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**PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid to each of the undersigned,

Name(s) of Inventor(s) Brian Lee SWIFT, Ronald E. KISSELL,  
Ruijian XU, Ronald A. HOUP,  
Charles Fitch APPLEY, and  
Patrick M. NOONAN

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maker(s) of an invention which is the subject of a United States Provisional Patent Application identified as Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ with a filing date of \_\_\_\_\_ and/or  
■ PCT International Application Serial No. PCT/US2007/001892 filed January 25, 2007, entitled

Title of Application BINDERS AND MATERIALS MADE THEREWITH  
hereinafter (the "Application(s)")

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(hereinafter designated as the Assignee) their entire right, title and interest in, to and under the Application(s), including all priority rights for the United States and other countries arising therefrom, all inventions therein disclosed, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of all other countries, including Canada and Mexico, which may be granted for such inventions, or any of them, all such inventions and all rights in such Application(s) and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and enjoyment to the full end of the term or terms for which such Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by them had this assignment and sale not been made.

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The undersigned hereby grant(s) the attorney of record the power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

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Inventor (Signature) Brian Lee Swift  
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Acknowledged before me, a Notary Public, within and for said County and State. Witness my hand and Notarial Seal  
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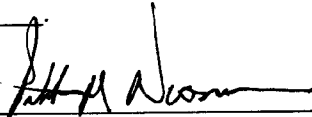
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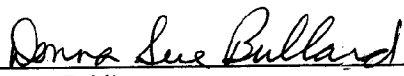
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