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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **MARK D. RUSSELL**, of Bowling Green, Kentucky have made certain new and useful inventions as disclosed in applications for United States Letters Patent filed the 5th day of September, 2006 entitled **WEAR-RESISTANT CONNECTOR FOR A MODULAR LINK CONVEYOR BELT** and assigned Ser. Nos. 11 / 515, 542;

AND WHEREAS, **SPAN TECH LLC**, a limited liability company of the Commonwealth of Kentucky having a place of business at 1115 Cleveland Avenue, Glasgow, Kentucky 42141 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor based on these applications;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, I do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto **SPAN TECH LLC**, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned applications, to the applications, and in and to any and all Letters Patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for the inventions disclosed therein;

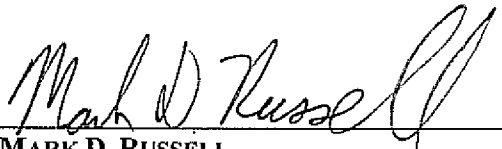
UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, I hereby agree with the said assignee that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that I will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of the said assignee, execute such additional 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, 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 choses in 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

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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 I authorize the law firm of King & Schickli, PLLC to insert the serial number and filing date of the application when known;

AND I request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks or the corresponding official in any foreign country in which a patent or patents may issue for said inventions to issue said patent or patents to SPAN TECH LLC, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patents and the inventions covered thereby.


MARK D. RUSSELL

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY)
COUNTY OF Barren) SS:

On this 31st day of August, 2006, before me personally appeared MARK D. RUSSELL, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

My commission expires:

November 14, 2009

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