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Assignment

WHEREAS, we, **JEFFREY M. NORTON** and **THERESA M. SHOEMAKER**, residing at **460 South Butler Road, Lebanon, PA 17042** and **360 Lortz Avenue, Chambersburg, PA 17201**, respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **LEAF RAKE** for which we are about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

AND WHEREAS **AMES TRUE TEMPER, INC.** having an address of **465 Railroad Avenue, Camp Hill, PA 17011**, hereinafter called the "assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One (\$1.00) Dollar and other good and valuable consideration paid to me by said assignee, receipt whereof we hereby acknowledge, we do hereby assign, sell, transfer, and set over unto said assignee the entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign countries and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor in the United States and all foreign countries and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-parts, re-examinations, renewals, substitutions, and/or extensions thereof including all priority rights under the International Convention associated therewith for each country and the Union, said assignee to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full ends of the terms of said Letters Patent and any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-parts, re-examinations, renewals, substitutions, and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment not been made.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested to issue such Letters Patent in accordance herewith. We covenant that we are the lawful owner of the said application, inventions, and improvements, that the same are unencumbered, that no license has been granted to make, use, or vend the said inventions or improvements or any of them, and that we have the full right to make this assignment.

And for the consideration aforesaid, we agree that we will communicate to said assignee or the representations thereof any facts known to us respecting said inventions and improvements, and will, upon request, but without expense to me, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, continuations-in-part, re-examinations, renewal, substitute or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by said assignee or by counsel for said assignee, to assist or enable said assignee to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interest herein assigned. This assignment shall be binding upon our heirs, executors, administrators, and/or assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and/or assigns, as the case may be, of said assignee.

EXECUTED July 25th, 2007

Jeffrey M. Norton (SEAL)
JEFFREY M. NORTON

State of Pennsylvania

:
: ss.

County of Cumberland

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared **JEFFREY M. NORTON**, who acknowledged that he is the person who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and notarial seal this 25th day of July 2007, 2007.

Sue A. Harley
Notary Public

(NOTARIAL SEAL)



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Notarial Seal
Sue A. Harley, Notary Public
Camp Hill Boro, Cumberland County
My Commission Expires Aug. 3, 2010
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

EXECUTED July 25th, 2007

Theresa M. Shoemaker (SEAL)
THERESA M. SHOEMAKER

State of Pennsylvania :
County of Cumberland : ss.
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared **THERESA M. SHOEMAKER**, who acknowledged that she is the person who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged it to be here free and voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and notarial seal this 25th day of July 2007, 2007.

Sue A. Harley
Notary Public

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