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David Reece	12/05/2006
Mark D. Dixon	12/04/2006
John R. Carlson	12/05/2006
Hai Lam	12/05/2006
Philip Sasse	12/04/2006

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Southwire Company
Street Address:	One Southwire Drive
City:	Carrollton
State/Country:	GEORGIA
Postal Code:	30119

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 8

Property Type	Number
Application Number:	10952294
Application Number:	11120487
Application Number:	11135807
Application Number:	11135986
Application Number:	11313596
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### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Randy D. Kummer, David Reece, Mark D. Dixon, John R. Carlson, Hai Lam and Philip Sasse, are the inventors named in and are the inventors of the subject matter of the following U.S. patent applications:

Serial No. 10/952,294	Filed: September 28, 2004
Serial No. 11/120,487	Filed: May 3, 2005
Serial No. 11/135,807	Filed: May 24, 2005
Serial No. 11/135,986	Filed: May 24, 2005
Serial No. 11/313,596	Filed: December 21, 2005
Serial No. 11/314,580	Filed: December 21, 2005
Serial No. 11/410,820	Filed: April 25, 2006
Serial No. 11/411,039	Filed: April 25, 2006

WHEREAS, Southwire Company, a corporation of the State of Georgia, having a place of business at One Southwire Drive, Carrollton, Georgia 30119, is desirous of acquiring the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by us, we have assigned, sold, transferred and set over and by these presents do assign, sell, transfer and set over unto said ASSIGNEE our entire right, title and interest in and to (a) said inventions and worldwide rights therein; (b) said applications, including all divisions, continuations and substitutions thereof; and (c) all United States and foreign patents which shall issue on said applications, including all reissues, renewals and extensions thereof, for the United States, its territories and possessions and all foreign countries, including the right to file corresponding applications for Letters Patent on said inventions in any and all foreign countries, and to claim priority under any and all treaties and conventions to which the United States of America is signatory including the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property for such corresponding applications, or any divisions, continuations or substitution thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its assigns and successors, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us, had this assignment not been made.

We jointly and severally covenant and agree that we will, at any time upon the request and at the expense of said ASSIGNEE, execute and deliver any and all papers and do all lawful acts that may be necessary or desirable, in the opinion of said ASSIGNEE, to enable and assist said ASSIGNEE to (a) obtain Letters Patent, both domestic and foreign, on said inventions; (b)

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establish, maintain and secure title in said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, to said inventions, applications and Letters Patent, including making such title of lawful public record; and (c) defend, establish or otherwise preserve the validity of said Letters Patent against any and all infringers, and perform such other acts as are necessary to give full force and effect to this assignment.

We jointly and severally represent and covenant that no assignment, mortgage, sale, license, pledge, encumbrance or alienation of said inventions or patent applications has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner for Patents of the United States to issue all Letters Patent based on said applications and each division, continuation, substitution, reissue, renewal and extension thereof to said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have duly executed this assignment on the date as indicated next to our names, respectively.

Date: 12/4/06

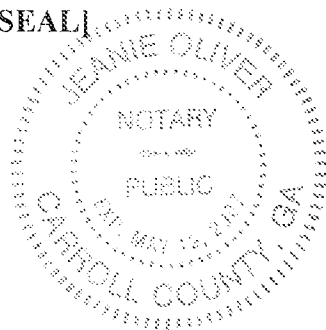
Randy D. Kummer  
Randy D. Kummer

THE STATE OF GEORGIA       §  
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public, on this day personally appeared Randy D. Kummer, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE this 4th day of December, 2006.

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Jeannie Oliver  
NOTARY PUBLIC

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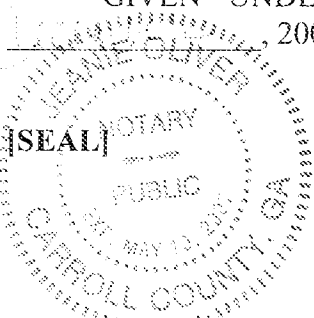
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David Reece  
David Reece

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COUNTY OF Bulloch       §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public, on this day personally appeared David Reece, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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Jeanne Oliver  
NOTARY PUBLIC

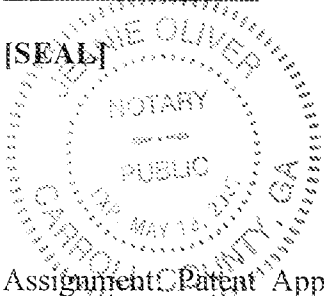
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Mark D. Dixon  
Mark D. Dixon

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public, on this day personally appeared Mark D. Dixon, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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John R. Carlson

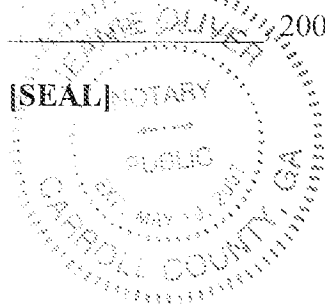
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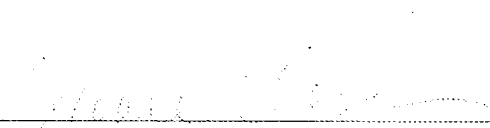
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public, on this day personally appeared John R. Carlson, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Hai Lam

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public, on this day personally appeared Hai Lam, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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John R. Carlson

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Hai Lam

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GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE this 24 day of January, 2006.

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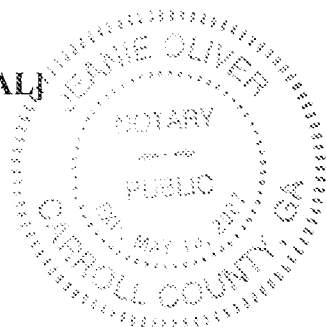
Philip Sasse  
Philip Sasse

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COUNTY OF Cherokee §  
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public, on this day personally appeared Philip Sasse, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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Philip Sasse  
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