11-14-2006 RECORD U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FORM PTO-1595 Patent and Trademark Office (Rev 6-93) OMB No. 0651-0011 (exp. 4/94) To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Ple the attached original documents or copy thereof. 1. Name of conveying party(ies) — execution date: 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Whiteside Mfg. Co. Kirt E. Whiteside --- October 25, 2006 Name: Robert E. Studer - October 30, 2006 Address: 309 Hayes Street Delaware, Ohio 43015 Keith R. Studer -- October 30, 2006 Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes X N<u>o</u> 3. Nature of conveyance: Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes X No Assignment <u>X</u> Merger Change of Name Security Agreement Other Execution Date: SEE ABOVE 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: October 24 and October 30, 2006 A. Patent Application No.(s) B. Patent No.(s) Additional numbers attached? __Yes _X No 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning 6. Total Number of applications and patents involved: document should be mailed: Name: Edward G. Greive 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ 40.00 Renner, Kenner, Greive, Bobak, Taylor & Weber X Enclosed Street Address: Fourth Floor, First National Tower Authorized to be charged to deposit account City: Akron State: OH ZIP: 44308-1456 In the event that the enclosed fee is not sufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0987. (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account) DONOT USE THIS SPACE Statement and signature. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Edward G. Greive Name of Person Signing Signature Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 4 Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to: Mail Stop, ASSIGNMENT RECORDATION SERVICES Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Kirt E. Whiteside**, of Marion, County of Marion, and State of Ohio; **Robert E. Studer**, of New Washington, County of Crawford, and Ohio; and **Keith R. Studer**, of Shelby, County of Richland, and State of Ohio, have invented a new, original and ornamental design for a **MECHANIC'S CREEPER**, for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Whiteside Mfg. Co., a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Ohio and having its principal office and place of business at 309 Hayes Street, Delaware, Ohio 43015, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in, to and under any application directed thereto and any Letters Patent of the United States or foreign countries which may be obtained therefor:

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

BE IT KNOWN that in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration received by us from Whiteside Mfg. Co., aforesaid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said Kirt E. Whiteside, Robert E. Studer and Keith R. Studer, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over unto Whiteside Mfg. Co., aforesaid, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and all foreign countries and in, to and under the application for Letters Patent of the United States therefor, executed by us on the 30+n day of October , 2006, and in, to and under any reissue, divisional, continuing or substitute application thereof or any corresponding application filed in a foreign country, and in, to and under any Letters Patent that may be issued for said invention in the United States or in any foreign country; and we do hereby covenant and agree for ourselves and our legal representatives to assist our said assignee in the prosecution of the said application or applications and in any interference or litigation which may arise involving our said invention or the said patent or patents, and to execute any reissue application thereon, or any divisional, continuing, substitute, or foreign application based on or corresponding to the above specifically identified

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application, as may be requested by our said assignee, and we do hereby authorize and		
request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of		
the United States upon the above specifically identified application for said invention to		
Whiteside Mfg. Co., aforesaid, as assignee of our entire right, title and interest in and to		
the same for the sole use and behoof of our assignee, its successors and assigns.		
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this		
30th day of <u>Table</u> , 2006.		
Kirt E. Whiteside		
Robert E. Studer		
Keith R. Studer		
STATE OF OHIO))ss		
COUNTY OF)		
I, <u>Frill Schonoler</u> , a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Kirt E. Whiteside, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.		

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 25 day of October, 2006.

Notary Public

TENILLE SCHOONOVER
NOTARY PUBLIC
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same person whose name is subscribed me this day in person and acknowledge	a Notary Public in and for the County and State E. Studer, personally known to me to be the d to the foregoing instrument, appeared before ed that he signed, sealed and delivered the said for the uses and purposes therein set forth.
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