters Patent in accordance herewith. We covenant that we are the lawful owners of the said application, inventions, and improvements, that the same are unencumbered, that no license has been granted to make, use or vend the said inventions or improvements or any of them, and that we have the full right to make this assignment.

And for the consideration aforesaid, we agree that we will communicate to said Assignee or the representatives thereof any facts known to us respecting said inventions and improvements, and will, upon request, but without expense to us, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, renewal, and/or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by said Assignee or by counsel for said Assignee, to assist or enable said Assignee to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. This assignment shall be binding upon our heirs, executors, administrators, and/or assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and/or assigns, as the case may be, of said Assignee.

EXECUTED May 25, 2006

Craig Allen McEldowney (SEAL)  
CRAIG ALLEN McELDOWNEY

State of Ohio

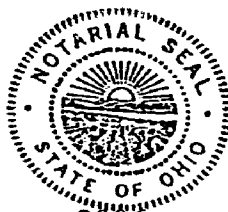
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared **CRAIG ALLEN McELDOWNEY**, who acknowledged that he is the person who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and notarial seal this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 2006.

Justin Ty Blackford  
Notary Public

(NOTARIAL SEAL)



Justin Ty Blackford, Notary Public  
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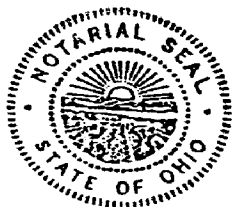
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared **MARK RICHARD MITCHELL**, who acknowledged that he is the person who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and notarial seal this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 2006.

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