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Execution Date(s) July 30, 2009

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☐ Government Interest Assignment  
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**2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)**

Name: Stellar Industries, Inc.

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Street Address: 190 State Street

City: Garner

State: Iowa

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, **Elton C. Sheets**, a citizen of the United States, residing at 1930 Echo Avenue, Britt, Iowa 50423 in the County of Hancock, and the State of Iowa, **Scott R. McMahon**, a citizen of the United States, residing at 1021 N. 8th Street - Apt. D, Clear Lake, Iowa 50428, in the County of Cerro Gordo, and the State of Iowa, and **Matthew Wendell Schroeder**, a citizen of the United States, residing at 406 West Lake Street, Ventura, Iowa 50482 in the County of Cerro Gordo, and the State of Iowa, have made an invention entitled **DROP SHAFT** and have today executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America based thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, and we have agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto **Stellar Industries, Inc.**, a corporation of the State of Iowa, having its principal office at 190 State Street, Garner, Iowa 50438, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention and application, and in and to any division, continuation of continuation-in-part, of said application, and in and to any and all improvements in the said invention made by us or made jointly with others (provided any such improvement is made during our employment by said Company or within one year thereafter), and in and to any and all Letters Patent and reissues and extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted thereon or on any divisional, continuation (in whole or in part), renewal, reissue or other or further application based in whole or in part upon the said invention or improvements thereof, to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by us had this assignment and transfer not been made;

We do further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments and documents, and to perform such other acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the said **Stellar Industries, Inc.**, its successors, assigns and nominees, fully to secure its interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent in any and all countries;

As we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon any of the said applications, to the said **Stellar Industries, Inc.**, as the assignee of the entire interest thereon.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto assigned our names on the day and year set forth below.

Elton C. Sheets  
Elton C. Sheets

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me

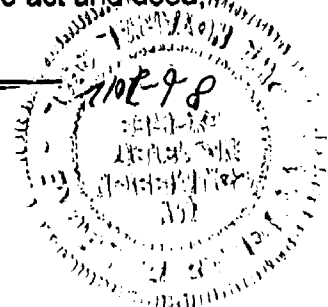
Scott R. McMahon  
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Matthew Wendell Schroeder  
Matthew Wendell Schroeder

STATE OF IOWA )  
 ) ss:  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK )

On this 30 day of July, 2009, before me personally appeared **Elton C. Sheets** known to me, and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, as his free act and deed, on the day and year aforesaid.

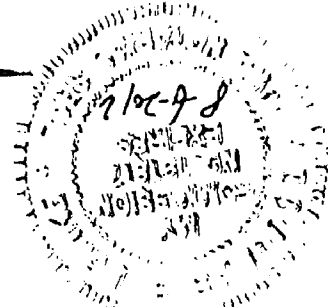
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State of Iowa, County of Hancock



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On this 30 day of July, 2009, before me personally appeared **Scott R. McMahon** known to me, and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, as his free act and deed, on the day and year aforesaid.

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Notary Public in and for the  
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On this 30 day of July, 2009, before me personally appeared **Matthew Wendell Schroeder** known to me, and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, as his free act and deed, on the day and year aforesaid.

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