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WHEREAS, we, James E. Kimmel, of Eagle Point, Oregon, and Joseph A. Ivory, of Eagle Point, Oregon, have invented a certain invention as described in the following patent applications:

U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 61/294,981, filed on January 14, 2010, entitled "HANDGUARD SYSTEMS FOR FIREARMS,"

U.S. Patent Application No. 13/007,306, filed on January 14, 2011, entitled "HANDGUARD SYSTEMS FOR FIREARMS,"

which applications are collectively referred to as "the patent applications."

WHEREAS, Apex Machining Company, Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Oregon, having a place of business at 300 Industrial Circle, White City, Oregon 97503, desires to acquire an interest therein:

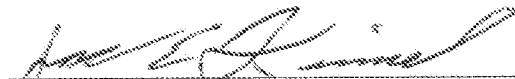
NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, James E. Kimmel and Joseph A. Ivory hereby sell, assign and transfer to Apex Machining Company, Inc., the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention, patent application and patent rights throughout the world, including foreign patent priority rights, the right to file and prosecute International Applications under the Patent Cooperation Treaty, and the right to file and prosecute applications under the European Patent Convention; said invention, the patent applications and letters patent in this or any foreign country, and all divisions, continuations, reissues and extensions thereof, to be held and enjoyed by Apex Machining Company, Inc., for its own use and benefit, and for its successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which letters patent may be granted the United States or any foreign country, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made, and covenant that we have full right so to do, and agree that we will communicate to Apex Machining Company, Inc., or its successors and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and do everything

possible to aid Apex Machining Company, Inc., its successors and assigns to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in the United States or any foreign country.

We confirm that at the time the invention was made, we were under an obligation to assign the invention to Apex Machining Company, Inc.

We hereby grant the law firm of Klarquist Sparkman, LLP, the power to insert on this Assignment any further information which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with all applicable legal requirements, including the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, for submitting and recording this document.

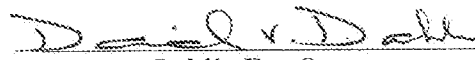
Executed at the place and date opposite our respective signatures below.


James E. Kimmel

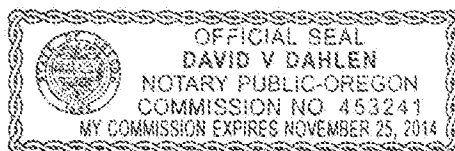
At Medford OREGON on this 10 day of February, 2011.
(City and State)


STATE OF OREGON)
) ss.
COUNTY OF JACKSON)

This 10 day of February, 2011, before me personally came the above-named James E. Kimmel, who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and who acknowledged to me that this instrument was executed by James E. Kimmel's own free will for the purpose set forth therein.


Notary Public For Oregon
My commission expires: 11-25-2014

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Joseph A. Ivory

At Medford, OREGON on this 10 day of February, 2011.
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STATE OF OREGON)
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This 10 day of February, 2011, before me personally came the above-named Joseph A. Ivory, who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and who acknowledged to me that this instrument was executed by Joseph A. Ivory's own free will for the purpose set forth therein.


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