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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **Gregory J. Maples**, a citizen of THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, residing at 146 Pintail Point, Senoia, GA 30276, have invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in a provisional application filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 31, 2006, and assigned U.S. Application Serial No. 60/855,555 and disclosed in a nonprovisional patent application entitled "**Systems and Methods for Providing an Ice Storage Bin Control Sensor and Housing**," filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on **October 31, 2007**, under Application Serial No. **11/931,902** and Docket No. 27265-0014; and

WHEREAS, **Hoshizaki America, Inc.**, a corporation of the State of Georgia having a principal place of business at 618 Highway 74 South, Peachtree City, GA 30269, is desirous of acquiring an interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Five Dollars (\$5.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which I hereby acknowledge, I, **Gregory J. Maples**, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto **Hoshizaki America, Inc.**, the full, exclusive and entire right, title, and interest in and to said applications, in and to any divisions, continuations, continuations in parts, and reissues thereof, and in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in said applications, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and I hereby request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States resulting from said applications, or from a division, continuation, continuation in part, or reissue thereof, to **Hoshizaki America, Inc.**, as the assignee, for its interest and for the sole use and benefit of **Hoshizaki America, Inc.** and its assigns and legal representatives;

For the same consideration, I, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer to **Hoshizaki America, Inc.**, the full, exclusive, and entire right, title and interest in and to any foreign application or applications corresponding to any of said applications, in whole or in part, in countries other than the United States, in and to any Letters Patent and similar protective rights granted on said foreign applications, and in and to the right to claim any applicable priority rights

arising from or required for said foreign applications under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations; said foreign applications to be filed and issued in the name of **Hoshizaki America, Inc.**, or its designee insofar as permitted by applicable law.

AND, for the same consideration, I agree to sign all lawful papers, execute all division, continuing, continuation in part, reissue and other applications, make all assignments and rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid **Hoshizaki America, Inc.**, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection, including the right to sue for patent infringement, for all said inventions and improvements in all countries throughout the world.

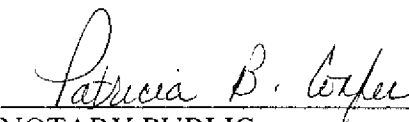


Gregory J. Maples

Date: 1/17/08

STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Fayette

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Georgia, on this 17 day of January, 2008, personally appeared **Gregory J. Maples**, who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as his free act and deed.



NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires: March 7, 2008

