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INVENTORS:

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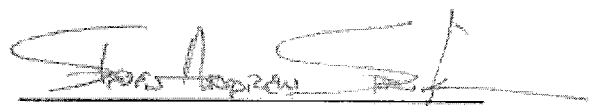
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Dated: 4-14-08

Signature: 

Steven Andrew Sprinkmann

State of WISCONSIN)

) ss.

County of MILWAUKEE)

On this 14th day of APRIL, 2008,
before me, TARBARA E. BROWN (name and title of

Notary Official), personally appeared STEVEN ANDREW SPRINKMANN, known or identified to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within Assignment, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the Assignment in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the Assignment, the person executed the Assignment.

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Barbara E. Brown

My Commission Expires: 7-10-2011

Dated: _____

Signature: _____

Stefan Michael Behling

State of _____)

) ss.

County of _____)

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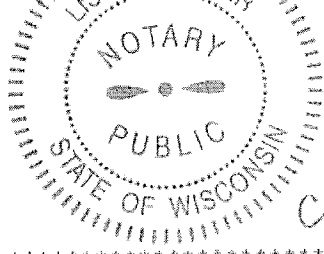
State of Wisconsin)

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County of Milwaukee)

On this 15 day of April, 2008,
before me, Lisa Brewster (name and title of
Notary Official), personally appeared Stefan Behling,
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My Commission Expires: 5/17/2009

County of Milwaukee

Dated: _____

Signature: _____

Dale Selsor Di Iulio

State of _____)

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My Commission Expires: _____

Dated: 4/16/2008 Signature: Dale Selsor Di Iulio
Dale Selsor Di Iulio

State of Wisconsin)
County of Ozaukee) ss.

On this 16th day of April, 2008,
before me, Christine M Gregozeski (name and title of
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Christine M. Gregozeski
My Commission Expires: 4-17-2011

Dated: 4-16-08

Signature: Scott Howard Micoley
Scott Howard Micoley

State of Wisconsin)

County of Dane) ss.

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