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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Rich L. Westrick, Jr.** of **478 W. Hightower Trail, Social Circle, GA 30025**, **Stephen H. Lydecker** of **2582 Meadowglen Tr., Snellville, GA 30078** and **Mark Norton** of **80 Sable Circle, Covington, GA 30016**, respectively, have invented new and useful improvements in **“Distributed Intelligence Automated Lighting Systems and Methods”** for which a United States Patent Application was filed on May 25, 2007, and assigned Application No. 11/753,902; and


WHEREAS, **Acuity Brands, Inc.**, a Georgia corporation, whose post-office address is **1170 Peachtree Street, NE, Suite 2400, Atlanta, Georgia 30309-7649**, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, **Rich L. Westrick, Jr.**, **Stephen H. Lydecker** and **Mark Norton**, hereby do sell, assign and transfer unto said **Acuity Brands, Inc.**, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and application throughout the world, including, without limitation, any Letters Patent which may issue thereon, and any subsequent application claiming priority to the above-identified application, reissue, reexamination, divisional, continuation-in-part, extension or continuation thereof and all rights of priority under the Paris Convention arising from said application; the same for **Acuity Brands, Inc.** legal representatives and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made;

AND, we hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, legal representatives, administrators and assigns properly to execute without further consideration any and all applications, petitions, oaths and assignments or other papers and instruments which may be necessary in order to carry into full force and effect, the sale, assignment, transfer and conveyance hereby made or intended to be made and

generally do everything possible to aid Acuity Brands, Inc., its legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries throughout the world.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this Assignment this 4th day of JUNE, 2007.

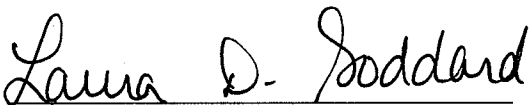


Rich L. Westrick, Jr. (L.S.)

State of GEORGIA

County of ROCKDALE

On this 4th day of June, 2007, before me, a Notary Public, came **Rich L. Westrick, Jr.**, to me known and known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he/she duly acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 7/06/10

Laura D. Goddard
Notary Public, Newton County, Georgia
My Commission Expires July 6, 2010

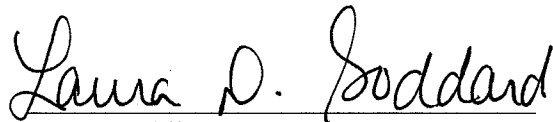
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this Assignment this 4 day
of June, 2007.



Mark Norton (L.S.)

State of Georgia
County of Rockdale (Rd)

On this 4th day of June, 2007, before me, a Notary Public,
came **Mark Norton**, to me known and known to be the individual described in and who executed the
foregoing assignment, and he/she duly acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

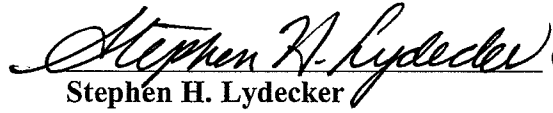


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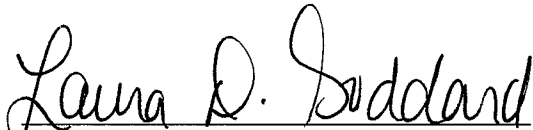
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this Assignment this 4TH day
of JUNE, 2007.

 (L.S.)
Stephen H. Lydecker

State of GEORGIA

County of WINNETT

On this 4TH day of JUNE, 2007, before me, a Notary Public, came
Stephen H. Lydecker, to me known and known to be the individual described in and who executed the
foregoing assignment, and he/she duly acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.


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