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To the honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original document or copy thereof:

**1. Name of Conveying Party(ies):**

**Stephen Lawson**

**2. Name and Address of Receiving Party(ies):**

Name: **Tag Hardware Systems, Ltd.**

Street Address: **100 - 19072 25<sup>th</sup> Avenue**

Street Address:

City: **Surrey, B.C.**

State/Country: **Canada** Postal Code: **V3S 3V7**

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

Additional name(s) and addresses attached?  Yes  No

**3. Nature of Conveyance:**

Assignment

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**4. Application Number(s) or Patent Number(s):**

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A. Patent Application Number(s):

B. Issued Patent Number(s):

11/890,571

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

**5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning this matter should be mailed:**

**CUSTOMER NUMBER 00136 -or-**

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**6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1**

**7. Total Fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$ 40.00**

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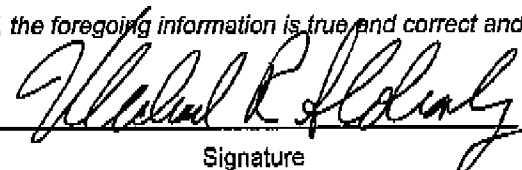
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*To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*

**Michael R. Slobasky 26,421**



**March 10, 2008**

Name of Person Signing, Reg. No.

Signature

Date

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ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT (Lawson)

WHEREAS, Stephen Lawson of 1947 Ocean Park Road, Surrey, B.C. Canada V4A 3M2 ("Lawson") is the sole inventor and owner of an invention described in United States Patent Application Serial No. 11/890,571 filed August 8, 2007 entitled Slatwall Track (the "'571 Application") directed to a track which, at the user's option, retains a panel or is connectable to another like track at both upper and lower extremities, as more particularly described in the '571 Application, an example of which is depicted at Schedule "A" (the "Invention");

WHEREAS, Tag Hardware Systems, Ltd., an entity existing under the laws of Canada and having its principal place of business at Unit 100 – 19072 26<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Surrey, B.C. Canada V3S 3V7 ("Tag Hardware") desires to acquire Lawson's entire right, title, and interest in and to the Invention and the '571 Application;

WHEREAS, Tag Hardware intends to assign such entire right, title, and interest to California Closet Company, Inc., a corporation existing under the laws of the State of California, U.S.A. and having its principal place of business at 1000 Fourth Street, Suite 800, San Rafael, California 94901 (hereinafter referred to as "TAG's Successor"), and TAG's Successor desires to acquire such entire right, title and interest in and to the Invention and in and to the '571 Application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by each of the parties, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

Lawson hereby sells and assigns to Tag Hardware, his entire right, title and interest in and to the Invention and in and to the '571 Application and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, and extensions thereof, and all past, present, and future claims and causes of action for patent infringement, including the right to sue for and collect and recover all damages, fees, and costs for and any and all past, present, and future infringement;

Lawson also hereby sells and assigns to Tag Hardware, all foreign rights to the Invention in all patent-granting countries of the world, including all foreign patent applications that may already be filed and including the right to file applications and obtain patents for the Invention in

said countries and including all rights of priority in said countries under the terms of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property.

Lawson also hereby agrees in connection with the Invention, at the request and expense of TAG Hardware and/or its successors and assigns (including the Successor) (including payment of the then current hourly rates of Lawson): (i) to testify in any legal proceedings, (ii) to sign all lawful papers necessary in connection with the said applications, including patent application lawful affidavits and declarations respecting inventorship and additional assignments, (iii) to grant powers of attorney to prosecute the said applications to representatives of TAG Hardware, (iv) to execute all divisional, reissue, substitute, reexamination and continuation applications, (v) to make all lawful oaths, (vi) to execute any and all patent applications, assignments, lawful affidavits, and any other papers directed to the Invention necessary to perfect such patent rights and (vii) generally to do everything reasonably possible to aid TAG Hardware, its successors, assigns and representatives, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the Invention in all countries.

Lawson makes no representation or warranty whatsoever respecting the Invention and the '571 Application which are provided to TAG Hardware and its successors and assigns (including TAG's Successor) on an "as is" basis, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, no representation or warranty as to patentability, scope of any protection, non-infringement, validity or enforceability of the '571 Application as well as any other application and issued patent directed to the Invention. Lawson makes no representations, warranties, or covenants, express or implied, nor shall Lawson have any liability, in respect of any infringement of patents or other rights of any third party with respect to the Invention. Furthermore nothing in this Agreement will be construed as an assignment, license or grant of any other right under any other invention, patent application or patent of Lawson, except that Lawson grants TAG Hardware its successors and assigns (including TAG's Successor) and those authorized licensees of the Successor, the right and license to manufacture, use, sell, offer to sell, and import only the Invention as described and/or claimed in the '571 Application under any such other right of Lawson that may exist now or in the future.

The parties hereto hereby grant the firm of Jacobson Holman PLLC and its members the power to insert on this assignment any further identifications which may be necessary or desirable in order to identify the assigned patent application(s) or otherwise comply with the

rules of the respective patent offices where such applications have been filed for recordation of this document.

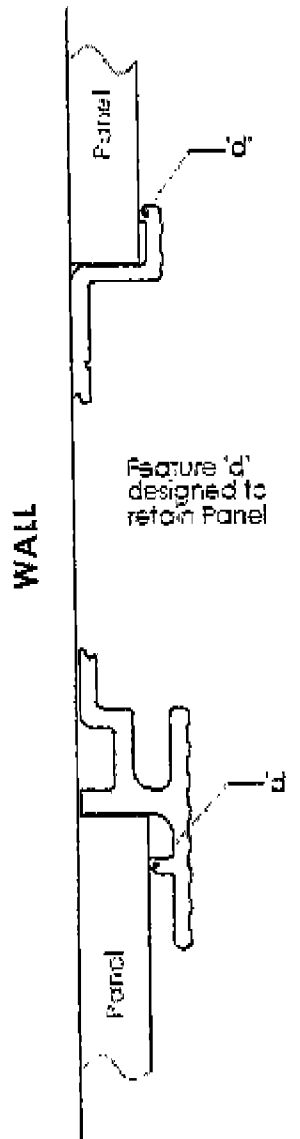
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SCHEDULE "A"



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