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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) or equivalent and other good and valuable consideration paid to each of the undersigned: Fred Halterman, the undersigned hereby sell(s) and assign(s) to Walker Systems, Inc., (the Assignee) his/her entire right, title and interest, including the right to sue for and collect for all past, present and future damages, for the United States of America (as defined in 35 U.S.C. § 100), and throughout the world, (a) in the invention(s) known as "Cover Assemblies For In-Floor Fittings" for which a provisional application for patent in the United States of America was filed on April 11, 2003 (also known as United States Application Serial No. 60/462,280)) and for which a PCT application was filed on April 9, 2004, including any and all invention(s) disclosed therein, and in any and all non-provisional applications based thereon or that claim priority thereto, and in any and all Letters Patent(s) granted on such non-provisional applications, and (b) in any and all continuing applications (continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part), reissues, extensions, renewals and reexaminations of such applications or Letters Patent(s) and continuing applications (continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part) thereof, to the full end of the term or terms for which such Letters Patent(s) issue, and (c) in all forms of intellectual and industrial property protection derivable from the above patent application(s), and that are derivable from any and all continuing applications, reissues, extensions, renewals, reexaminations and priority documents of such patent application(s), including, without limitation, patents, applications, utility models, inventor's certificates, and designs together with the right to file applications therefor; and including the right to claim the same priority rights from any previously filed applications under the International Agreement for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement, or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; such entire right, title and interest to be held and enjoyed by the above-named Assignee to the same extent as they would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned had this assignment and sale not been made.

The undersigned agree(s) to execute all papers necessary in connection with the provisional application for patent and with any non-provisional continuing (continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part), reissue, reexamination or corresponding application(s) thereof and also to execute separate assignments in connection with such applications as the Assignee may deem necessary or expedient.

The undersigned agree(s) to execute all papers necessary in connection with any interference that may be declared concerning any non-provisional continuing (continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part), reissue or reexamination application thereof and to cooperate with the Assignee in every way possible in obtaining evidence and going forward with such interference.

The undersigned hereby represents that the undersigned has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that the undersigned has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict therewith.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the U.S. attorneys and/or agents at McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Ltd. (Chicago, IL), Customer No. 23,446, power to insert in this assignment any further identification that 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.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, executed by the undersigned on the date(s) opposite their name(s)

<u>Greg Satterfield</u>	<u>5/17/04</u>	<u>Fred Halterman</u>	<u>5/17/04</u>
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