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Kirt E. Whiteside — March 19, 2007
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Name: Whiteside Mfg. Co.
Address: 309 Hayes Street
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Kirt E. Whiteside**, of Marion, County of Marion, and State of Ohio; and **Shane Obitts**, of Elyria, County of Lorain, and State of Ohio, have invented a new, original and ornamental design for a **FRAME 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:

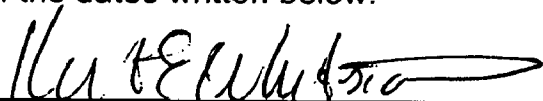
BE IT KNOWN that in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration received by us from Whiteside Mfg. Co., aforesaid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said Kirt E. Whiteside and Shane Obitts, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over 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 March 12, 2007 and March 19, 2007, 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 application, as may be requested by our said assignee, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

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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 as of the dates written below.


Kirt E. Whiteside

3.19.07
Date


Shane Obitts

3/12/07
Date