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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, William E. Thurman ("Assignor"), has invented a new and useful ORNAMENTAL DESIGN FOR A DUCT, for which a patent exist with the United States Patent and Trademark Office; and

WHEREAS, SEMCO Incorporated ("Assignee"), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Missouri, having an office at 1800 East Pointe Drive, Columbia Missouri 65201-3508, desires to acquire the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to the said invention and patent application, and any continuing and/or divisional applications which may be hereinafter filed, and any Letters Patent which may be granted and issued therefore in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the said Assignee their entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention, and patent application, and any continuing and/or divisional applications which may be hereinafter filed, and in and to any Letters Patent which may be granted and issued in and for the United States of America and all foreign countries, including all treaty and convention rights, and the right to sue for present, past, and future infringement, enforce any rights and file any causes of action related thereto (either in law or equity), and to all income, royalties, fees, damages, and payments now or hereafter due or payable in respect thereto, the same to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full extent permissible under any applicable laws and ends of the terms for which all Letters Patents therefore may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned if this assignment and sale had not been made.

And said Assignee is hereby authorized to make application for and to receive Letters Patent for said invention in any of said countries at its election.

And the Assistant Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized and requested to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States for said invention to said Assignee.