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WHEREAS, on even date herewith, Illinois Tool Works Inc. (hereinafter, "ITW"), a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a principal place of business at 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, Illinois 60026, purchased certain assets from Texzec, Inc., an Illinois corporation, having a principal place of business at 120 E. Ogden Avenue, Suite 200, Hinsdale, IL 60521 (hereinafter, "Texzec"), pursuant to an Asset Purchase Agreement (hereinafter, the "Agreement");

WHEREAS, Texzec is the assignee or sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in the patents and applications listed on Schedule 1.1(d) attached hereto;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Agreement, Texzec agrees to assign all of its rights, title and interest in said patents and applications over to ITW;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of certain good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Texzec sells, assigns and/or transfers unto ITW, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in the aforesaid patents and applications, including the right to sue for past infringements, in the United States and all foreign countries, together with all rights to claim priority, and in and to all Letters Patents or similar legal protection obtained or to be obtained by application or any continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, reexamination, reissue, renewal or substitution thereof, or any legal equivalent thereof;

AND HEREBY AGREES upon request of ITW, its successors, assigns or legal representatives, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by ITW, its successors, assigns or legal representatives, to fulfill the intent and purposes of this Assignment;

AND HEREBY COVENANTS that no assignment, sale or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this Assignment.

EXECUTED this 30th day of August, 2006.

Texzec, Inc.

By: TERENCE J. KNOWLES

Name: TERENCE J. KNOWLES

Title: PRESIDENT

Illinois Tool Works Inc.

By: G. W. Hill

Name: G. W. Hill

Title: Group President

Schedule 1.1(d)

U.S. PATENTS

| Title | Patent No. | Grant Date |
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| ACOUSTIC WAVE SENSOR WITH EMAT DRIVE | 6933932 | 08/23/05 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE ICE AND WATER DETECTOR | 7026943 | 04/11/06 |
| TORSION ACOUSTIC WAVE SENSOR | 7053529 | 05/30/06 |

U.S. PATENT APPLICATIONS

| Title | Application No. | Application Filing Date |
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| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH ACTUATED SWITCH | 09/766,000 | 1/18/01 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH ACTUATED SWITCH | 09/998355 | 11/20/01 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH ACTUATED SWITCH WITH FEEDBACK | 09/998220 | 11/20/01 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH DETECTION CIRCUIT AND METHOD | 10/454003 | 06/04/03 |
| INDIVIDUAL ACOUSTIC WAVE SWITCH | 10/435853 | 05/12/03 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH BAR SYSTEM AND METHOD OF USE | 11/187446 | 07/22/05 |

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Foreign Patent Applications

| <u>Title</u> | <u>Application No.</u> | <u>Date</u> |
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| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH ACTUATED SWITCH | 02763786.7 | 09/30/02 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH ACTUATED SWITCH WITH FEEDBACK | 02761841.2 | 09/30/02 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE SENSOR WITH EMAT DRIVE | 03797865.7 | 08/27/03 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH DETECTION CIRCUIT AND METHOD | 04754763.4 | 06/02/04 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE ICE AND WATER DETECTOR | 04776790.0 | 06/16/04 |
| TORSIONAL ACOUSTIC WAVE SENSOR | 04776791.8 | 09/30/02 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH ACTUATED SWITCH | PCT/US02/31001 (WO/2003/044768) | 09/30/02 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE ICE AND WATER DETECTOR | PCT/US04/19644 (WO/2005/006271) | 06/16/04 |
| TORSIONAL ACOUSTIC WAVE SENSOR | PCT/US04/19645 (WO/2005/006272) | 06/16/04 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH ACTUATED SWITCH WITH FEEDBACK | PCT/US02/30850 (WO/2003/044815) | 09/30/02 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE SENSOR WITH EMAT DRIVE | PCT/US03/026712 (WO/2004/027991) | 08/27/03 |
| INDIVIDUAL ACOUSTIC WAVE SWITCH | PCT/US04/14794 (WO/2004/102143) | 05/11/04 |
| ACOUSTIC WAVE TOUCH DETECTION CIRCUIT AND METHOD | PCT/US04/18122 (WO/2004/109925) | 06/02/04 |

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